Proposed Core Curriculum for Approved OGME -1

Training Year
Effective July 1, 2008

Traditional Rotating Internship
- Minimum of 6 months training in any or all basic core disciplines
  - general internal medicine
  - general surgery
  - family practice
  - pediatrics
  - obstetrics/gynecology (ambulatory gynecology)
  - emergency medicine
- At least 2 months general internal medicine
- At least 1 month emergency medicine
- At least 1 month family practice OR ½ day per week (for a minimum for 46 weeks)
  of ambulatory exposure in a family practice continuity of care type practice site
- No more than 3 months of elective exposure (to be approved by DME/internship program director)
- No more than 1 month may be spend in non-clinical experience (research, etc)
- Exposure must occur to the support disciplines of pathology, radiology, and anesthesiology. This may occur directly by rotation or indirectly by formal didactic conferences and/or exposure while on medical and surgical services. This exposure must be verified on intern logs.
- All remaining time may be scheduled at the discretion of the base institution.

Anesthesiology
1st Year Requirement
- 1 month of family practice (preferable in an ambulatory setting).
- 3 months of general internal medicine.
- 3 months of surgery, one of which is general surgery. (plastics, orthopedic and urologic)
- 1 month of pediatrics (inpatient or ambulatory) if available, or one additional month of anesthesia.
- 1 month of obstetrics and gynecology, if available, or female reproductive medicine.
- 3 months of anesthesia

Dermatology
See Traditional Rotating Internship

Diagnostic Radiology
1st Year Requirement
- 1 month of emergency medicine
- 1 month of family practice
- 2 months of surgery
Emergency Medicine

1st Year Requirement

☐ 1 month (or 4 weeks) of general internal medicine.
☐ 2 months (or 8 weeks) of additional medicine that may include training in general internal medicine, medical subspecialties, or hospital family practice in any combination.
☐ 1 month (or 4 weeks) of hospital-based general surgery.
☐ 2 months (or 8 weeks) of additional surgical training in either ambulatory or hospital settings. These eight (8) weeks may consist of:
  o general surgery.
  o any surgical subspecialty.
  o free-standing ambulatory surgery, on or off campus.
  o gynecological surgery.
  o emergency medicine.
☐ 1 month (or 4 weeks) of training in female reproductive medicine with a minimum of 50% of this time spent in obstetrics.
☐ 1 month (or 4 weeks) of pediatrics with a minimum of 50% of ambulatory training which will be defined by the training institution. Strong consideration should be given to a pediatric emergency medicine rotation.
☐ Four months (or 20 weeks) of emergency medicine that will be conducted under the supervision of a board certified/board eligible emergency medicine physician in an institution approved for residency training in emergency medicine. Vacation time may be taken out of this rotational time.

Family Practice and Emergency Medicine

1st Year Requirement

☐ 8 weeks general internal medicine
☐ 4 weeks ob/gyn
☐ 4 weeks pediatrics
☐ 4 weeks general surgery
☐ 4 weeks emergency medicine
☐ 4 weeks electives
☐ ½ day per week family practice ambulatory clinic
☐ 24 weeks program/hospital requirements

Family Practice Integrated NMM

1st Year Requirement
Family Practice and OMT
1st Year Requirement
- 8 weeks general internal medicine
- 4 weeks ob/gyn
- 4 weeks pediatrics
- 4 weeks general surgery
- 4 weeks emergency medicine
- 4 weeks electives
- ½ day per week family practice ambulatory clinic
- 24 weeks program/hospital requirements

Internal Medicine
1st Year Requirement
- 4 months or sixteen (16) weeks of general internal medicine.
- 1 month or four (4) weeks of critical care (ICU/CCU), or ongoing supervised exposure to critical care throughout the training program;
- 1 month or four (4) weeks of cardiology;
- 1 month or four (4) weeks of care of the surgical patient to be selected from one of the following: general surgery; perioperative medicine; surgical ICU
- 1 month or four (4) weeks of emergency medicine;
- 1 month or four (4) weeks of women’s health, at least half of which must be ambulatory gynecology.
- 3 months of selectives that are chosen by the program director. Each of the selectives can be only for one month, except additional general medicine which may be for two more months. Acceptable selectives are as follows:
  - any internal medicine subspecialty
  - additional general internal medicine,
  - ICU
  - Geriatrics
  - palliative medicine
  - radiology
  - anesthesia
  - neurology
  - psychiatry
  - osteopathic manipulative medicine
  - dermatology
  - pediatrics
  - family medicine
nonmedical surgical ambulatory specialty such as orthopedics, ENT, urology
or ophthalmology

NOTE: Internal medicine block nights can be used as one of these three
months, but only if the rotation includes a minimum of five hours of
structured education per week, to include, morning report or medicine
lectures, and one book or journal club per month.

NOTE: Any time remaining after completion of the required rotations may
be scheduled at the discretion of the training institution. If the program has
been scheduled in months, this discretionary period will not be available.

Continuity ambulatory experience must exist a minimum of half a day per week for a
minimum of thirty-six (36) weeks in internal medicine under the supervision of an
onsite internist;

Internal Medicine/Emergency Medicine

1st Year Requirement

☐ 6 months of emergency medicine
☐ 6 months of internal medicine integrated throughout the year
  o 3 months general internal medicine
  o 1 month cardiology
  o 1 month critical care
  o 1 month women's health

Internal Medicine/Pediatrics

1st Year Requirement

☐ 3 months of general internal medicine.
  o 2 months must be hospital-based.
  o 1 month must be provided in an ambulatory internal medicine clinic or in a
    combined pediatrics/internal medicine clinic.
☐ 1 month of critical care of the adult patient, either CCU or ICU.
☐ 1 month of either cardiology or pulmonary medicine; must be hospital-based.
☐ 3 months of general pediatrics.
  o 2 months must be hospital-based.
  o 1 month must be provided in either an ambulatory pediatrics clinic or in a
    combined internal medicine/pediatrics clinic.
☐ 1 month of newborn nursery.
☐ 1 month of pediatric critical care, either NICU or PICU.
☐ 1 month of general surgery of the adult and pediatric patient. A rotation specializing
  in peri-operative care can satisfy this requirement and can be supervised either by a
  surgeon or an internist or pediatrician but only if the rotation is designed exclusively
  to provide peri-operative co-management of surgical patients.
☐ 1 month of ambulatory gynecology, obstetrics and perinatology, STD clinic or
  planned parenthood clinic.
☐ Note: When combined medicine/pediatric clinics are used to meet the internal
  medicine and pediatric block ambulatory requirements, only four (4) weeks or one
  (1) month of general ambulatory medicine is required. If the rotations are provided
  in four week blocks rather than one month blocks, then the remaining four (4) weeks
  may be in any pediatric or medicine subspecialty.
**Neurology**

*1st Year Requirement*

- 2 months neurology
- 1 month emergency medicine
- 1 month surgery selective (vascular, neurosurgery, orthopedics, etc.)
- 1 month elective (as agreed upon with the residency training director)
- 7 months internal medicine to include:
  - 1 month cardiology
  - 1 month intensive care unit rotation
  - 3 months general internal medicine
  - 2 months elective internal medicine.

**Neuromuscular Medicine and OMT**

*1st Year Requirement*

- 2 months of exposure in general internal medicine consisting of hospital and/or ambulatory experience.
- 1 month exposure in emergency medicine
- 1 month exposure in general surgery, which must include in-patient experience.
- 1 of family practice is encouraged and may include training in a hospital or ambulatory setting or one-half day per week for a minimum of 46 weeks of ambulatory exposure in a family practice continuity of care type practice site.
- 1 month of pediatric adolescent medicine is encouraged and may include training in a hospital or ambulatory setting.
- 1 month of obstetrics, gynecology or women's health is encouraged where available and may include training in a hospital or ambulatory setting.
- 1 month of osteopathic manipulative medicine is encouraged and may include training in a hospital or ambulatory setting.
- 3 months of elective exposure adequate to meet the individual needs of the interns and approved by the DME internship program director.
- All remaining time may be scheduled at the discretion of the base institution.
- Note: No more than one month may be spent in non-clinical experience, (research, scholarly pursuits, administration, etc.).

**Ob/Gyn**

*1st Year Requirement*

- 2 months general internal medicine
- 1 month subspecialty internal medicine OR intensive care unit
- 1 month family practice, which must be conducted as an ambulatory experience
- 1 month general surgery
- 2 months gynecologic surgery
- 1 month ambulatory gynecology
- 1 month pediatrics or equivalent
- 3 months obstetrics (hospital based) OR 2 months obstetrics (hospital based) and 1 month pathology (gynecologic) and radiology (ob/gyn ultrasound)
Continuity ambulatory experience for a minimum of one-half day per week throughout the year for a minimum of 46 weeks in obstetrics and gynecology.

Note: One month of pediatrics or equivalent is required to meet AOA internship requirements. This can be met by a neonatal I.C.U. rotation.

**Ophthalmology**

1st Year Requirement

- 3 months internal medicine
- 2 months neurology/neurological surgery
- 1 month surgical subspecialty (ophthalmologic, neurological, maxillofacial, vascular, plastic, general)
- 1 month medical subspecialty (pulmonary, neurology, dermatology, gastroenterology, rheumatology, family medicine, internal medicine)
- 1 month radiology/neuroradiology
- 1 month emergency department/trauma
- 1 month intensive care unit
- 1 month ophthalmology
- 1 month elective (from surgical subspecialty or medical subspecialty lists above)

**Orthopedic Surgery**

1st Year Requirement

- 2 months or rotations of internal medicine
- 1 month or rotation of emergency medicine
- 3 months or rotations of general orthopedic surgery
- 1 month or rotation of family practice
- 2 months or rotations of non-orthopedic surgery or vascular, general trauma, basic wound/burn/plastics, urology
- 1 month or rotation of obstetrics or woman's health
- 2 months or rotations of electives upon approval of the program director which may include any of the following areas:
  - General orthopedic surgery
  - Foot and ankle
  - Hand
  - Hip and knee
  - Shoulder and elbow
  - Spine
  - Sports medicine
  - Pediatrics or pediatric orthopedics
  - Anesthesiology
  - Radiology
  - Pain management
  - Neurology
  - Neurosurgery
  - Physical medicine and rehabilitation

**Otolaryngology/Facial Plastic Surgery**

1st Year Requirement
- 4 months hospital-based general surgery
- 1 month medical pediatrics, if available, or other primary care specialty at the discretion of the training institution
- 1 month anesthesia
- 1 month intensive care unit
- 1 month emergency room
- 1 month surgical subspecialty (ophthalmologic, neurological, vascular, maxillofacial, plastic, cardiovascular, general)
- 1 month medical subspecialty (pulmonary, neurology, family medicine, gastroenterology, dermatology, internal medicine)
- 2 months elective (from surgical subspecialty or medical subspecialty lists above)

**Pathology**
- NA – approval based on exceptional circumstance of no program currently available

**Pediatrics**

**1st Year Requirement**
- 1 month general internal medicine
- 6 months pediatrics with a minimum of 2 months in ambulatory pediatrics. This may include:
  - Newborn nursery
  - Inpatient care
  - NICU
  - PICU
- 1 month of hospital-based general or pediatric surgery
- 1 month ED or pediatric ER at the base or at an affiliate training center
- 1 month perinatal reproductive medicine with a minimum of 25% ambulatory experience
- 2 months additional training which will be spent in pediatric subspecialty areas.
- Continuity of care clinic will be required and will be a priority extending throughout the year. It will occupy 10% or one-half day of the total time of the internship and shall be present in all internship training programs for a minimum of 46 weeks out of the year.

**Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation**
- See Traditional Rotating Internship

**Proctologic Surgery**
- See Traditional Rotating Internship

**Psychiatry**

**1st Year Requirement**
- 4 months of general internal medicine
- 2 months of neurology
- 6 months of psychiatry

**Public Health and Preventative Medicine**
See Traditional Rotating Internship

Radiation Oncology

1st Year Requirement
- 1 month of emergency medicine
- 1 month of family practice
- 2 months of surgery
  - 1 month of general
  - 1 month of orthopedic
- 2 months of internal medicine
  - 1 month of general
  - 1 month of intensive care unit
- 1 month of pediatrics
- 1 month of obstetrics/gynecology
- 1 month of elective
- 1 month of diagnostic radiology
- 1 month of medical oncology
- 1 month of radiation oncology

Surgery – General, Neurological and Urological

1st Year Requirement
- Rotations for ½ day for 46 weeks of a primary care outpatient clinic in an out-patient clinic or office
- 2 months of general internal medicine
- 1 month of ICU
- 1 month of emergency medicine
- 1 month of female reproductive medicine
- 1 month of pediatrics, if available, or another primary care specialty at the discretion of the training institution
- 4 months of general surgery
- 2 months of electives to include any of the following areas:
  - Urology
  - Orthopedics
  - Anesthesia
  - ENT
  - General surgery
  - Vascular surgery
  - Neurosurgery
  - Cardiovascular thoracic surgery
  - Plastic and reconstructive