

# Family Medicine Procedures ENRH-154

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## Introduction:

Students in their first and second years of medical school have occasional opportunities to attend hands-on workshops and skills sessions. This document describes an elective that provides a comprehensive, semester-long educational experience to this effect for interested students.

We aim to provide engaging, relevant, hands-on training to students early in their medical school careers. We also want to introduce students to the broad and diverse array of procedures performed by family physicians in the community.

## Objectives:

- To introduce students to common procedures used across multiple disciplines
- To expose students to in-office procedures and diagnoses common to family medicine
- To demonstrate the breadth of practice often encountered in family medicine
- To provide opportunities for interaction between faculty, residents, and staff of the Department of Family and Community Medicine and the student body

## Format:

The course is listed as a pre-clerkship elective available to all medical students. In order for the course to proceed, a minimum of 5 students must be enrolled, and enrollment will be capped at 26 students. We will create a waitlist for non-enrolled students to participate in individual sessions if enrolled students are unable to attend.

- The class will contain both lecture and hands-on components
- There will be a total of 12 hours of instruction provided

- Fourth-year students, residents, and faculty will be present to help with demonstration and guidance in mastering the procedures
- Materials and equipment will be provided by the Department of Family and Community Medicine

**Student Evaluation:**

Course will be pass/fail. Students must attend at least five sessions in order to receive credit. Attendance will be taken at each session.

**Course Evaluation:**

Students will also need to complete a course evaluation (REDCap) at the end of the course in order to receive transcript acknowledgment.