Longitudinal Integrated Clerkship is an innovative curricular design in healthcare education



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Traditional medical school curriculum in USA

1st Basic Science 2nd Basic Science 3rd
Clinical Rotations

4th
Elective Courses

USD SSOM CURRICULUM

1st year

2nd year

3rd year

4th year

Pillar 1 - 17 mo Basic Science Pillar 2 - 12 mo LIC Pillar 3 - 18 mo Residency Preparation

Longitudinal Integrated Clerkship

LIC philosophy

Spacing

Interleaving

Testing

Longitudinal

Integrated

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Relationship

LIC vs BASIC

Family Medicine
Internal Medicine
Neurology
OBGYN
Pediatrics
Psychiatry
Surgery

START

FINISH

Family Medicine	Internal Medicine	Neurology	OBGYN	Pediatrics	Psychiatry	Surgery

LIC MINIBLOCK

START

ORIENTATION & PHYSICAL DIAGNOSIS 2 wk

FAMILY MEDICINE 3 wk FAMILY MEDICINE

INTERNAL MEDICINE 1 wk

PED 1 wk

SURGERY 1 wk OB/GYN 1 wk PSYCHIATRY 1 wk



NEUROLOGY 1 wk



FINISH

LIC four-week module (35 wk total)

	S	Student	Weekly	Schedul	е	
1	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	
Week	OB/Gyn	Psychiatry	Family Med	Int Medicine	Surgery	A۱
3	Pediatrics				Friday Academy	РΝ
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7	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	
Week	Surgery	Psychiatry	Family Med	Int Medicine	OB/Gyn	A۱
3				Pediatrics	Friday Academy	PΝ
3	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	
Week	OB/Gyn	Surgery	Family Med	Int Medicine		A۱
	Pediatrics	Psychiatry			Friday Academy	PΝ
4	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	
Week		Surgery	Family Med	Int Medicine	OB/Gyn	A۱
				Neurology	Friday Academy	-

PILLAR 2

MB LIC LIC LIC LIC CC LIC LIC SCL EW OSCE

MB mini block

LIC longitudinal integrated clerkship

CC cultural colloquium

SCL student-centered learning

EW exam week

OSCE objective structured clinical examination

ASSESSMENT vs EVALUATION

ASSESSMENT - STUDENT

EVALUATION - PROGRAM

ASSESSMENT

LIC ASSESSMENT:

- Discipline grades
- Competency grades
- Supporting courses