

December 2018

LPP 2 Preceptor

Hope you all had a nice Thanksgiving! The semester is winding down and final exams are starting soon so students may not be available to do too many more sessions this semester. Hopefully students have completed all or most of the sessions for the year. If not completed, they still have time to complete the 6 required sessions by the end of January 2019.

If you still have some sessions left with your student, take a few minutes to sit down and discuss the student's progress over the last 1.5 years (or few months if they are new to you). You should have received an OASIS preceptor evaluation for your student at this point. The students will also be getting a self-evaluation to complete. Your feedback can go a long way to helping your student improve their clinical skills as they get ready for 3rd yr.

Your student will also be building on what they've learned in LPP during their hospital sessions. They have about 8 of these sessions from now until March with their learning community mentor. During each of these sessions, they interview and examine a patient in the hospital. This is followed by an oral presentation to their group and write-up.

Thank you for taking the time to teach our students. We hope you have enjoyed your experience with your student and hope you return next year to take a 1st year student. You have a huge impact on the development of their clinical skills and act as an excellent role model early in their training.

Please email myself Peggy.Wu@umassmemorial.org or the course coordinator Ann Perla Anne.Perla@umassmed.edu with any questions or ideas on how we can make this experience better for you and our students.

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