



HOST INSTITUTION - ESDO TRAINEE FELLOWSHIPS

Name of institution: **Knappschaftskrankenhaus Bochum, Dept. of Medicine**

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General description of Hospital

The University Hospital Knappschaftskrankenhaus is a tertiary center that provides service to in- and outpatients. It is part of the Ruhr-University Comprehensive Cancer Center that provides first class medical treatment. There are 8 different disciplines such as Department of Medicine, Surgery, Radiology and Nuclear Medicine, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Anaesthesiology / Pain Management / Intensive Care, Ophthalmology and Trauma surgery. There is an intensive and long-standing collaboration between the Dept. of Surgery, Dept. of Radiology and the Dept. of Medicine to provide excellent service to our patients. A multidisciplinary tumour board takes place every week to discuss and decide the treatment based on the latest guidelines. We run clinical trials for various diseases such as esophageal cancer, gastric cancer, colon cancer, rectal cancer and hepatocellular carcinoma. Patients have regular access to those novel treatment options through clinical trials.

University hospital

total number of beds

University affiliated hospital

beds dedicated to GI oncology: **40**

Host profile:

We have an extensive experience in the field of medical oncology in particular with a strong focus on GI Oncology. Patients have access to innovative and advanced cancer care through state-of-the-art facilities and expert staff. Oncology services include biological targeted therapy, chemotherapy and immunotherapy. We also participate in highly ranked research activities focussing on translational research in GI cancer to identify new biomarkers and offer a Center of Inherited Bowel Cancer (funded by German Cancer Aid). In addition, each year we organize and host various meetings related to Digestive Oncology for physicians to discuss the latest trends and developments in medical practice and research. Professor Schmiegel serves as the current President of the German Cancer Society being intimately involved in the development of the National German Cancer Plan.

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Facilities

Endoscopy, Research Facilities, In- and Outpatient Service

Multidisciplinarity

- Specialities available: Surgery, Medical Oncology/ GI Oncology, Gastroenterology, Pathology, Radiology (Radiation Therapy available at collaborative hospital)
- The trainee has the opportunity to participate in the weekly multidisciplinary tumour board that takes place at our institution.

Supervision

- The trainee is able to participate at endoscopic procedures or abdominal surgeries at both institutions. There is long-standing collaboration between the Dept. of Surgery and our Department. Therefore, we are able to arrange those operations on a daily basis.

Please note: according to its profile, this institute preferably hosts **Medical Oncologists and Gastroenterologists.**