Child Neurology Program Aims

By the completion of the training program each resident will have developed:

- Competence in the comprehensive diagnosis and management of all forms of neurologic disease including a comprehensive knowledge base in both clinical and basic neuroscience, and appropriate areas of pediatrics, child psychiatry, rehabilitation medicine and other medical fields
- Skill in professional, accurate and complete procurement of the medical history with
 a clear understanding of obtaining this information in a sensitive manner, as well as
 competence in communicating diagnosis and treatment plans in a clear and
 compassionate manner to patients with varied backgrounds, educational experience
 and coping mechanisms; and, in particular, skill in the compassionate communication
 of a devastating prognosis to patients and family members
- The ability to communicate professionally, accurately and clearly with other healthcare professionals, with a proper acknowledgement of the principles of HIPAA regulations
- Competence in the practice of evidence-based applied to clinical decision making
- Competence in the education of other health care providers
- Skill in working in and leading patient-care teams with a variety of providers and care givers to ensure an excellent level of patient safety and satisfaction