

BLOCK 6

2023-2024

Attendance*



Live Session @ CUSOM



Live Session / Quiz @ Remote Viewing (100% Mandatory Attendance)



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Prerecorded Session



Live Exam / Quiz @ CUSOM (100% Mandatory Attendance)



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Student Hours

Students are strongly encouraged to reach out and contact Course Directors and teaching faculty to arrange meeting times to discuss course content.

BLOCK 6 WEEK 1

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Time	Monday, October 9, 2023		Tuesday, October 10, 2023	Wednesday, October 11, 2023	Thursday, October 12, 2023	Friday, October 13, 2023	Time		
8:30	Hematology 01		Dermatology 01	Hematology 04	Renal 06	Integrated Quiz 1	8:30		
	Common Hematologic Presentations		Common Skin Disorders I	Coag Unit: Introduction to Coagulation Disorders	Regulation of Salt and Water Balance	10/09/23 - 10/11/23			
9:00	Dr. Cappola		Dr. Crane	Dr. Kasbari	Dr. Petrović	Quiz Review	9:00		
9:30	Renal 01		Dermatology 02	Hematology 05	Renal 07	PCC 01	9:30		
	Renal Structure and Histology		Common Skin Disorders II	Coag Unit: Thrombotic Disorders	Disorders of Water Balance - Hyponatremia and Hypernatremia	Introduction to Patient Safety			
10:00	Dr. Brenseke		Dr. Crane	Dr. Kasbari	Dr. Petrović	Dr. Kaprielian	10:00		
10:30	Renal 02		Hematology 02	Renal 04	Dermatology 03	PCC 02	10:30		
11:00	Glomerular Filtration, Renal Blood Flow Regulation		Coag Unit: Hemostasis & Lab Testing I	Renal Tubular Reabsorption / Secretion	Basic Science of the Skin	QI & Organizational Culture			
	Dr. Zhu		Dr. Fink	Dr. Zhu	Dr. Brenseke	Dr. Kaprielian	11:00		
11:30	Renal 03		Hematology 03	Renal 05	OMM 01	FMP 01	11:30		
12:00	Introduction to Renal Pathology		Coag Unit: Hemostasis & Lab Testing II	Renal Clearance and Measurement of GFR and RBF	SDL: Osteopathic Approach to GU Patient & Introduction to Facilitated Positional Release (FPR)	Fair Use & Plagiarism			
	Dr. Proia		Dr. Fink	Dr. Zhu	Dr. Gish	Mr. Bahnman	12:00		
12:30	Lunch	Clinical Skills 01	Study Time	Grand Rounds	Lunch	FMP 02	12:30		
1:00		Motivational Interviewing (SDL)				Image Resources	1:00		
	Dr. Pennings	Mr. Bahnman							
1:30	Clinical Skills 02			Study Time	OMM Lab 01	Study Time	1:30		
2:00	3 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)				Scanning / Screening of Genitourinary System & Introduction to FPR (Articular vs Soft Tissue)		2:00		
2:30						FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL	2:30		
3:00					GROUP B		3:00		
3:30					OMM Lab 01	Clinical Skills 03	3:30		
4:00					Scanning / Screening of Genitourinary System & Introduction to FPR (Articular vs Soft Tissue)	Delivering Bad News (SDL)	4:00		
4:30						Dr. Marlowe	4:30		
5:00						Study Time	5:00		
5:30	GROUP A	5:30							
					Week 1 Content - Due 5 pm				
					Study Time				

BLOCK 6 WEEK 2

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Time	Monday, October 16, 2023	Tuesday, October 17, 2023	Wednesday, October 18, 2023	Thursday, October 19, 2023	Friday, October 20, 2023	Time
8:30	Renal 08	Dermatology 04	Renal 12	Hematology 10	Integrated Quiz 2	8:30
9:00	Disorders of Salt Balance and Diuretic Therapy Dr. Petrović	Dermatopathology Dr. Brenseke	Potassium Balance: Physiology and Disorders Dr. Petrović	Coag Unit: Case-based Application I Dr. Cappola	10/12/23 - 10/18/23 Quiz Review OPTIONAL	9:00
9:30	Hematology 06	Hematology 09	Renal 13	Hematology 11	Clinical Skills 05	9:30
10:00	Coag Unit: Antiplatelet and Anticoagulation Treatment Dr. Kasbari	Coag Unit: Hemorrhagic Fever Dr. Kuo	Approach to Acid Base Disorders Dr. Vaidya	Coag Unit: Case-based Application II Dr. Cappola	Small Group Clinical Case (1 Hour Sessions)	10:00
10:30	Hematology 07	Renal 09	Dermatology 05	Renal 14	Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)	10:30
11:00	Coag Unit: Bleeding Disorders I Dr. Kasbari	Acid Base Physiology I Dr. Zhu	Viral Infections I Drs. Hamrick / Langdon	Calcium and Phosphorous Balance: Physiology and Disorders Dr. Vaidya		11:00
11:30	Hematology 08		Dermatology 06	OMM 02		11:30
12:00	Coag Unit: Bleeding Disorders II Dr. Kasbari	Lunch	Viral Infections II Drs. Hamrick / Langdon	Osteopathic Approach to Upper Urinary System (Flank Pain) Dr. Hon		12:00
12:30	Lunch	Renal 10		Lunch	Study Time	12:30
1:00		Acid Base Physiology II Dr. Zhu				1:00
1:30	Clinical Skills 04	Renal 11		OMM Lab 02		1:30
2:00		Metabolic Acidosis & Alkalosis Dr. Petrović		FPR of Cervical, Thoracic, & Lumbar Spine		2:00
2:30					FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL	2:30
3:00				GROUP B OMM Lab 02		3:00
3:30	2 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)					3:30
4:00		Study Time		FPR of Cervical, Thoracic, & Lumbar Spine	Study Time	4:00
4:30			OMM Pre-Session 0 Week 2 Content - Due 5 pm			4:30
5:00				GROUP A		5:00
5:30			Study Time			5:30

BLOCK 6 WEEK 3

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Time	Monday, October 23, 2023	Tuesday, October 24, 2023	Wednesday, October 25, 2023	Thursday, October 26, 2023	Friday, October 27, 2023	Time
8:30	Renal 15	Renal 16	Hematology 15	Hematology 19	Integrated Quiz 3	8:30
9:00	Common Presentations of Renal Disease Dr. Vaidya	Clinical Aspects of Acute Renal Injury Dr. Voora	RBC Unit: Introduction to RBC Disorders Dr. Stewart	RBC Unit: Polycythemia Dr. Maharty	10/19/23 - 10/25/23 Quiz Review OPTIONAL	9:00
9:30	Hematology 12		Dermatology 07	Hematology 16	Dermatology 10	FMP 03
10:00	RBC Unit: Red Blood Cell Morphology Dr. Brenseke	Skin Pigment Disorders and Burns Drs. Fink / Baright	RBC Unit: Erythropoiesis and Diagnostic Tools Dr. Proia	Immune-mediated Skin Disorders Dr. Hamrick	Determining an Article's Impact Mr. Bahnaman	10:00
10:30	Hematology 13	Dermatology 08	Hematology 17	Renal 18	FMP 04	10:30
11:00	RBC Unit: Biochemistry of Erythrocytes I Dr. Lushia	Blistering, Ulcers and Trauma Dr. Agnello	RBC Unit: Microcytic Anemia Dr. Proia	Case Based Application I Drs. Petrović / Vaidya	Planning & Executing a Systematic Review Mr. Bahnaman / Dr. Dogbey	11:00
11:30	Hematology 14	Renal 17	Lunch	OMM 03	PCC 03	11:30
12:00	RBC Unit: Biochemistry of Erythrocytes II Dr. Lushia	Lab Evaluation of Patient with Kidney Disease Dr. Vaidya		Osteopathic Approach to Lower Urinary System (Infections & Outflow Conditions) Dr. Russell	Anatomy of an Error Part I Dr. Khandelwal	12:00
12:30	Lunch	Lunch	Dermatology 09	Lunch	PCC 04	12:30
1:00			Arthropod Bites - Stings Dr. Powers		Anatomy of an Error Part II Dr. Khandelwal	1:00
1:30	Clinical Skills 07	Clinical Skills 08	Hematology 18	OMM Lab 03	Study Time	1:30
2:00	2 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)	Ultrasound (1 Hour Sessions)	RBC Unit: Macrocytic Anemia Dr. Proia	FPR of Lumbar Spine & Pelvis		2:00
2:30			Study Time			GROUP B OMM Lab 03
3:00				OMM Pre-Session 03 Week 3 Content - Due 5 pm		
3:30			Study Time			GROUP A
4:00				Study Time		
4:30			Study Time			GROUP A
5:00				Study Time		
5:30			Study Time			GROUP A

BLOCK 6 WEEK 4

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Time	Monday, October 30, 2023	Tuesday, October 31, 2023	Wednesday, November 1, 2023	Thursday, November 2, 2023	Friday, November 3, 2023		Time
8:30	Integrated Exam 1	Renal 19	Renal 22	Renal 26	Integrated Quiz 4		8:30
9:00	Weeks 1 - 3 & Review	Chronic Renal Disease Dr. Jawa	Glomerular Diseases - Clinical & Pathology I Drs. Proia / Vaidya	Transplant Immunology & Immunosuppressive Drugs for Transplantation Dr. Hamrick	10/31/23 - 11/01/23 Quiz Review OPTIONAL		9:00
9:30		Renal 20	Renal 23	Hematology 20	Clinical Skills 10	Clinical Skills 11	9:30
10:00		Chronic Renal Disease - Dialysis & Transplantation Dr. Jawa	Glomerular Diseases - Clinical & Pathology II Drs. Proia / Vaidya	RBC Unit: Transfusion Medicine I Dr. Hamrick	Small Group Clinical Case (1 Hour Sessions)	Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)	10:00
10:30		Dermatology 11	Renal 24	Hematology 21			10:30
11:00		Bacterial Infections Drs. Crane / Hamrick	Tubulointerstitial Disease Drs. Proia / Vaidya	RBC Unit: Transfusion Medicine II Dr. Cappola			11:00
11:30		Dermatology 12	Renal 25	OMM 04	Lunch		11:30
12:00		Study Time	Fungal Infections Drs. Crane / Hamrick	Urinary Tract Infections & Pyelonephritis (90 mins) Drs. Kuo / Vaidya	Osteopathic Approach to Pelvic Pain (Reproductive System Pain Syndromes & Coccydynia) Dr. Bringham	BLOCKS & BOARDS II (ACE) - OPTIONAL	12:00
12:30		Lunch	Renal 21		Lunch		12:30
1:00	Kidneys in Systemic Disease Dr. Vaidya		Study Time	OMM Lab 04		CLUB FAIR	1:00
1:30	Clinical Skills 09	Review of Sacrum / Pelvis (FPR, MET, BLT, CS)			FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL		1:30
2:00	3 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)			Study Time		GROUP B OMM Lab 04	Study Time
2:30		OMM Pre-Session 04 Week 4 Content - Due 5 pm			Review of Sacrum / Pelvis (FPR, MET, BLT, CS)		
3:00				Study Time		GROUP A	Study Time
3:30		Study Time			Study Time		
4:00				Study Time		Study Time	Study Time
4:30		Study Time			Study Time		
5:00			Study Time	Study Time		Study Time	5:00
5:30		Study Time			Study Time		Study Time

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Time	Monday, November 6, 2023	Tuesday, November 7, 2023	Wednesday, November 8, 2023	Thursday, November 9, 2023	Friday, November 10, 2023	Time		
8:30	Hematology 22	Dermatology 13	Hematology 25	Hematology 27	Integrated Quiz 5	8:30		
9:00	RBC Unit: Normocytic Anemia I	Skin Cancer I	RBC Unit: Case-based Application I	WBC Unit: Introduction to WBC Disorders	11/02/23 - 11/08/23	9:00		
	Dr. Proia	Dr. Crane	Dr. Proia	Dr. Graham	Quiz Review			
9:30	Hematology 23	Dermatology 14	Hematology 26	Hematology 28	OPTIONAL	9:30		
	RBC Unit: Normocytic Anemia II	Skin Cancer II	RBC Unit: Case-based Application II	WBC Unit: White Blood Cell Morphology	PCC 05			
10:00	Dr. Proia	Dr. Crane	Dr. Proia	Dr. Brenseke	Medication Safety	10:00		
	Dr. Proia	Dr. Crane	Dr. Proia	Dr. Brenseke	Dr. Kaprielian			
10:30	Renal 27	Renal 29	Dermatology 15	Renal 31	PCC 06	10:30		
11:00	Case Based Applications II	IV Fluid Therapy	Parasitic Infections	Hypertension and the Kidney	Team STEPPS	11:00		
	Drs. Petrović / Vaidya	Dr. Jain	Dr. Hinkelman	Dr. Vaidya	Dr. Kaprielian			
11:30	Renal 28	Renal 30	Dermatology 16	OMM 05	FMP 05	11:30		
12:00	Life with Kidney Failure	Immunosuppressive Drugs	Pediatric Dermatology I	CBL: Osteopathic Approach to Edema	Scientific Writing	12:00		
	Dr. Vaidya	Dr. Harris	Dr. Langdon	Dr. Motyka	Dr. Hamrick			
12:30	Lunch	Hematology 24	Dermatology 17	Lunch	FMP 06	12:30		
1:00	Clinical Skills 12	RBC Unit: Hematopoietic Drugs	Pediatric Dermatology II		Scientific Publishing	Dr. Hamrick	1:00	
1:30	Simulation #1 (1 Hour Sessions)	Dr. Harris	Dr. Langdon	OMM Lab 05	Clinical Skills 13		1:30	
2:00		Formative OSCE	Study Time	Treatment of Edema / 7 Functional Diaphragms / Zink's Patterns	Formative OSCE	Study Time	2:00	
2:30							FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL	2:30
3:00						Study Time		Study Time
3:30							OMM Pre-Session 05	
4:00			Week 5 Content - Due 5 pm	Treatment of Edema / 7 Functional Diaphragms / Zink's Patterns	Study Time	4:00		
4:30			Study Time	Treatment of Edema / 7 Functional Diaphragms / Zink's Patterns		Study Time	4:30	
5:00							GROUP A	Study Time
5:30					5:30			

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Time	Monday, November 13, 2023	Tuesday, November 14, 2023	Wednesday, November 15, 2023	Thursday, November 16, 2023	Friday, November 17, 2023		Time		
8:30	Renal 32	Hematology 30	Hematology 33	Hematology 36	Integrated Quiz 6		8:30		
	Case Based Approach to Glomerular Diseases I Dr. Jain	WBC Unit: Lymphoma: Pathology Dr. Proia	WBC Unit: Lymphoma: Clinical Dr. Kasbari	RBC Unit: Heme in Pregnancy Dr. Holder	11/09/23 - 11/15/23				
Quiz Review					9:00				
9:00						OPTIONAL			
9:30	Renal 33	Hematology 31	Hematology 34	Dermatology 19	Clinical Skills 15	Clinical Skills 16	9:30		
	Case Based Approach to Glomerular Diseases II Dr. Jain	WBC Unit: Acute Leukemia Dr. Proia	WBC Unit: Chronic Leukemia Dr. Kasbari	Pharmacologic Treatment of Common Skin Conditions I Dr. Li	Small Group Clinical Case A (1 Hour Sessions)	Small Group Clinical Case B (1 Hour Sessions)			
10:00									
10:30	Hematology 29	Renal 34	Hematology 35	Dermatology 20					10:30
	WBC Unit: Chromosomal Translocations and Clusters of Differentiation Dr. Cappola	Drug Dosage in Renal Disease Dr. Li	WBC Unit: Plasma Cell Neoplasms Dr. Kasbari	Pharmacologic Treatment of Common Skin Conditions II Dr. Li					11:00
11:30	Dermatology 18	Hematology 32	Lunch	OMM 06	Study Time		11:30		
	Melanoma - Genetics and Immunotherapy	WBC Unit: Microbial Oncogenesis		Intermediate Cranial Evaluation & Treatment			12:00		
12:00	Dr. Lushia	Dr. Kuo		Dr. Motyka					
12:30	Lunch	Lunch	Renal 35	Lunch			12:30		
1:00			Urological Aspects of Kidney Disease I - Approach to Hematuria, Renal Masses Drs. Vaidya / Larson				1:00		
1:30	Clinical Skills 14A	Clinical Skills 14B	Renal 36	OMM Lab 06			1:30		
2:00	2 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)	3 Station Workshop (1 Hour Sessions)	Urological Aspects of Kidney Disease II - Obstructive Uropathy Drs. Vaidya / Larson	Intermediate Cranial Evaluation & Treatment	FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL		2:00		
2:30			Study Time				GROUP B	2:30	
3:00				OMM Lab 06				3:00	
3:30			Study Time	Intermediate Cranial Evaluation & Treatment	Study Time	3:30			
4:00							4:00		
4:30						OMM Pre-Session 06	4:30		
						Week 6 Content - Due 5 pm			
5:00			Study Time			5:00			
5:30			GROUP A		5:30				

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Time	Monday, November 20, 2023	Tuesday, November 21, 2023		Wednesday, November 22, 2023	Thursday, November 23, 2023	Friday, November 24, 2023	Time	
8:30	Integrated Exam 2	Hematology 37		Thanksgiving Holiday	Thanksgiving Holiday	Thanksgiving Holiday	8:30	
9:00	Weeks 4 - 6 & Review	WBC Unit: Myeloproliferative Neoplasm and MDS Dr. Proia					9:00	
9:30		Renal 37					9:30	
10:00		Congenital and Pediatric Renal Disease Dr. Westreich					10:00	
10:30		Renal 38					10:30	
11:00		Pediatric Urogenital Disease Dr. Westreich					11:00	
11:30		Hematology 38					11:30	
12:00		Lunch	WBC Unit: Oncology Emergencies Dr. Vaidya				12:00	
12:30		Clinical Skills 17	Lunch				Hematology 39 WBC Unit: Chemotherapy for Heme Malignancies Dr. Harris	12:30
1:00	Final OSCE	Clinical Skills 17	PCC 07				1:00	
1:30			The Impaired Physician Sarah Bowman				1:30	
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Time	Monday, November 27, 2023	Tuesday, November 28, 2023	Wednesday, November 29, 2023	Thursday, November 30, 2023	Friday, December 1, 2023	Time
8:30	Hematology 40	Hematology 44	Renal 41	Hematology 49	Integrated Quiz 7	8:30
9:00	WBC Unit: Primary Immunodeficiency I Drs. Hamrick / Langdon	WBC Unit: Special Topics in Pediatric Hematology Dr. DeMeo	Urological Aspects of Kidney Disease III Urological Cancers Dr. Bjurlin	WBC Unit: Case-based Application I Dr. Cappola	11/21/23 - 11/29/23 Quiz Review OPTIONAL	9:00
9:30	Hematology 41	Hematology 45	Renal 42	Hematology 50	PCC 08 Group A	9:30
10:00	WBC Unit: Primary Immunodeficiency II Drs. Hamrick / Langdon	WBC Unit: Benign Lymphadenopathy Dr. Cappola	Urological Aspects of Kidney Disease IV - Kidney Stones Dr. Viprakasit	WBC Unit: Case-based Application II Dr. Cappola	Small Group Case Study Dr. Cacioppo	10:00
10:30	Hematology 42	Renal 39	Hematology 47	Renal 44	PCC 08 Group B	10:30
11:00	WBC Unit: Infectious Considerations in Hematologic Disorders I Dr. Kuo	Toxicology I Dr. Powers	WBC Unit: HIV/AIDS Microbiology Drs. Hinkelman / Cieza	Case Based Applications III Dr. Vaidya	Small Group Case Study Dr. Cacioppo	11:00
11:30	Hematology 43	Renal 40	Hematology 48	OMM 07	FMP 07	11:30
12:00	WBC Unit: Infectious Considerations in Hematologic Disorders II Dr. Kuo	Toxicology II Dr. Powers	WBC Unit: HIV/AIDS Pharmacology Dr. Li	Interactive Question Session Dr. Hon	Design for Posters and Presentations Dr. Hamrick	12:00
12:30	Lunch	Hematology 46	Renal 43	Lunch	FMP 08	12:30
1:00		WBC Unit: Immune Memory Dr. Hamrick	Imaging of Urinary Tract Dr. Larson		In Class Activity - You be the Judge (Evaluating Posters) Drs. Hamrick / Dogbey & Mr. Bahnaman	1:00
1:30	Clinical Skills 18			OMM Lab 07	Lunch	1:30
2:00						2:00
2:30				Small Group Discussions: GU Conditions, Practical Exam Review		2:30
3:00			Study Time	GROUP B OMM Lab 07	FINANCIAL LITERACY	3:00
3:30	Simulation #2 (1 Hour Sessions)	Study Time				3:30
4:00					FMP WORKSHOP - OPTIONAL	4:00
4:30			OMM Pre-Session 07 Week 8 Content - Due 5 pm	Small Group Discussions: GU Conditions, Practical Exam Review		4:30
5:00			Study Time		Study Time	5:00
5:30				GROUP A		5:30

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Time	Monday, December 4, 2023	Tuesday, December 5, 2023	Wednesday, December 6, 2023	Thursday, December 7, 2023	Friday, December 8, 2023	Time
8:30	Study Time	Integrated Exam 3	Study Time	OMM Written Exam	Study Time	8:30
9:00		Weeks 7 - 8 & Review		Written Exam & Review		9:00
9:30						9:30
10:00				APPS Committee Meeting (MANDATORY - ANY COURSE FAILURE Per ACADEMIC BULLETIN)		10:00
10:30					10:30	
11:00					11:00	
11:30					11:30	
12:00		Study Time			12:00	
12:30					12:30	
1:00					1:00	
1:30		OMM Practical			1:30	
2:00		OM Lab			2:00	
2:30					2:30	
3:00				3:00		
3:30		Remediation Starts		3:30		
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