

## **Ambulatory Pediatrics Goals and Objectives**

### **Medical Knowledge**

The resident should be able to

1. Gain knowledge in the diagnosis and management of the following scenarios:
  - a. Well child care, including normal growth and development.
  - b. Immunizations schedules and catch-up scheduled.
  - c. Infectious diseases, including: otitis media, otitis externa, sinusitis, meningitis, chickenpox, sepsis workup, infectious diarrhea, community acquired pneumonia, urinary tract infection, cellulitis, bronchiolitis, and common exanthems.
  - d. Outpatient management of dehydration.
  - e. Anemia
  - f. Failure to thrive.
  - g. Diabetes mellitus
  - h. Asthma and allergy
  - i. Environmental and safety issues, including bicycle helmets, seatbelts, smoke exposure, home safety, injury, and poisoning.
  - j. Obesity.
  - k. Emotional and behavioral disorders, including ADHD, depression, and school avoidance.
  - l. Enuresis
  - m. Adolescent Issues: puberty changes (physical and psychosocial), eating disorders, sexual activity.
  - n. Orthopedic issues: club foot, scoliosis, developmental dysplasia of the hip, toxic synovitis.
2. Gain knowledge in the uses and appropriate doses of common pediatric drugs.
3. Gain knowledge in age appropriate nutrition.
4. Attend all faculty lectures.
5. Complete CLIPP cases prior to the rotation.

### **Patient Care**

The resident should be able to

1. Give oral and written presentation to attendings in an organized, concise, and accurate manner, including differential diagnosis and management plan.
2. Demonstrate principles of patient autonomy, confidentiality, and informed consent.
3. Develop and demonstrate ability to work in an efficient and organized manner in assessing and triaging patients.
4. Use laboratory tests appropriately in delivering patient care.
5. Round daily on pediatric patients and newborns.
6. Perform an initial history and physical assessment , differential diagnosis and management on clinic pediatric patients.
7. Learn and demonstrate competency in the following procedures
  - a. Cerumen removal
  - b. Circumcision
  - c. Tympanogram.

### **Interpersonal Communication Skills**

The resident should be able to

1. Effectively communicate with attending physicians and other healthcare team members in coordinating comprehensive care.
2. Effectively communicate medical decisions and recommendations to colleagues and patients.

3. Discuss and demonstrate strategies to discuss sensitive subjects with patients.
4. Demonstrate effective, compassionate and empathetic communication with patients and families, while considering psychosocial, economic and cultural issues of care.

#### Systems Based Practice

The resident should be able to

1. Utilize ancillary services to provide cost-effective and economically appropriate medical treatments.

#### Practice Based Learning and Improvement

The resident should be able to

1. Appraise and assimilate scientific evidence to guide improvement in patient care.
2. Incorporate formative evaluation and feedback into daily practice.
3. Use information technology to optimize learning.

#### Professionalism

The resident should be able to

1. Present themselves professionally in regards to dress, punctuality, and interactions with patients, families and all medical care providers.
2. Demonstrate compassion, integrity, and respect for others.
3. Demonstrate respect for patient privacy and autonomy.
4. Apply the principles of medical ethics to decision making.