

Title of Clerkship: **Urology Elective – Lima AHEC (4 week)**

Elective Year(s): Fourth Year Elective

Department: Urology

Type of Elective: Clinical Non-Clinical/Research Basic Science

Clerkship Site: Lima, Ohio

Course Number: UROL702

Blocks Available: By request through the AHEC Center Office

Number of Students/Block: 1 (one)

Faculty: Russell Taylor, M.D., Lima Urology

Elective Description/Requirements: This clerkship is designed to expose students to a variety of urological disorders, primarily in outpatient office setting. Teaching is conducted in preceptor's office and in and outpatient operating rooms, as well as on outpatient rounds. Patients may present with a variety of disorders including but not limited to voiding problems, urinary tract pain, impotence, erectile dysfunction and renal failure.

Length of Clerkship: 4 weeks

Links to Core Competencies: Educational Course Objectives
At the end of this elective, the student will be able to:

MK4,MK5,MK6,
MK9,MK14MK16

PC1,PC3,PC4,PC6,PC10

PB1,PB3,PB4,PB5

IPC4

1. Understand the normal anatomy of the urinary tract as it applies to urologic disorders
2. Describe common diseases presenting to the Urologist
3. Demonstrate ability to judiciously use radiographic and laboratory testing in evaluation and treatment of urologic disorders
4. Exhibit a refined ability in obtaining a history from patients, including sensitive areas such as sexual function and incontinence
5. Perfect the urologic physical examination
6. Display ability to assist in urologic diagnostic instrumentation and common urologic operations, including ability to catheterize the bladder
7. Demonstrate understanding of appropriate urologic care by the primary care physician and disorders requiring referral to a Urologist
8. Demonstrate appropriate demeanor in the treatment of urologic disorders: Elicit a meaningful voiding, impotence and incontinence listing.

Professionalism: UT/COM students will meet or exceed the institutional standards for professionalism as stated in the current Educational Program Objectives and the Educational Course Objectives for the Sponsoring Department.

Instructional Methods:

1. Office evaluation by students with guidance and review with preceptor.
2. Operating room observation and instruction commensurate with knowledge and experience.
3. Inpatient rounds with preceptor.

Evaluation Methods:

1. Clinical performance
2. Faculty observation and evaluation
3. Professional assessments
4. Attendance

Prerequisites: Successful completion of years 1 & 2, and passing score on USLME Step 1

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Special Requirements: Request through AHEC center office