



LABORATORY ROTATION AGREEMENT

This form must be returned to the Graduate School Office BEFORE the start of the rotation in EACH of the laboratories.

Laboratory rotations introduce students to scientific research in their department or in Biomedical Sciences. Departments may require students that have performed a general rotation to perform a departmental rotation. Students will rotate through not less than three different active research laboratories in such a way that the experience they acquire during these rotations will help them decide their area of interest and the mentor under whose supervision he/she will train. Eight weeks of rotation will be equivalent to 1 credit hour. Sixteen weeks of rotation will be equivalent to 2 credit hours. Students are expected to work six hours a week in the laboratory.

To maximize the benefits of the laboratory rotations is important for the student and the faculty member to meet prior to the beginning of the rotation to discuss expectations, requirements and laboratory regulations.

Student Name: _____ Student ID No: _____

Rotation Dates: From: _____ To: _____

Faculty Member: _____ Department: _____

Who will directly supervise the student?

Expected schedule in the laboratory (Example Monday 10:00am to 12:00pm)

Laboratory activities expected of the student:

Were laboratory guidelines (biohazards, lab notebook) explained to the student? yes no

Has the student been provided with a reading list? yes no

Is the student expected to attend lab meetings? yes no

Is the student required to present in a lab meeting before the end of the rotation? yes no

Goals for this rotation:

At the end of the rotation the student will meet with the faculty member and complete the Laboratory Rotation Evaluation Form.

 Faculty Member Signature

 Date

 Student Signature

 Date