TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES ON CAMPUS OR REMOTELY

Problem-Based Learning (PBL)
Coordinator: Marifrances Williams at MarifrancesWilliams@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-206-1636
Problem-Based Learning is a case-based teaching method. Students meet with faculty members who facilitate the group’s learning process without lecturing. Group size is about 8 - 10 students. Tutors review students’ learning issues online each week, offering comments on quality or thoroughness as needed. First- and second-year blocks welcome MD clinicians from all disciplines and basic science PhD’s as teaching faculty. Case preview is scheduled weekly.

Year One

Block 1: Foundations of Medicine I (Remote via Zoom)
Pathologic process, genetics, molecular and cellular biology, basic immunology, history taking, and overview of the physical examination
- August 10 – September 25, 2020 with additional Intro Week sessions on August 4 at 8:30am and August 7 at 8:00am
- Mondays and Fridays: 8am – 10am
- Case Preview: Fridays 10am – 11am

Block 2: Cardiovascular, Renal & Respiratory Medicine I (Remote via Zoom)
Anatomy, pathology, physiology, biochemistry, genetics, clinical skills, imaging, and selected pathophysiologic mechanisms of these organ systems
- October 12 – November 20, 2020
- Mondays and Friday: 8am - 10am
- Case Preview: Fridays 10am – 11am

Block 3: Gastrointestinal, Endocrine, & Reproductive Medicine I
Anatomy, pathology, biochemistry, nutrition, clinical skills, genetics, and selected pathophysiologic mechanisms
- January 11 – February 12, 2021
- Mondays and Fridays: 8am - 10am
- Case Preview: Fridays 10am – 11am

Block 4: Musculoskeletal Medicine:
Anatomy, pathology, neurobiology, neurology, psychopathology, clinical skills, imaging, psychopharmacology and pathophysiology
- March 8 – April 2, 2021
- Mondays and Fridays 8am – 10am
- Case Preview: Fridays 10am – 11am

Block 5: Medical Neuroscience I:
Anatomy, pathology, neurobiology, neurology, psychopathology, clinical skills, imaging, psychopharmacology and pathophysiology
- April 19 – May 14, 2021
- Mondays and Fridays: 8am – 10am
- Case Preview: Fridays 10am – 11am

Year Two

Block 6: Foundations of Medicine II (Remote via Zoom)
Basic pharmacology; microbes, host defense and immunity; immune disorders; epidemiology, infectious disease and therapeutics, other disorders of blood
- August 3 – September 25, 2020
- Mondays and Fridays: 10am – 12pm
- Case Preview: Fridays 12pm – 1 pm

Block 7: Medical Neuroscience II (Remote via Zoom)
Pathophysiology of these systems continues; including therapeutics (pharmaceuticals and treatments); clinical trials and epidemiology; prevention
- October 5 – October 30, 2020
- Mondays and Fridays: 10am – 12pm
- Case Preview: Fridays 12pm – 1 pm

Block 8: Gastrointestinal, Endocrine, & Reproductive Medicine II (Remote via Zoom)
Endocrinology, reproductive health and disease, breast, GI disease; gender- specific diseases; skin diseases, common infectious disease, therapeutics prevention, including nutrition
- November 16, 2020 – January 15, 2021
- Mondays and Fridays 10am -12pm
- Case Preview: Fridays 12pm – 1pm

Block 9: Cardiovascular, Renal & Respiratory Medicine II (Remote via Zoom)
Pathology and pathophysiology of these systems continues; including hypertension, developments disorders; therapeutics; pharmaceuticals and other treatments; clinical trials and epidemiology; prevention; common infectious agents
- February 8 – March 12, 2021
- Mondays and Fridays: 10am – 12pm
- Case Preview: Fridays: 12pm – 1pm
Clinical Skills, Doctoring, and System-based Health

Clinical Skills 2 Instructor
Coordinator: Franklin De Paz at FDePaz@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-794-7016
Faculty will each work with a group of five second-year students who completed basic clinical skills in their first year, and they help students review and refine aspects of the clinical exam by introducing hypothesis-generated physical diagnosis through a series of prepared cases and practice exams. Instructors model and assess students’ ability to conduct focused physical examinations.

- August – November 2020 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays or Thursdays (6 sessions total, twice per month)
- 12:30pm – 4:30pm, including Faculty Development

Doctoring 2 Tutor (Remote via Zoom)
Coordinator: Philip Moon at PMoon@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-825-8117
Paired faculty members facilitate three-hour sessions with nine second-year students twice each month. Sessions provide a case-based approach to improving skills in interviewing, clinical reasoning, diagnostic skills, and cultural competency. Tutors are physicians with clinical experience who are paired with mental health professionals, certain social scientists, and training combinations (e.g. nursing and law).

- August 2020 – March 2021 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays or Thursdays (14 sessions total, twice per month)
- 12:30pm – 4:30pm, including Faculty Development

System-based Health Tutor
Coordinator: Renea Fuller at RFuller@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-825-2571
Faculty members facilitate a three-hour morning session with about eight third-year students twice each month. Sessions are case-based and use a comprehensive approach to enhance skills in patient/doctor communication, clinical decision-making, and understanding of systems of care. Tutors are physicians with clinical experience who are paired with mental health professionals, certain social scientists, and training combinations (e.g. nursing and law).

- June 2020 – March 2021 on Tuesdays or Thursdays per your schedule (twice per month)
- 8:00am – 12:00pm, including Faculty Development

Foundations Courses
Assessment for Internship
Coordinator: Jenny Yoo at jsyoo@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-206-2206
This capstone course for graduating 4th year students covers a one-week period from March 8 – March 12 and is designed to assess proficiency in key skills and activities that will be vital to functioning as a resident physician starting from day 1 of internship. Basic procedures that all students will be expected to perform as an intern with varying degrees of supervision include but are not limited to the initial evaluation of common acute illnesses, the completion of admission orders, the performance of patient handoffs, and the ability to work in teams in the management of critically ill patients.

Transition to Clerkships
Coordinator: Desiree White at dewhite@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-825-6716
This course for rising 3rd year students covers a two-week period from May 10 – May 21 and is designed to provide key elements for success in the clinical clerkships. The course covers new concepts, practices, expectations, and attitudes that students will encounter on their clinical rotations in didactic and practical sessions. Students will practice conducting a focused physical exam and preparing and presenting a patient case.

Foundation for Fourth Year
Coordinator: Jenny Yoo at jsyoo@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-206-2206
This introductory course for rising 4th year students covers a one-week period from May 24 – May 28 and focuses on advanced clinical skills and decision-making. Basic procedures include but are not limited to the initial evaluation of common acute illnesses, the completion of admission orders, the performance of patient handoffs, and the ability to work in teams in the management of critically ill patients.
TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES AT YOUR SITE

Second Year Preceptor
Coordinator: Ashley Wade: ARWade@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-267-4696
Preceptors are clinicians, who take second year students into their clinical practices approximately twice a month to provide “hands-on” opportunities to practice skills in physical examination, history-taking, and oral presentation.

- September 2020 – March 2021 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays or Thursdays (8 sessions total, 1-2 students)
- 1:30pm – 4:30pm per your office hours

Third Year Preceptor
Coordinator: Renea Fuller: RFuller@mednet.ucla.edu or 310-825-2571
During the third year, students have an opportunity to explore career choices with an emphasis on building clinical skills and understanding the practice demands and rewards of different specialties. They choose a specialty in which to work for half or all the academic year.

- August 2020 – March 2021 on Tuesdays or Thursdays (9 sessions total, 1-2 students)
- 1:00pm – 5:00pm per your office hours
- Students covered under UCLA malpractice insurance

Faculty interested in any of the above UCLA- or site-based teaching activities can sign up via the case-sensitive link (https://bit.ly/30qy5jB) or scan the QR code below. Please share this information with interested colleagues.

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