

<u>Title of Clerkship:</u>	Health Care Administration: Special Topics
<u>Elective Type:</u>	Fourth Year Elective for students in the MD/MBA program
<u>Department:</u>	Internal Medicine
<u>Clerkship Site:</u>	College of Medicine, UT Health Science Campus
<u>Course Number:</u>	MEDI 770
<u>Blocks available:</u>	All blocks- students must receive approval from Dr. Kleshinski prior to registration
<u>Number of students per block:</u>	1
<u>Faculty:</u>	James Kleshinski, MD Associate Professor of Medicine (Course Director) Daniel Hickey, JD, MBA Associate Professor of Family Medicine
	Consultants: Ronald McGinnis, MD Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs, Medical Director UTMC Sonny Ariss, PhD Chairman, Department of Management
<u>Elective Description/ Requirements:</u>	The special topics in Health Care Administration provides an opportunity for the MD/MBA student to complete an independent project on a topic of their interest (topic must be approved by course director). Students will be required to complete both an oral presentation and a summary written paper regarding the project. Students will also be required to meet weekly with Dr. Kleshinski to discuss project progress as well as discuss assigned readings in the book "Why Hospitals Should Fly: The Ultimate Flight Plan to Patient Safety and Quality Care" by John Nance, JD. Additionally, the student will have mentoring experiences in hospital administration with UTMC leadership that includes the Vice President and Executive Director, Associate Vice-President and Associate Executive Director, Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs and Medical Director, Administrator for Hospital Development, and Compliance officer. Organizational financial statements (income statements, balance sheets) will also be reviewed.
<u>Length of Clerkship:</u>	4 weeks
<u>Links to EPOs</u>	<u>Educational Course Objectives:</u> At the conclusion of the elective, students should be able to: 1) Discuss the concepts of quality and safety and how they are achieved. 2) Describe organizational characteristics that act as barriers to patient safety and service quality. 3) Identify system failures that occur in the delivery of healthcare. 4) Explain the function of the various regulatory bodies (e.g. AHRQ, JCAHO) in the healthcare system. 5) Describe the roles and responsibilities of members of UTMC hospital leadership.
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<u>Professionalism:</u>	UTCOM students will meet or exceed the institutional standards for professionalism as stated in the current Educational Program Objectives and the current Educational Course Objectives for the Department of Medicine.
<u>Instructional Methods:</u>	Small group Independent study
<u>Evaluation methods employed:</u>	Written paper Oral presentation Attendance Professionalism assessment
<u>Prerequisites:</u>	none
<u>Clerkship Director:</u>	Christopher Lynn, MD
<u>Clerkship Coordinator:</u>	Carol Hendrzak
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<u>Special Requirements:</u>	Must be a student in the MD/MBA program. A minimum of 36 contact hours is required.
<u>AAMC Hot Topics Addressed in this Elective Clerkship:</u>	Health Care Financing, Health Care Quality Improvement, Health Care Systems, Health Services financing