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Faculty of Medicine

**Phase III
4th and 5th years**



Student's guide during the clinical phase

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Introduction:

- ❖ Patients must be able to trust doctors
- ❖ As a medical student you must:
 1. Make the care of your patient your first concern
 2. Treat every patient politely and considerately
 3. Respect patients' dignity and privacy
 4. Listen to patients and respect their views
 5. Give patients information in a way they can understand
 6. Respect the rights of patients to be fully involved in decisions about their care
 7. Keep your professional knowledge and skills up to date
 8. Recognize the limits of your professional competence
 9. be honest and trustworthy
 10. Respect and protect confidential information
 11. make sure that your personal beliefs do not prejudice your patients' care
 12. Act quickly to protect patients from risk if you have good reason to believe that you or a colleague may not be fit to practice
 13. Avoid abusing your position
 14. Work with colleagues in ways that best serve patients' interests

During the assignment you must:

1. Help and contribute with the medical team in all daily activities
2. You will need to "pre-round" on your patients every morning (before team work rounds). This means reviewing the chart for any notes from the previous day (things keep happening in a hospital, even overnight), seeing and examining your patient daily (you don't need to do a complete exam every day; problem focused is fine), and recording the vital signs and any other important information for use later on rounds.
3. Attend all rounds with your team whenever possible. Here you present your patients to the senior resident and discuss preliminary plans for the day. Ward rounds are usually held at the patient's bedside, but vary per resident and the census of your team. These presentations should be concise

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(important details, but quick); probably about 30-60 seconds per patient. You will have time for more detailed and in-depth presentations with your attending.

4. Attend all departmental scientific activities, and help to prepare medical cases and scientific material if possible
5. Help the junior doctors to collect and present the laboratory, and radiology reports and discuss medical cases with the related teams
6. Have a detailed knowledge of his/her patients medical conditions by reviewing their case notes, talking to them or discussion with the medical team
7. Perform basic medical skills under the supervision of the medical team
8. Be present on site before the arrival of the medical team to review medical notes and speak to patients
9. Do on on-call with the medical team at least once a month
10. Wear white coat and LIMU badge at all times during your presence in the hospital
11. Attend at least one OT session during the surgical rotation
12. Observe infection control measures and contact the Infection Control Team in case of doubt

RIGHTS OF PATIENTS IN MEDICAL EDUCATION GUIDANCE:

- 1- Whenever you are involved with patients for primarily educational purposes, the patient's permission must be obtained.
- 2-The patient's consent must be fully informed and given voluntarily. No pressure of any kind must be applied. If the patient refuses, the refusal must be accepted immediately and without any expression of disapproval or disappointment. They should be reassured that their refusal will not affect their treatment in any way.
- 3- You must always be identified as a medical student, and not allowed to pass as medical colleagues or assistants.
- 4- If you are asked to carry out a rectal or vaginal examination on a patient under general anesthetic, the patient must be asked for permission, which should be placed in the notes. Usually only the student who has clerked the patient should carry out the examination and they must be supervised by a clinician. Consent should be obtained by the responsible clinician or by the student after discussion with the clinician.

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CURRICULUM OUTLINE



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New Fourth Year



Term	Course	Start Date - Saturday	End Date - Thursday	Duration	Place
8 th Term	Foundation	06/10/2012	24/01/2013	16 weeks	LIMU
9 th Term	Psychiatry	26/01/2013	21/02/2013	4 weeks	
	Ophthalmology	23/02/2013	21/03/2013	4 weeks	
	Medical Emergency	23/03/2013	18/04/2013	4 weeks	
End of Term	Break	20/04/2013	25/04/2013	1 week	
	Exam on Psychiatry, Ophthalmology, Medical Emergency	27/04/2013 Psy 29/04/2013 ME 04/05/06/05/2013	10/05/2013	2 weeks	
10 th Term	Medicine 1	11/05/2013	08/07/2013	8 weeks	
	Ramadan Break	06/07/2013	08/08/2013	5 weeks	
	Medicine 1 Continued	10/08/2013	06/09/2013	4 weeks	
11 th Term	Surgery 1	07/09/2013	22/11/2013	12 weeks	
End of Term	Break	23/11/2013	28/11/2013	1 week	
	Exam on Medicine 1, Surgery 1	30/11/2013 01/02/12/2013 M-Exam	07/08/09/12/2013 S-Exam	2 weeks	
	Break	10/12/2013	19/12/2013	10 days	

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Fifth Year



Term	Course	Start Date - Saturday	End Date - Thursday	Duration	Place
12 th Term	Pediatric	21/12/2013	13/02/2014	8 weeks	
	Obstetrics, Gynecology	15/02/2014	10/04/2014	8 weeks	
End of Term	Break	12/04/2014	17/04/2014	1 week	
	Exam on Obstetrics, Gynecology	19/04/2014	01/05/2014	2 weeks	
	Break	03/05/2014	08/05/2014	1 week	
13 th Term	Medicine 2	10/05/2014	26/06/2014	7 weeks	
	Ramadan Break	28/06/2014	31/07/2014	5 weeks	
	Medicine 2 continued	02/08/2014	07/08/2014	1 week	
	Surgery 2	09/08/2014	02/10/2014	8 weeks	
End of Term	Break	04/10/2014	09/10/2014	1 week	
	Exam on Medicine 2, Surgery 2	11/10/2014	23/10/2014	2 weeks	
14 th Term	Primary Health Care	25/10/2014	18/12/2014	8 weeks	

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End of Term	Break	20/12/2014	25/12/2014	1 week	
	Exam on Primary Health Care	27/12/2014	01/01/2015	1 week	
	Break	03/01/2015	08/01/2015	1 week	
Final	Final Exam on Medicine 2, Surgery 2	10/01/2015	22/01/2015	2 weeks	
	Break	24/01/2015	19/02/2015	4 weeks	

Ground rules:

- 1- Clothes should be smart and clean. No low cut tops.
- 2- Students should expect to wear a white coat unless otherwise instructed by their educational supervisor/supervising consultant.
- 3- Hair should be kept neat and tidy
- 4- Jewellery should not be worn except for the following:
 - o Rings: one single metal band.
 - o Earrings: small studs only
 - o Necklaces: a simple chain allowed only if kept tucked inside clothing
- 5- Upper body: short sleeved tops or sleeves neatly folded above the elbow. Ties should be secured During examinations
- 6- Fingernails should be short and clean.

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7- Sensible shoes i.e. no trainers

8- Identification must be visible at all times

9- All students must bring an evidence of Hepatitis B vaccination before the start of the course



Places of clinical teaching:

1- internal medicine:

a) Benghazi medical center:

- Department of internal medicine at the 6th floor of the first tower.
- Hematology department at the 3rd floor of the first tower.
- Specialty clinics at 1st floor of the first tower.

b) Hawari hospital:

- Department of internal medicine at the 3rd floor

c) Al- Jumhuriya hospital

d) 7th October hospital

e) Alqwefia hospital

2- Surgery:

a) Benghazi medical center:

- Department of surgery at the 5th floor of the first tower.

b) Al jala hospital:

- Ground floor: general surgery
- 1st floor: plastic surgery and chest surgery

c) Hawari hospital:

- Department of surgery

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3- Gynecology and Obstetrics:

- a) Al- Jumhuria hospital
Gynecology and Obstetrics department
- b) Benghazi medical center
4th floor: Gynecology and Obstetrics department

4- Pediatrics:

- a) The children hospital
- b) Benghazi medical center
5th floor: Pediatric department

5- Medical emergencies:

- a) Benghazi medical center
medical and surgical departments)
- b) Al- Jalaa hospital
- c) Al- Jumhuria hospital
- d) Hawari hospital

6- Ophthalmology

- a) The Alnahareye hospital

7- Primary Health Care:

- a) Primary health care facilities



For any queries or help you are kindly requested to contact one of the following:

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Best wishes