The primary goal of the Department of Pathology and Human Anatomy is to educate capable, compassionate, scientifically minded physicians dedicated to the mission and objectives of Loma Linda University School of Medicine. The courses offered by the department provide a bridge to the clinical sciences, spanning the entire two years of the preclinical curriculum—from foundational principles of gross, microscopic, and developmental anatomy to modern pathophysiologic concepts. Progressive emphasis is placed on cultivating the student's ability to integrate basic knowledge of structure, function, and dysfunction of the human body with analytical skills in solving clinical problems.

The department is strongly committed to facilitating the development of both teaching and investigative skills on the part of faculty, graduate students, medical students, and residents.

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