



2010/2011
ACADEMIC
CALENDAR
SUMMARY

(REV. 03/03/10)

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this information however The University reserves the right to make changes due to uncontrollable or unforeseen circumstances.

*State and Federal holidays are indicated, however students in the clinical years must follow the holiday schedule at their clinical sites.

Overnight call is expected of third and fourth year students.

**Please note, All Jewish holidays start at sunset the day before they are listed here.

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	MONTH	DATE/S	CLASS	EVENT
2010	JUNE	30	3	Clinical Years Orientation (6/30-7/2)
	JULY	5	*	Independence Day (Holiday)
		6	1	Registration (7/6-8/4)
		6	4	Begin Month 1 (M1 = 7/6-7/30)
		6	3	Begin Block 1A (7/6-8/13)
	AUGUST	2	4	Begin Month 2 (M2 = 8/2-8/27)
		11	1	Academic Year begins /Transition to Medical School (8/11&12)
		11	1	First Year Parent Orientation (Alumni/Parent Relations)
		12	2	Academic Year Begins
		16	3	Begin Block 1B (8/16-9/23)
		17	2	Welcome Back Luncheon
		20	1/2	Activities Fair
		30	4	Begin Month 3 (M3 = 8/30-9/24)
	SEPTEMBER	6	*	Labor Day (Holiday)
		9	**	Rosh Hashanah **
		16	All	Convocation
		18	**	Yom Kippur **
		24 & 27	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)
		27	4	Begin Month 4 (M4 = 9/27-10/22)
		28	3	Begin Block 2A (9/28-11/4)
	OCTOBER	11	*	Columbus Day (Holiday)
		25	4	Begin Month 5 (M5= 10/25 -11/19)
	NOVEMBER	5	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)
		8	3	Begin Block 2B (11/08 -12/17)
		11	*	Veteran's Day (Holiday)
		22	4	Begin Month 6 (M6= 11/22 -12/17)
		25	*	Thanksgiving Day (Holiday)
		26	1/2	Day after Thanksgiving (Holiday)
		29	1	The Big Picture - Life in (and after) Medical School
	DECEMBER	2	**	Chanukah
		2 & 3	4	EOTYA retest dates (applies only to students taking retest)
		20	3/4	Vacation/Winter Break (12/20-1/2/11)
		20	1/2	End of Fall Semester
		21	1/2	Vacation/Winter Break (12/21- 1/2/11)
		23	*	Day before Christmas (Holiday) Christmas Day (Holiday)
2011	JANUARY	1	*	New Year's Day (Holiday)
		3	1/2	Start of Spring Semester
		3	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)
		3	3	Career Day – Part 1 (following interclerkship)
		3	4	Begin Month 7 (M7 = 1/3-1/28)
		4	3	Begin Block 3A (1/4-2/10)
		17	*	Martin Luther King Day Holiday
		31	4	Begin Month 8 (M8 = 1/31-2/25)
	FEBRUARY	11	3	Career Day – Part 2
		14	3	Begin Block 3B (2/14- 3/24)
		21	*	President's Day (Holiday)
		28	4	Begin Month 9 (M9 = 2/28-3/25)
	MARCH	14	2	Spring Vacation (3/14-3/20)
		17	4	Match Day
		21	2	Introduction to Clerkships
		25	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)
		28	1/3/4	Spring Vacation (3/28-4/3)
	APRIL	4	3	Career Day - Part 3: "Soup to Nuts" (following Interclerkship)
		4	4	Begin Month 10 (M10 = 4/4-4/29)
		4 & 5	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)
		6	3	Begin Block 4A (4/6-5/13)
		TBA	2	Second Year Oath Ceremony
		13	All	Berlin Award Ceremony
		18	*	Patriot's Day (Holiday)
		18	**	First Seder
		19	**	Passover
	MAY	2	4	Begin Month 11 (M11= 5/2-5/27)
		16	3	Begin Block 4B (5/16-6/23)
		20	2	End of classes and exams for Spring semester
		24	3	End of Third Year Assessment / EOTYA (5/24-6/10) Student assigned 1 day
		27	1	Last Day of classes
		30	*	Memorial Day (Holiday)
		31	4	Certification for Graduation Week (5/31-6/3)
		31	4	Begin Month 12 (M12= 5/31-6/24) extended students or approved grad. students only
	JUNE	1 - 3	4	Transition to Internship course
		3	4	Graduation Breakfast
		5	4	Commencement
		24	3/4	InterClerkship Experience (optional for M4)