

Family Medicine Clinical Appointment Guidance for Students

Duration: Two weeks

Institutions: Family Health Center and the Divisional Hospital, Kondavil

General objective: To make the student understand the principles of family medicine

Specific objectives

- Understand the importance of the location of A Family medicine center
- Understand the importance and the internal structure of a Family medicine center
- Understand the process and the importance of medical record maintains
- Understand the process and the importance of the referral mechanism and the back referral
- Understand the importance of the process and the mechanism of the Home visit
- Prescriptions in a family health center and the drug delivery
- Understand the importance and the process of a palliative care
- Understand the process of consultation
- Understand the importance the process of patient health education
- Get a overview about the chronic disease management in a family health center ,Get an over view about the emergency care in a family health center

Suggestive methods of teaching

- Demonstration
- Sitting with physician and active learning
- Small group discussion
- Active participation

Teachers

- Lecturers from Department of Community & Family Medicine
- Divisional Medical Officer (DMO)
- Medical Officer (MO)
- Demonstrator Family Health Centre

Time schedule

- Student should be present at 8 am
- register should be marked by the Demonstrator
- Sitting with consultation 8.15 to 10.15
- Interval 10.15 am to 10.30 am
- Teaching session 10.45 am to 12 noon

Program schedule

1st week			
Day	Time	Learning and teaching activities	Responsible
Monday	7.30 am to 8.30 am	Introduction to Family Medicine clinical appointment	Dr. S. Kumaran
	9 am to 10.30 am	Family Health Centre- institutional visit	Demonstrator Family Medicine
	10.30 to 12.00 am	Small group discussion Structure and function of Family Health center (write up)	Demonstrator Family Medicine
Tuesday	8 am to 9 am	Blood drawing & Laboratory works	Demonstrator
	9 am to 12 am	Sitting with DMO and MO	DMO
Wednesday	8 am to 12	NCD management in primary care	DMO
Thursday	8 am to 11 am	Sitting with DMO, MO	DMO
	11 am to 12	Small group :morbidity profile in primary care (write up)	Demonstrator
Friday	8 am to 12	Half of the students: Home visits	Demonstrators
		Half of the students: sitting with DMO and MO	DMO
Saturday	8 am to 12	NCD management in primary care discussion about morbidity profile	Dr. S. Kumaran

2nd week			
Monday	7.30 am 8.30 am	Consultation & communication work	Dr. S. Kumaran
	8.30 am to 12	Role play	Demonstrator Family Medicine
Tuesday	8 am to 9 am	Blood drawing & Laboratory works	Demonstrator
	9 am to 12	Work as a small group <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. home visit in primary care (writeup) 2. NCD in Primary care (write up) 	Family Medicine
Wednesday	8 am to 12	NCD management in primary care	DMO
Thursday	8 am to 11 am	Consultation & communication work shop	Demonstrator
	11 am to 12	Role play: discussion and then the feedback.	Family Medicine
Friday	8 am to 12	Half of the students: Home visits	Demonstrators
		Half of the students: sitting with DMO and MO	DMO
Saturday	8 am to 12	NCD clinic Discussion Home visit NCD in primary care	Dr.S.Kumaran

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