Title of Clerkship:	Palliative Medicine / Supportive Care, Hospice - ProMedica
Elective Year(s):	Fourth
Department:	Family Medicine
Type of Elective:	Clinical ✓ Non-Clinical/Research Basic Science
Clerkship Site:	Toledo Hospital, Flower Hospital, Outpatient Palliative Medicine / Supportive Care Clinic, Ebeid Inpatient Hospice
Course Number:	FMMD 713
Blocks Available:	All
Number of Students per Block: Faculty:	1 Dr. Sanjiv Josh
Elective Description / Requirements: Length of Clerkship:	This elective is designed to provide the student with an opportunity to understand the goals and objectives of Hospice and Palliative Medicine. Students will round with physicians, nurse practitioners, and nurses with the inpatient hospital service as well as in the inpatient hospice setting. Students will also work with the palliative physicians and nurse practitioners in the outpatient palliative medicine clinic and observe the Interdisciplinary Team process in the outpatient hospice setting. 4 weeks
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Links to Educational Program Objectives MK-8	Educational Course Objectives After completing the rotation, the student will be able to: Define hospice and palliative care services and explain these to patients and families.
MK-3, MK-8	Identify appropriate patients for referral to hospice and palliative care.
SBP-1, MK-12	Describe the eligibility criteria required for the Hospice Medicare Benefit.
PC-11, MK-16	Define the structure and function of the interdisciplinary team.
IPC-1, IPC-3	Demonstrate appropriate communication skills including an ability to give bad news and discuss resuscitation preferences using patient-centered communication techniques.
MK-6, MK-8	Conduct a pain assessment, differentiate between nociceptive and neuropathic pain, define appropriate uses for opioid medications and describe principles of regional pain management. Describe and apply ethical principles that inform decision making.
MK-9	
MK-8 MK-2, MK-4	Assess patients for non-pain symptoms common in palliative care and outline a basic approach to management of these conditions. Identify key prognostic factors used to predict survival.
MK-11, MK-12, MK-13	Demonstrate an ability to identify psychosocial distress and identify cultural and spiritual issues affecting the patient and family.
Professionalism:	UTCOMLS students will meet or exceed the institutional standards for professionalism as stated in the current Educational Program Objectives for the sponsoring department.
Instructional Methods:	Assigned readings Discussions with physicians and nurses Attendance at interdisciplinary team meetings Role play to assess communication skills Observation of clinical encounters between clinicians and patients/families

Evaluation Methods Employed:	Attendance Faculty evaluations Role Play Assessments
Prerequisites:	Successful completion of the third year required Family Medicine Clerkship
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Special Requirements:	None

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