Information that you provide will be made available for future UNC students to use in planning educational electives in global health and international medicine. It must be completed in order to receive elective credit for your rotation OR funding through the Office of International Activities (Becton-Tannenbaum, Perkins Burke, Medical Alumni Loyalty Fund Global Enrichment Fellowships and International Health Fellowships). Please complete and return to the Office of International Activities (shay.slifko@med.unc.edu or Martha.carlough@med.unc.edu)

I. STUDENT INFORMATION
A. Student Name: Conner Graham
B. Email: conner.graham@med.unc.edu
C. Phone/cell number (optional): ________________
D. Graduating year from UNC Medical School: ________
   2018
Check when you took this elective:
   x Summer between 1st and 2nd year   3rd year   4th year   Other:
F. What UNC Department and course did you register for this elective through? OIA - FMME 225/425
G. Faculty advisor: Dr. Martha Carlough
H. Dates that you completed the elective: June 23 Year: 2015
   I. From the list below, select the one choice that best describes your motivation for taking this elective:
      ___ X interest in global health
      ___ interest in travel
      ___ interest in helping others
      ___ desire to learn/improve Spanish skills
      ___ desire to get experience for CV/job opportunities
      ___ family of origin reasons
      ___ other: ________________________________
   J. What was the major emphasis of this elective:
      ___ medical Spanish and Latino health
      ___ global health research
      ___ X clinical care in an international setting community health/development
      ___ setting community health/development
      ___ Other: Learning clinical diagnosis and treatment in a resource limited environment
   K. Was this a X group experience or ___ individual experience?

II. ELECTIVE PROGRAM INFORMATION
A. Country where you completed the elective: India
B. City: Purthi
C. Name of Program or Hospital where you worked: Himalayan Health Exchange
D. Website address (if available): http://www.himalayanhealth.com/
E. From the list below, select the choice that best describes how you first learned about this program:
   referral from a friend/personal contact
   X another student who went there
   web site information from
   X other: Via presentation
F. Name of program person you worked with and contact information: Dr. Shawn Vainio
   shawnvainio@yahoo.com
G. Costs
   Tuition: $3090  Roundtrip travel: $1300
   Other expenses you incurred, including vaccinations, supplies (please list type and amount):
   Approximately $300 – Gear, vaccines
H. Did this program/hospital have a religious affiliation?  ____YES  ____NO
If yes, with what group: ____________________________

I. Did this program/hospital have an academic affiliation? ___ YES ___ NO
   If yes, with what institution: ____________________________

II. GLOBAL HEALTH EXPERIENCE CHARACTERISTICS
   A. List three educational outcomes you achieved with this elective
      1. I gained valuable hands on clinical experience by taking patient histories and performing physical exams.
      2. This trip taught me how to appropriately work with translators and was a culturally rich experience.
      3. I learned techniques to appropriately diagnose and treat patients in resource limited environments.
   B. Was the experience a good use of time for you during medical school? X YES ___ NO
   C. Did you have adequate clinical supervision? X YES ___ NO
   D. Did you have adequate opportunities for hands-on clinical work? X YES ___ NO
   E. Would you recommend this elective to other medical students? X YES ___ NO

      If YES, Why? A wonderful opportunity to practice Hx and physical exam skills, gain exposure to diseases not
      commonly seen in US practice, use translators to communicate w/ pts, gain exposure to different cultures and religions
      in a unique and remote area of the world. This was valuable educational experience and trip of a lifetime.

      If NO, Why: ____________________________

   F. Was the program responsive to your needs? X YES ___ NO
   G. Did you have appropriate arrangements for housing, food and safety/health issues? ___ X YES ___ NO
      Please describe: Most nights involved camping in tents, which were both provided and set up upon arrival to camp /
      clinic sites. The food was wonderful and prepared by an amazing support team, who also boiled / treated the water for
      us, made chai tea several times a day, provided warm water for showers, and dug latrines. The drivers were safe on the
      long and dangerous roads, and the hotel accommodations were nice. If any illness arose, the physicians on the trip were
      prompt to address each issue and provide the appropriate care.

   H. Did you have adequate information about what to expect in advance? ___ X YES ___ NO
      What would have been helpful: A presentation by students who have been on the trip.

   I. Did you feel that you had adequate support from UNC in setting up this opportunity? X YES ___ NO

   J. Please include any additional information or feedback you would like to
      include for students engaging in future international rotations:

   K. What could the OIA have done differently or better to support you in your international elective? :

      The information and support for this elective was fantastic and I am so grateful to have had this opportunity. I highly recommend this
      trip, even though it is a bit more costly than the others.