Title of Clerkship:	Orthopaedic Surgery Research Elective – UTMC			
Elective Year(s):	Fourth Year			
Department:	Orthopaedic Surgery			
Type of Elective:	Clinical	Non-Clinical/Research X	Basic Science	
Clerkship Site:	The University of Toledo Medical Center			
Course Number:	ORTH 702			
Blocks Available:	All			
Number of Students/ Block:	Unlimited			
Faculty:	Nabil Ebrahiem, M.D.; Jiayong Liu, M.D.			
Elective Description/ Requirements:	A four-week research elective can be structured to involve investigation into most areas of orthopaedics according to the interest of the particular student.			
Length of Clerkship:	4 weeks			
Links to Core Competencies:	Educational Course Ob	bjectives:		
PBL-5			owledge, the desired level of knowledge, and the	
PBL-4	type of information needed to reach the desired level of knowledge.Compare and contrast the type of information found in each class of resources and to select sources based on the information needed.			
PBL-4	 Develop and execute search strategies in a variety of online resources that will effectively and efficiently produce precise search results. 			
IPC-1	4. Identify and use resources in support of presentation and publication, with the possibility of being an author.			
PBL-4 PBL-4	 Describe why some types of articles provide stronger evidence than others, and to use resources. Describe issues influencing information retrieval and use, including the structure of the scientific literature, and legal and ethical issues (copyright). 			
PBL-4	Develop a personal information management plan to keep on top of the literature in a specialty using technical tools.			
IPC-1	8. Demonstrate personal understanding of issues and application of skills through successful assistance in a research project			
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:	 Diagnostic tests – Independent study Interpretation of la Lecture 	 Independent study Interpretation of lab data Lecture 		
Evaluation Methods:		on of behavior observation and assessment of clinical skills. oject, which includes some reflections on perfor	mance	
Prerequisites:	Successful completion of required surgery clerkship			
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Special Requirements:	n/a			