About the hospital

Krankenanstalt Rudolfstiftung represents over 100 years of growth in the field of medical care embodied by tradition, professionalism and innovation to the benefit of the patients. The opening of Austria’s first Down-Syndrome outpatient center created a point of contact for the special medical needs associated with trisomy 21. Psychological care and social services are additionally offered.

Krankenanstalt Rudolfstiftung and Semmelweis Frauenklinik together offer 820 beds. Seventeen medical departments, eighteen outpatient departments and five institutes are located on an area of 205,000 square meters. The average duration of inpatient stays is 5.9 days.

For more information about the hospital please visit http://www.wienkav.at/kav/kar/

At the hospital

Due to Austrian law, you are not entitled to perform diagnostic examinations or give reports, unless you have an accepted Austrian licence / recognition of your medical degrees and specifications achieved in your country. So at present you can only watch and discuss during your Observership.

If you can not attend your daily schedule the AAF office and your mentor must be informed.

All communication at the hospital is in German. Although your mentor shall try to translate some parts and discuss things in English, most communication is and will be this way (due to time constraints during routine work), which may impair the benefit you can draw from this visit.

On the first day

Your Observership will start the day after your arrival in Vienna.

In your welcome folder you will find detailed information on when and where you will meet your mentor on the first day.
On the first day at the hospital your mentor will want to see your passport and a copy of your medical licence and other diplomas (translated to German or English). Please make sure you have it with you! You will be informed about the required attendance at the hospital from your mentor and must follow these instructions. You will be provided with a white coat as well as meal vouchers.

How to get there

You can either take underground nr.3 - U3 to “Kardinal Nagl Platz” and then walk as directed on the map or take “Schnellbahn” S1 oder S2 to station “Rennweg” and take the bus nr. 77A directly to the hospital or you take tram “O” (you can transfer at “Landstrasse-Wien Mitte” from U3 as well as U4) and get off at stop “Ungargasse / Neulinggasse” and then walk as directed on the map.
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