

Elective Description

Campus: Northeast (Grand Forks)

Elective/Experience Title: Family Medicine

Location of Elective: Roseau, MN

Department: Family Medicine

Course Number: FMED 9301-03

Preceptor(s): TBD – Please contact Department

Period(s) Offered: All

Number of students per period: 1

Course Prerequisite(s): Completion of Family Medicine Clerkship **Revised Curriculum Phase(s):** Phase II & III

Purpose: To provide education and experience in the care of patients requiring ambulatory and/or hospital medical services.

Objectives: Following successful completion of this elective, the student will be able to:

1. Describe and understand the scope of care in a rural family medicine clinic.
2. Interpret data and demonstrate problem solving skills.
3. Demonstrate competence in the diagnosis and management of patients in settings with limited resources.
4. Participation as a physician community member.

Instructional Activities: During this elective, the student will be involved in/experience:

1. Functioning as an intern, under supervision of medical staff.
2. “Call” under the supervision of the preceptor.
3. Discussion of topics related to current cases.
4. Participation as a physician a community member.

Criteria for Grading: During and following this elective, the preceptor will:

1. Utilize the standardized UNDSMHS senior elective evaluation form.
2. Evaluate by direct observation the student’s verbal presentations of patients.
3. Evaluate direct observation the student’s approach to patient’s problems.
4. Evaluate by direct observation the student’s clinical skills.
5. Review and evaluate chart documentation skills.