	In this course, students will learn the skills necessary to provide outpatient primary care to patients of all ages.			
Course Description	primary care to patients of all ages.			
Course Objectives	 Students will become familiar with presentation and management of common problems in adults and children who present to their primary care physician. Students will learn how to provide preventive health services to both adult and children. Students will learn the guidelines for preventive services from birth through geriatric age. To discuss common ambulatory topics in Medicine and Pediatrics. Medicine: Hypertension, Diabetes Mellitus, Hyperlipidemia, Low Back Pain, Allergic Rhinitis, Depression, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Nicotine Addiction, Obesity, Headaches, Acute Musculoskeletal Injuries Pediatrics: Well Child Visits, Acute Otitis Media, Asthma, Acute Musculoskeletal Injuries, Upper Respiratory Infections, Acute Gastroenteritis, Fever, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, Behavioral Disorders, Acute Pharyngitis To become familiar with performing histories and physical examinations on both adult and pediatric outpatients in the same clinic session To learn basic office management such as billing, scheduling, and telephone triage. To learn basic skills using the ambulatory medical record. To perform basic office procedures, including cryotherapy, joint aspiration and injection, abscess incision and drainage, skin tag removal, cerumen extraction and irrigation, and EKG interpretation To provide counseling to patients using a patient centered approach. To become familiar with the systems-based management of chronic diseases. Lifelong Learning Habits To learn how dual boarded physicians keep up to date with the literature and apply it to patient care. 			
Course Activities	One-on-one sessions with a Med-Peds attending preceptor centered around patient encounters shall take place daily at the ECU Physicians Adult and Pediatric Health Care office located at Moye Medical Center II. Time will be given between morning and afternoon			



clinic sessions for lunch. Occasional half day sessions will be
designated as reading time intended for self-directed study.

- Students will apply interviewing, examination, and assessment skills by seeing patients alone and presenting to attending preceptor who will then confirm the students assessments.
- There will also be opportunities for students to perform complete clinical encounters while being directly observed by the attending preceptor.
- Students will perform all procedures under direct supervision of the attending preceptor.
- The student will work solely at ECU Physicians: Adult and Pediatric Health Care located at MMC II.
- Students will receive mid-course, formative feedback on their performance directly from the course director and other precepting faculty in a face to face meeting.
- Students will participate in weekly resident conferences, including the MedicinePediatrics Residency Program journal club, board review, business meeting, and case conference, Pediatrics Grand Rounds, and Internal Medicine Grand Rounds

Course Schedule Requirements

No on-call requirement. Student is present during usual clinical hours (8:00am – 5:00pm, Monday – Friday, excluding holidays as determined by the ECU calendar).

Duration	4 Weeks	Location	Adult and Pediatric Health Care Clinic-BSOM	
			Moye Medical Center II	

Designation	Primary Care, Elective	Revised	8.23.2017
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