

Longitudinal Curriculum at EPFM

The Longitudinal Curriculum (LC) is designed to meet several goals. These include:

1. Provide excellent clinical training across the breadth of Family Medicine
2. Provide a focus on ambulatory clinic experience, prioritizing continuity of care
3. Protect residents' wellness and work-life balance
4. Provide an emphasis on developing professionalism and physician leadership skills

To accomplish these goals, we've designed the LC with the following features:

1. Block rotations have been replaced by four 13-week Quarters. Each Quarter contains a variety of 1-2 week "rotations." There are a couple of exceptions to this:
 - a. R-1 Mary Bridge pediatrics is a 4-week rotation
 - b. R-3's have a 4-week Elective block, which allows for away rotations, if desired
2. Each resident sees patients in out-patient clinic on a daily basis, following a "Clinic First" philosophy. There are a couple of exceptions to this:
 - a. Family Medicine in-patient team sees clinic patients every other day
 - b. Residents on OB see clinic patients every other day
 - c. R1's on Mary Bridge Peds see clinic patient's weekly
 - d. Night Shift resident doesn't have clinic for the week of Night Shift
 - e. Thursdays are Didactics Day and are not scheduled for afternoon resident clinics
3. EPFM covers its in-patient Family Medicine service 24/7, 365 days per year.
4. Residents work in shifts, rather than taking call. Shifts are scheduled to be 12 hours long, and should never extend beyond 16 hours in length. (One exception to this would be if a resident were following a continuity OB patient.)

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3-Year Curriculum

PGY - 1

Family Medicine In-Patient	16 weeks
OB	8 weeks
Pediatrics	8 weeks
Clinic Block.....	4 weeks
Emergency Medicine	4 weeks
Surgery	4 weeks
Sports Medicine / Orthopedics	4 weeks
Elective	4 weeks

PGY - 2

Family Medicine In-Patient	9 to 10 weeks
OB	8 to 9 weeks
Pediatrics	4 weeks
Clinic Block.....	4 to 6 weeks
Night Shift	4 to 5 weeks
Adult Medicine	4 to 5 weeks
ICU	4 weeks
Geriatrics	4 weeks
Health Systems Management	4 weeks
Elective	4 weeks

PGY - 3

Family Medicine In-Patient	4 to 6 weeks
OB	2 weeks
Outpatient Peds	8 weeks
Clinic Block.....	5 to 9 weeks
Night Shift	4 weeks
Emergency Medicine	4 weeks
Gynecology	4 weeks
Sports Medicine / Orthopedics	4 weeks
Community Medicine	4 weeks
Dermatology	1 week
Behavioral Health	2 weeks
Chief	0 to 2 weeks
Elective	8 weeks

Vacation-ineligible weeks are Bolded

Additional Curriculum Incorporated throughout Residency

Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine (OMM/OMT)	Addiction Medicine
Office Procedures	Palliative Medicine

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Longitudinal Curriculum: R1 Year

QUARTER 1: JULY - SEPT													
	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	WK 7	WK 8	WK 9	WK 10	WK 11	WK 12	WK 13
A	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	FMED	FMED	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	MB Peds
B	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	Surg	Surg	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED
C	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	OB	OB	FMED
D	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Surg
E	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	OB
F	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	CLINIC	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Sp Ortho
QUARTER 2: OCT - DEC													
	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	WK 7	WK 8	WK 9	WK 10	WK 11	WK 12	WK 13
A	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg
B	FMED	Surg	Surg	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	OB	OB
C	FMED	SpOrtho	SpOrtho	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho
D	Surg	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	MB Peds	MB Peds
E	OB	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED
F	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Surg	Surg	OB	OB	FMED	FMED

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QUARTER 3: JAN - MAR													
	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	WK 7	WK 8	WK 9	WK 10	WK 11	WK 12	WK 13
A	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds
B	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	ED
C	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect
D	MB Peds	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	OB
E	Surg	Surg	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED
F	Sp Ortho	Sp Ortho	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED
QUARTER 4: APR - JUN													
	WK 1	WK 2	WK 3	WK 4	WK 5	WK 6	WK 7	WK 8	WK 9	WK 10	WK 11	WK 12	WK 13
A	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	OB	OB
B	ED	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED
C	Elect	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED
D	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds	MB Peds
E	FMED	ED	ED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect	Elect	FMED	FMED	ED	ED
F	FMED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	ED	ED	OB	OB	FMED	FMED	Elect	Elect

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