

International Cultural Immersion Experience (Zambia)

FMLY 9435

Special Permission Required

Course Description	This course will expose students to medicine as it is practiced in the developing world in the context of a medical mission program in an impoverished area that has been severely impacted by the epidemic of HIV.
Course Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide effective treatment for major tropical diseases such as malaria, dysentery and others using limited resources • Manage HIV infection with limited resources and explain how this management plan can be systemized. • Describe and implement programs of assistance through community engagement in highly stressed areas. • Describe the culture specific to Africa and the impact on the healthcare of the region. • Discuss the impact of how this experience will contribute to the student's future career as a physician
Course Activities	Students will participate in a variety of activities with the medical team while in Mwandi, Zambia, including: daily reflective conferences, outreach clinics, hospitalized rounds and treatment, health care programs and nutrition programs for orphans.
Course Schedule Requirements	Night call while on site mission for pediatric emergencies

Duration	4 weeks	Location	Zambia
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Designation	Primary Care, Elective	Revised	04.11.2019
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