

Course Description	This course will allow students to obtain broad exposure to the exciting field of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.
Course Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe different methods of wound closures dependent on anatomical location • Observe and participate in when possible: reconstruction with grafts and flaps; reconstruction and aesthetic surgery of the breast; hand/upper extremity surgery; body contouring and aesthetic surgery • Observe and participate in the care of patients with upper/lower extremities trauma • Identify different congenital hand and face anomalies and discuss the potential treatment plans for these
Course Activities	The student will become an integral part of the Plastic Surgery team. The student will be expected to take part in all clinical activities on the plastic surgery service including a broad operative experience, surgical clinics, and rounds and formal lectures. Opportunity for independent research projects are encouraged but are not required.
Course Schedule Requirements	Student is present during usual clinical hours (8:00am – 5:00pm, Monday – Friday, excluding holidays as determined by the ECU calendar). Night/Weekend home call will be scheduled at the beginning of the rotation.

Duration	2 weeks	Location	Vidant Medical Center
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Designation	Elective	Revised	08.29.2019
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