

FEEDBACK IN THE CLERKSHIP

Just as attending/resident feedback on your performance as a student is critical to your development and improvement as a future physician, your feedback on the clerkship is critical to the development and improvement of our educational program. We need you to help us improve the clerkship for future students. During the 12-week Integrated Clerkship for Primary Care and Psychiatry, you will have several opportunities to receive and give feedback:

Feedback on Your Performance

1. Your attending physician will provide formative feedback at the halfway point of each 4-week block of this clerkship.
 - a. This is accomplished when you and your main preceptor complete the mid-clerkship evaluation forms that may be found in your Record Book.
2. During your inpatient psychiatry rotation, you will work with an interview tutor and a write-up tutor, both of whom will provide you with formative and summative feedback.
3. During your adult primary care rotation, your preceptor(s) will observe you doing at least one interview and visit closure. He or she will meet with you after that observation exercise and also complete a form which may be found in your Record Book.
4. Also during the adult primary care rotation, your preceptor(s) will review three of your patient write ups and provide written comments on forms that may be found in the Record Book.
5. During your integrated month, you will have the opportunity for formative feedback at both your clinical sites in primary care and psychiatry as well as a session in the YSM simulation center.
6. In the last week of the 12-week clerkship, you will be provided a 100-question knowledge self-assessment examination. This exam, which does not count toward your final clerkship grade, will provide you with formative feedback on your knowledge of primary care and psychiatry.
7. Finally, we expect clinical preceptors to provide you with daily suggestions to improve your clinical skills and comments to reinforce skills you already have mastered.

Your Feedback to help us Improve the Clerkship

1. You may email or call clerkship directors Drs. Kernan and Wilkins at any time during the clerkship with questions, feedback, or any concerns that arise regarding your clerkship experience.
2. You will meet as a group with primary care and psychiatry attending physicians to provide feedback on your clerkship experience every 4 weeks during the clerkship.
3. You will meet with John Encandela at the end of your clerkship to provide him with feedback on your experience. Mr. Encandela is an independent evaluator who will collate your comments anonymously and summarize

them for presentation to the school leadership. At the start of your rotation, Mr. Encandela will contact you to ask you to help collecting information from you peers for presentation at your end-of-clerkship meeting.

4. Upon completion of the 12-week clerkship, you will be asked to complete an end-of-clerkship evaluation of both primary care and psychiatry in MedHub.