UNC School of Medicine  
Global Health Elective  
Student Feedback Form

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.sifko@med.unc.edu or Martha.carlough@med.unc.edu)

I. STUDENT INFORMATION
A. Student Name: Marni Krehnbrink
B. Email: mkrehnny@med.unc.edu  C. Phone/cell number (optional): 704-430-8372
D. Graduating year from UNC Medical School: 2019
E. Check when you took this elective: Summer between 1st and 2nd year 3rd year 4th year Other: 
F. What UNC Department and course did you register for this elective through? FMME 225
G. Faculty advisor: Martha Carlough
H. Dates that you completed the elective: June 4th-June 25th Year: 2016
I. From the list below, select the one choice that best describes your motivation for taking this elective:
   - interest in global health
   - interest in travel
   - interest in helping others
   - desire to get experience for CV/job opportunities
   - family of origin reasons
   - other: 
   - desire to learn/improve Spanish skills

J. What was the major emphasis of this elective:
   - medical Spanish and Latino health
   - global health research
   - clinical care in an international setting
   - community health/development
   - Other:

K. Was this a group experience or individual experience?

II. ELECTIVE PROGRAM INFORMATION
A. Country where you completed the elective: India
B. City: Pangi Valley
C. Name of Program or Hospital where you worked: Himalayan Health Exchange
D. Website address (if available): 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
   - another student who went there
   - web site information from: 
   - other: 

F. Name of program person you worked with and contact information: ________________________
   Ravi Singh, info@himalayanhealth.com
G. Costs
   Tuition: $2,950
   Roundtrip travel: $1,450
   Other expenses you incurred, including vaccinations, supplies (please list type and amount):
   Vaccinations $160
   Gear $150
   __________________________________________
   __________________________________________
   __________________________________________
   __________________________________________
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: ____________________________

III. GLOBAL HEALTH EXPERIENCE CHARACTERISTICS
A. List three educational outcomes you achieved with this elective
   1. Improved history taking and physical exam skills
   2. Practice using clinical reasoning to create a differential and presenting to attending physicians
   3. Learning from and experiencing another culture

B. Was the experience a good use of time for you during medical school? _____ YES   _____ NO
C. Did you have adequate clinical supervision? _____ YES   _____ NO
D. Did you have adequate opportunities for hands-on clinical work? _____ YES   _____ NO
E. Would you recommend this elective to other medical students? _____ YES   _____ NO

If YES, Why?  HHE was a well-organized, safe, and fun clinical and personal experience

If NO, Why? ____________________________

F. Was the program responsive to your needs? _____ YES   _____ NO

G. Did you have appropriate arrangements for housing, food and safety/health issues? _____ YES   _____ NO
   If NO, please describe: ____________________________

H. Did you have adequate information about what to expect in advance? _____ YES   _____ NO
   If NO, what would have been helpful: ____________________________

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

J. Please include any additional information or feedback you would like to include for future students:
   The Pangi trip was great! It was the first major clinical experience where I got significant practice with my history taking and physical exam skills, especially in a setting with real patients and real complaints. I developed a solid foundation for medical documentation, clinical reasoning, and presenting. The staff on the trip and all the other students were wonderful.

K. What could the OIA have done differently or better to support you in your international elective? :
   Pre-departure preparation for the trip was great. Something that would be helpful would be recommendations from past students about appropriate attire for in-country activities, especially when traveling to more conservative areas.

THANK YOU!!! THIS INFORMATION WILL HELP FUTURE STUDENTS !!!

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