

Course Description	The purpose of this course is to familiarize the student with recognition, stabilization, and treatment of the critically ill pediatric patient.
Course Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognize a pediatric patient who requires treatment in an ICU environment • Identify the steps necessary to stabilize a critically ill pediatric patient until the patient can reach the ICU • Identify common diagnoses that require admission to the PICU • Complete a comprehensive history and physical examination on a critically ill pediatric patient • Perform basic procedures such as starting intravenous lines and performing arterial sticks • Coordinate care among all providers by practicing effective professional communication of the immediate and ultimate care plans to all of those involved. • Perform a pediatric sedation and management of a pediatric airway
Course Activities	Students in this course will participate in work rounds, attending/teaching rounds, and conferences. They will participate in direct patient management and care and communicate and collaborate as part of a team of intensive care providers. This course requires students to read journal articles and textbooks relative to patients and their management. Students in this course will be supervised by senior residents.
Course Schedule Requirements	Students are expected to pre-round each morning and be ready to for patient rounds (typically at 8:30 AM). All resident educational conferences are to be attended unless specifically excused. Night float shifts (including weekends) and weekend rounding are required within the duty hours regulations.

Duration	4 Weeks	Location	Vidant Medical Center
Designation	ICU, Elective		Revised 7.19.2019