

MSTP Curriculum 2.0:

Immersion Phase

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C 2.0 MD-PhD Immersion Phase Requirements

Minimum Immersion Phase Requirements (in Months)		
On-Campus	1	Integrated Science Courses (ISCs)
	1	1 Acting Internship
	2	Advanced Clinical Experience (ACEs)
On-Campus or Away (away with approval)	4	Competency and Interest-Driven Rotations* (can be ISCs, ACEs, AIs or Electives [#])
8 required months		Must include: 1 Primary Care course (either ACE or ISC) 1 Acute Care course (EM or ICU-based course)
2		<i>Flex months</i>
*two must be clinical rotations		
[#] Any requests for research months (elective) must be approved by Dr. Estrada.		

C2.0 MD-PhD Longitudinal Requirements

Longitudinal Course Requirements			
Foundations of Health Care Delivery—4 units		Learning Communities—4 unit	
IPE2 (Self-enroll, paired with ACE)	PS (Self-enroll)	LC1 Applied Ethics (Self-enroll)	LC2 Lifelong Learning (Self-enroll)
HCE (Feb FHD Immersion Week)	HCP (Feb FHD Immersion Week)	LC5 Priority setting (Self-enroll)	LC7 Uncertainty (Self-enroll)

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On Campus	Unit	Mode of Delivery	Mode of Registration	Required Meeting
Yes	Learning Communities Unit 1 (LC1)	Sept or Jan of Immersion Phase [#]	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Monday 3 rd week (1-3p)
Yes	Learning Communities Unit 2 (LC2)	Sept or Jan of Immersion Phase [#]	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Monday 3 rd week (3-5p)
Yes	Learning Communities Unit 5 (LC5)	Nov or March of Immersion Phase	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Monday 3 rd week (1-3p)
Yes	Learning Communities Unit 7 (LC7)	April of Immersion Phase	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Monday 3 rd week (1-3p)
No	FHD-Quality Improvement (QI)	VSTAR Learn Course (Self-paced) - Gphase	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada	
Yes	FHD-Interprofessional Education 2 (IPE2)	Pair with ACE in Immersion Phase	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Tuesday 4 th Week (1-5p)
Yes	FHD-Patient Safety (PS)	Pair with Immersion Phase Course	Self-Enroll (yes.vanderbilt.edu)	Tuesday 4 th Week (1-5p)
Yes	FHD-Health Care Economics (HCE)	VSTAR Learn/In person	Auto-enrolled in YES	February FHD Immersion Week
Yes	FHD-Health Care Policy (HCP)	VSTAR Learn/In person	Auto-enrolled in YES	February FHD Immersion Week
No	FHD-Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) Modules	VSTAR Learn Course (Self-paced)- Gphase	Coordinated through Dr. Estrada	

Institute of Healthcare Improvement (IHI): Required for GME

- Required IHI courses are
 - QI 101 – 105
 - PS 102, PS 104
 - 7 total courses
- Total time estimated to complete = 9.25 hours
- V*LEARN Course
 - Upload completion certificates
 - Due before graduation (Encouraged to complete as early as possible)

Useful Links/Contacts

- Immersion Phase Requirements
 - <https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/ume/md-phd-2017>
 - Immersion.phase@vanderbilt.edu
- Careers in Medicine
 - <https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/cim/>
- Enrollment
 - <https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/enrollment/>
- FHD
 - <https://medschool.vanderbilt.edu/ume/fhd>
 - FHD@vanderbilt.edu
- Learning Communities
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