Title of Clerkship: Infectious Disease Elective - St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center

**Fourth Year Elective Elective Type: Department: Internal Medicine** 

Clerkship Site: St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center

All

MEDI714 **Course Number:** 

**Blocks available:** Number of students per

block: Faculty:

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**Elective Description/** Requirements:

The elective deals with in-hospital care of patients with infectious diseases and offers an approach to the diagnosis and management of complicated medical and surgical patients with infectious complications. There is emphasis on rational approaches to evaluation and management of general medical problems as well as their infectious complications. Laboratory instruction as to the interpretation of microbiologic tests and review of rational use of antimicrobial agents is stressed. Reading material for 4 weeks is given at the beginning of the rotation so that the student will cover all important topics in Infectious Diseases, even if a patient with that particular disease is not seen on consultation during the time of the rotation. Audiovisual materials are available for review of infrequently seen conditions.

Length of Clerkship: 4 weeks

> **Links to EPOs Educational Course Objectives:**

K3, K4, S3, S4, S5, S7,

1. Learn an integrated approach to the diagnosis and management of infections in hospitalized and ambulatory patients.

S8, S9 K3, K4, K6, S7, S8

2. Learn to integrate knowledge of major pathogenic organisms with knowledge of antibiotic groups in the selection of appropriate antibiotic regimens.

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.

1. Small group - clinical skills **Instructional Methods:** 

2. Interpretation of lab data

3. Diagnostic tests - use/interpretation

4. Lecture/media 5. Independent study 6. Outpatient rounds 7. Inpatient rounds

**Evaluation methods employed:** 

1. Attendance

2. Case presentation

3. Case write-up

4. Faculty/resident observation

5. Narrative

Prerequisites: Successful completion of required Internal Medicine Clerkship.

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**Special Requirements:** None.

**AAMC Hot Topics** 4. Clinical Problem Solving and Decision Making

Addressed in this 8. Diagnostic Imaging

**Elective Clerkship:**