SPECIALTY: Neurology (Neuro 792)  
Medical School or Hospital: Rush University Medical Center (Chicago IL)

1. How would you rate your overall experience? Excellent  
2. How many hours did you work on average per day and/or per week?  
   In clinic, 40 hr/wk; In Neuro ICU, 50-60 hr/wk  
3. What were your daily duties? (Summarize)  
   During the clinic weeks I was mostly shadowing various attendings in the different Neuro specialty clinics (they have a huge department), and some of them let me work up my own patients if there was time, especially the full H&Ps on the new patients. Also, daily noon lectures. When I was in Neuro ICU, I would be responsible for 2-3 patients, which included pre-rounding on them, presenting on rounds, following up on daily plans, and signing them out to the night team.  
4. Who did you work with most? In clinic, always attendings; In Neuro ICU it would be mostly residents and fellows, though I would work with attendings during rounds. Included large interdisciplinary rounds of nursing, SW/CW, PT/OT, speech, diet, pharm, and respiratory.  
5. Which attendings had the greatest influence on your experience or your education? In clinic, there were many attendings, depending on the schedule. I also spent time with both Drs Garg and Bleck in NSICU. Overall, everyone taught a lot in both clinic and NSICU, it was a very positive environment.  
6. Did this rotation impact your interest in this program? How so? Yes, everyone at Rush seemed to enjoy being there. It is also a brand new hospital in the Medical District.  
7. Did this rotation help you get an interview? Yes  
8. Did you get a letter of recommendation? Yes  
9. Did you meet with or work with the Residency Program Director or the Department Chair? Yes  
10. How did you apply for the rotation? Did you use VSAS? Yes  
11. What month(s) was your rotation? August (Block 11)  
12. When did you apply? When did you get accepted? May 30; June 26  
13. Were there any special requirements for the rotation (i.e. BLS recertification, LOR, etc.) Requires pre-approval from Dr. Soni at Rush  
14. If you used VSAS, were there any unexpected/additional requirements you found out about after initially submitted your application, or after being accepted? No  
15. Is Housing provided? If not, can you recommend housing options?  
   Stayed at UIC housing; Rush recommended them because their own housing was full.  
16. Is parking provided? If not, any recommendations? N/A; lived within walking distance  
17. Would you recommend this rotation to future students? Yes  
18. Any other comments/suggestions/tips? It is a great department that really enjoys teaching. They also are very accommodating for particular
specialty/service requests.

19. **OPTIONAL: Would you like to include your contact information?**
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