

**CURRICULUM COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES:
September 23, 2014**

Members Present:

Dr. J. Graham	Dr. M. Steliga	Dr. J. Boyette
Dr. D Gaddy	Dr. P. Prather	Dr. S. Boone
Dr. M. Hester	Dr. A. Diekman	Dr. P. Podrazik
Dr. B. Liggin	Dr. S. Ellis	Dr. C Smith
Dr. M. Quick	Dr. J. Hart	Dr. M Cannon

Students:

Hamza Arshad, M2 Faith Cragle, M1

Guests:

Staff:

A. Booth

Time Called to Order: 4:04pm

Time Adjourned: 4:55pm

	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION
Approval of Minutes	Minutes for August 2014, approved unanimously by the committee	Informational
Report of the Chair	<p>Dr. Graham introduced new members to the committee:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Paul Prather - pharmacology department • Faith Cragle – M1 student <p>Dr. Graham advised the committee of the LCME schedule and dates of visit. November 16th-19th.</p> <p>Dr. Graham advised the committee to place more information in objectives. He advised course objectives need to be mapped to the correct graduation competency. Also, the event objectives need to be mapped to the correct course objective.</p> <p>Dr. Graham reported the M2 year is progressing well. They have completed MSK and all the students passed. Also, Dr. Gaddy reported the course scored very well in evaluations.</p> <p>Dr. Graham discussed the handout Analysis of New Curriculum Pedagogy For At Risk Student Taking Step1. The class of 2016 is the first to have all new curriculum. The C/O 2016 Step 1 pass rate is 91%. This is the highest mean score for step 1 in UAMS history. (handout attached)</p>	Informational

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Curriculum Database Search	Dr. Graham reported the findings of the O2 search for healthcare financing/practice management. The committee this discussed the report. He encouraged the committee to consider placing more of this information in the curriculum. The committee discussed article Dr. Graham distributed “Medical Student Perceptions of Education in Health Care Systems”.	Informational
NW Campus	<p>Dr. Chris Smith gave the NW Annual Report.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • All NW students in the Class of 2014 were successful in matching into PGY1 positions. This group included three students who had to retake Step 1. The Class of 2014 is the 4th Northwest Arkansas group, and the 39th Northwest Arkansas student, to graduate. • (entire report attached) 	Informational
Subcommittee Reports		
Basic Science Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did not meet 	N/A
Clinical Ed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	Informational
Q/I Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Q/I Committee reported they have completed their review of Molecules to Cells, the course went well, no major problems were identified. The only recommendation was that the module should have more time, which has already been done previously by this committee. . 	Informational
CYC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did not meet 	N/A

Attachments: Agenda, Attendance, NW Annual Report, Medical Students Perspective, Analysis of New Curriculum, Curriculum Database Search

Next Meeting: October 27, 2014