

OPHTHALMOLOGY ROTATION CURRICULUM: MS4

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Goals for the Rotation

1. Improve ability to perform an ophthalmologic examination.
2. Recognize ophthalmologic emergencies or urgencies, and the basic therapies that should be initiated prior to referral.
3. Recognize when to refer to an ophthalmologist for ongoing care.

Learning Objectives for the Rotation

1. Patient Care: accomplished via clinic, conferences, and lectures; evaluated by attending global evaluation.

All students will demonstrate:

- i. Ability to perform an ophthalmology-targeted history and physical examination.
- ii. Documentation of visual examination with accepted terminology.

2. Medical Knowledge: accomplished via clinic, conferences, readings, and lectures; evaluated by attending global evaluation
3. Practice-Based Learning and Improvement: accomplished via clinic, conferences, and lectures; evaluated by attending global evaluation
4. Interpersonal and Communication Skills: accomplished via clinic, conferences, and lectures; evaluated by attending global evaluation
5. Professionalism: accomplished in all clinical and professional interactions; evaluated by attending global evaluation

Required Reading & Assignments:

These include readings, online tasks, and videos. See Attached Course Reading and On-Line Assignments Document:

Evaluation & Grading:

The following tasks will be required to complete the course. If you have already done these as an MS3 please ignore those.

1. Practical Pretest (must be completed on a patient under graded supervision of an attending or senior resident by first week)
2. Practical Posttest (must be completed on a patient under graded supervision of an attending or senior resident before the last week of the rotation)
3. Red Eye Handout – Completed
4. Patient eye exam documented (use the provided template as an example and write/draw out and do your own on a blank sheet of paper)
5. Simulated Ophthalmoscopy Evaluation if you attended a simulated ophthalmoscopy training session with Dr. Shaikh