Primary Care Interprofessional Learning Experience Objectives

STUDENT ROTATION GUIDELINES

* Suggested services and order of progression. This is not an all-encompassing list and other services may be considered on a case by case basis as appropriate for the respective student specialty track. Not every experience is intended for every student as hours towards these have to be balanced with direct patient care hours. The priority experiences that should be targeted for all students at some point in their clinical education are highlighted in red. Others may be used to supplement (aligning the experience with the specialty track / scope of practice).

CUMMULATIVE CLINICAL HOURS FOR ALL ROTATIONS NOT TO EXCEED 75

ROTATION FOR NURS 543

Radiology – priority recommendation – 8-16 hours

Purpose: Exposure to reading common radiographic images under the guidance of a radiologist

- Hospital Setting (as this is typically where radiology for both community and hospital imaging interpretation is conducted)

Clinical Pharmacy – priority recommendation - 8 hours

Purpose: Exposure to medication assessment and management (i.e. managing anticoagulation, drug monitoring, etc.), compounding medications, dispensing medication

- Community based/outpatient focused pharmacist

Clinical Dietician – 4-8 hours

Purpose: Nutritional assessment, indications for dietary referral, considerations for dietary modification, supplements, enteral vs parenteral feeding, etc.

- Community/outpatient based dietician – i.e. certified diabetic educator

Physical/Occupational Therapy – 8-16 hours

Purpose: Exposure to assessment of physical function relating to ADL, treatment to restore or improve physical function, post-operative treatment, pain relief

- Community/outpatient based Physical Therapy or Occupational Therapy
ROTATION FOR NURS 545

Respiratory Therapy – priority recommendation - 8-20 hours
Purpose: Exposure to airway management, pulmonary function testing, home-based O₂ use, nebulizer use, use of inhaler, home CPAP/BIPAP
  ● Outpatient/home based services

Wound Care – 8-12 hours
Purpose: Skin risk assessment, indications for referral, interventions, specialty products, prevention and management, scope of services
  ● Outpatient wound therapy/clinic

Cardiac and/or Pulmonary Rehabilitation – 8-12 hours
Purpose: Exposure to rehabilitation principles and management to improve short and long term recovery from and optimization of cardiopulmonary disease Cardiac and/or Pulmonary Rehab
  ● Outpatient based service

RESIDENCY ROTATION NURS 547

Social Services – 8-12 hours
Purpose: Referral indications, scope of services, community resources, transitions in care
  ● Community based services / care transitions

Palliative/Hospice Care – priority recommendation - maximum 40 hours
Purpose: Goals of palliative vs hospice care, referral indication, team management, patient and family involvement
  ● Community based/outpatient services/ in-home hospice

Students will be expected to complete a reflection assignment using these objectives:

Student Learning Objectives for Post Interprofessional Learning Opportunity Assignment
1. Define interprofessional practice.
2. Identify one’s own attitudes and perceptions regarding other health care disciplines.
3. Accurately describe the roles, responsibilities and scopes of practice of other health care disciplines.
4. Describe the collaborative interdependence of interprofessional roles in effective and safe patient centered care.
5. Delineate strategies for effective communication, consultation and shared decision making.
6. Develop respect for and appreciation of the contributions that other disciplines offer for facilitating optimal patient outcomes.