

TOUCHSTONE
INSTITUTE
COMPETENCY EVALUATION EXPERTS

Canadian Medicine Primer & Pre-Residency Program

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Education Programs

- **Canadian Medicine Primer (CMP)**
 - 2.5 to 4.5 weeks of orientation programming for **Visa Trainees & Fellows**
 - Experiential CBME learning & formative assessments utilizing CBD Continuum Competencies
 - Referred by PGME Offices
- **Pre-Residency Program (PRP)**
 - 2 to 4 weeks of orientation programming for **CaRMS matched IMGs**
 - Experiential CBME learning & formative assessments utilizing CBD Continuum Competencies
 - Mandatory for all CaRMS matched IMG's

Programming Goal

- Provide trainees with an exceptional learning experience on Medical Training and Practice in Canada with a focus on:
 - Patient-Centred Communication
 - Collaboration
 - Professionalism
 - Health Advocacy
 - Medical Expert

Achieving Our Goal

Physician-Led and Facilitated Programs

- Canadian physicians with extensive educational experience as instructors, advisors, consultants and facilitators

Interactive Learning Sessions

- Engaging lectures led by physicians
- Simulated sessions with tailored feedback on the following CanMEDS 2015 Competencies: Communicator, Professional, Health Advocate and Medical Expert

EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Flexible Online Learning

- Facilitated and self-directed modules
- Reflective quizzes
- Lectures and additional supportive resources

Individualized Support

- Academic advising that focuses on individual goals and objectives
- Individualized feedback from physicians on CanMEDS 2015 Competencies



CanMEDS 2015

Competence by Design

CBD^{1,2} Competence Continuum



¹ Competence by Design (CBD)
² Milestones at each stage describe terminal competencies

Program Renewal & Development

- IMG Curricular Advisory Committee
 - Dr. Eric Wong
 - Dr. Marcus Law
 - Dr. Inge Schabort
 - Dr. Fok-Han Leung
 - Dr. Jovana Yudin
 - Dr. Karolina Burghardt
- External Review
 - David Rojas, Research Fellow, Wilson Centre
- Stakeholder Consultation
 - PGME & Programs
 - Faculty Debrief & Workshops
 - Qualitative & Quantitative Feedback from Trainees

Curricular Enhancements



- 2016
 - Enhanced Assessment Tool & Online Component
 - CanMEDS 2015 Competencies
 - New Sessions
 - First Nations & Rural Health
 - Resident Support
 - On Call Skills & Emergency Medicine
- 2017
 - New Sessions
 - Indigenous Health
 - Rural Health
 - Interprofessional Healthcare Teams
 - Palliative Care & End of Life Management
 - Chronic Pain & Addiction Medicine
 - Elective Sessions
 - Internal Medicine: Rounds Bootcamp
 - Psychiatry: Rounds Bootcamp
 - Pediatrics: Rounds Bootcamp
 - Cross Cultural Communication
 - Enhanced Sessions
 - 11 Existing Sessions, Course Content & Simulation Cases updated
 - New Learning Management System & Modules

Future Engagement

Contact Us!

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