

RURAL SCHOLARS CURRICULUM

<p style="text-align: center;">Rural Scholars Year 1 (Fourth Year Medical School)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All MS4 medical school requirements must be met• MS4 electives are structured to enhance history-taking and physical diagnosis skills, clinical decision-making and ambulatory care• MS4 rotations with the Department of Family Medicine include: Sub I on the family medicine inpatient wards service, structured outpatient rotation in the Family Medicine Practice, research/community rotation• Participation in one AHEC rural immersion in the community of your choice
<p style="text-align: center;">Rural Scholars Year 2 (PGY-1)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Resembles standard PGY-1 Family Medicine Resident curriculum• 1-2 half-days per week longitudinal patient care in the Family Medicine Clinic• Continued relationship with community of interest through Community-oriented Primary Care Project• Participation in Rural Scholars lunch and learn sessions and other activities
<p style="text-align: center;">Rural Scholars Year 3 (PGY-2)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Resembles standard PGY-2 Family Medicine Resident curriculum• 3-5 half-days per week of longitudinal patient care in the Family Medicine Clinic• 2 months of West Virginia rural rotations (one being Family Medicine and the other an elective)• Participation in Practice Management month which will include practice management in a rural setting. Attend one meeting at a rural clinic site.• Continued relationship with community of interest through Community-Oriented Primary Care Project• Participation in monthly Rural Scholars lunch and learn sessions and other activities

<p>Rural Scholars Year 4 (PGY-3)</p> <p>Rural Scholars Year 4 Cont. (PGY-3)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advanced Rural Fellowship-type curriculum focusing on Obstetrics and Women’s Health, and/or Rural Practice Management, and/or Rural Public Health, and Electives• 3-5 half-days per week of longitudinal patient care in the Family Medicine Clinic• Leadership Development Seminar Course• Attendance at the State Rural Health Conference or a comparable experience approved by the Program Directors• Completion of the Community-Oriented Primary Care Project with written report and submission for publication
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