Title of Clerkship: Gastroenterology Elective – UTMC (2 or 4 week)

Elective Type: Fourth Year Elective
Department: Medicine

Clerkship Site: Digestive Healthcare Consultants of Northwest Ohio     ProMedica Toledo Hospital
3439 Granite Circle     2121 Hughes Drive
Toledo, OH  43617     Toledo, OH  43606

Course Number: MEDI 731

Blocks available: All (except the months of July and August)
Number of students per block: 1, per four week rotation

Faculty

Elective/Description Requirements:
This course provides a focused opportunity for the senior student to study gastroenterology and hepatologic diseases in both inpatient and outpatient settings.

Length of Clerkship 2 or 4 week rotation

Links to EPOs
K4, K5, S3, S4, S7, S8
Educational Course Objectives
The student will demonstrate an ability to discuss the differential diagnosis of common gastroenterological/ hepatologic problems such as GI bleeding, abdominal pain, diarrhea, jaundice, and hepatitis.
S7, S8 The student will propose an efficient course of evaluation of the differential and interpret the results of the evaluation.
S2, S9 The student will show sensitivity to the patient’s concerns regarding the illness and also respect the role of the referring primary service in the patient’s care.

Professionalism
UT/COM 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 Sponsoring Department.

Instructional Methods
Small group – clinical skills
Interpretation of lab data
Diagnostic tests – use/interpretation
Lecture/media
Independent study
Inpatient rounds
Outpatient rounds

Evaluation methods employed
1. Attendance
2. Case presentation, optional
3. Case write-up, optional
4. Faculty/resident observation
5. Narrative

Prerequisites
Successful completion of required Internal Medicine Clerkship.

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Special Requirements: Students will have weekend responsibilities. There is NO night call.

AAMC Hot Topics Addressed in this Elective Clerkship
4. Clinical Problem Solving and Decision Making
8. Diagnostic Imaging

Approved by ECC
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