

GENERAL INFORMATION
MRC CLINICAL OBSERVATION HOURS:

1. Dress code:

Our dress code for therapists includes black, navy or khaki slacks (not capri pants, jeans, jean cut pants or scrubs), polo style shirts and closed toe practical shoes such as “tennis shoes”. We expect prospective therapy student observers to come to our facility in similar attire (business casual).

2. Observation Hours:

Observation hours will be available between the second week in March (spring break) and the end of November.

- Outpatient Therapy Services will hold observation hours on Monday through Friday between the hours of 9 AM to 4 PM
- Inpatient Therapy Services will hold observation hours on Monday through Friday between the hours of 9 AM to 4 PM for PT’s & 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM for OT’s
- Observers are allowed only 2 days to observe at each facility.

3. Observation Hours must be scheduled by calling our education department at 601-364-3550. We cannot accommodate observers who “show up” without a scheduled appointment.

4. Complete the information sheet on our website and bring that with you when you come.

- A. Bring the observer information & confidentiality agreement, proof of TB testing and a flu shot if you are coming during vaccination season (Oct 1 thru March 31).
- B. You must check-in at the library on the second floor of the hospital or with the receptionist at our outpatient clinics.
- C. You will be given an observer badge to wear while you are in our facility. It must be returned before we can sign your forms.

5. You must bring the forms you want us to sign to document your observation hours with you on the day you observe. Therapists will not sign them after you leave our facility.

6. Parking

Parking for our main campus is available in our employee parking lot; call or email the day before you come for an access code. Parking is free of charge at both outpatient therapy locations

7. Respect patient privacy:

We expect observers to be respectful of patients served in our clinics and to acknowledge that our therapists first responsibility is to provide appropriate treatment for our patients. Please save your questions for a time designated by your supervising therapist