

Curriculum Content Report

Medical Economics

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Required Curriculum

M1

Profession of Medicine – healthcare systems including insurance, costs, and access

Case Oriented Learning – in context of CHF case

- in context of lifelong treatment of spina bifida
- in context of fetal alcohol syndrome
- in context of payment for dialysis
- in context of renal failure case
- in context of uninsured patient with hepatitis B
- in context of genetic disorder (2 cases)
- in context of diabetes treatment

M2

M3

Rural Primary Care Track Clerkship –costs and access

Community Medicine Clerkship –hospital finances

M4

Keystone Course - Healthcare Systems, Healthcare reform, medical jurisprudence

Outcomes

2012 Program Directors Survey

Rate the resident's systems-based practice abilities:

	Outstanding	Excellent	Satisfactory	Fair
Awareness of the types of available healthcare coverage	2 (4.08%)	11 (22.45%)	34 (69.39%)	0 (0.00%)
Appreciation for providing cost effective care	4 (8.16%)	9 (18.37%)	34 (69.39%)	0 (0.00%)

AAMC Graduation Questionnaire 2012

Question 13	% inadequate	% appropriate	%excessive
Medical economics			
East Tennessee 2011	58.1	41.9	0.0
East Tennessee 2012	61.5	38.5	0.0
All Schools 2012	62.5	37.2	0.4