



Curriculum Management Committee Communication Notes (February 08, 2017 Meeting)

Announcements

- Joanne Gutowsky and Robert Dace-Smith, CQI experts, joined the OAACQI team & will facilitate several CQI Projects
- Next Curriculum Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday February 22, 2017 at 4:00pm.

New Proposals

Proposal to Shorten the Year 3 Academic Year Starting in July 2017

The first half of the year will remain the same. Beginning with the second half starting in January 2018, the 8 week rotation will change to a 7 week rotation while the 4 week rotation will become a 3.5 week rotation for Neurology and Psychiatry. Family Medicine will remain a 4 week rotation while the Family Medicine elective will change to a 3.5 week elective. *Year 3 will end in May and Year 4 for the Class of 2019 will start June 1, 2018. CMC approved proposal.*

Firecracker Proposal

As an opportunity for improvement, M1 students enrolled in Neuroscience will use Firecracker as a learning aid for the course. Firecracker will be a pilot for the Year 1 Neuroscience Course. Effectiveness will be evaluated after completion of course and a report will be brought to CMC. *CMC approved proposal.*

Previous Proposals

Structure Change for Curriculum Committee

Dr. Baker presented the change in structure of the current Curriculum Committee to the Executive Committee (EC). Dr. Baker asked that the Senate to explicitly delegate authority to the CMC as a subcommittee of the Senate and modify by-laws to approve that CMC has the final say over curriculum changes. Dr. Baker will meet with the EC on February 9, 2017 for final decision on new structure of the Curriculum Committee proposal.

LCME

Mock Site Visit scheduled for March 6-7, 2017
Limited Site Visit scheduled for April 23-26, 2017

