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

I. STUDENT INFORMATION
A. Student Name: Sara Feldman  
B. Email: sara_feldman@med.unc.edu  
C. Phone/cell number (optional):  
D. Graduating year from UNC Medical School: 2019  
E. Check when you took this elective:  
   XXX Summer between 1st and 2nd year  XXX 3rd year  XXX 4th year  XXX Other: 
F. What UNC Department and course did you register for this elective through? FMME 433  
G. Faculty advisor:  
H. Dates that you completed the elective: Class 1/12-4/19; Trip 6/27-7/17  
I. From the list below, select the one choice that best describes your motivation for taking this elective:  
   XXX interest in global health  XXX desire to get experience for CV/job opportunities  
   XXX interest in travel  XXX family of origin reasons  
   XXX interest in helping others  XXX other:  
J. What was the major emphasis of this elective:  
   XXX medical Spanish and Latino health  
   XXX global health research  
   XXX clinical care in an international setting  
   XXX community health/development  
   XXX Other:  
K. Was this a group experience or individual experience?

II. ELECTIVE PROGRAM INFORMATION
A. Country where you completed the elective: Honduras  
B. City: El Corpus  
C. Name of Program or Hospital where you worked: HHA  
D. Website address (if available): www.med.unc.edu/hha  
E. From the list below, select the choice that best describes how you first learned about this program:  
   XXX referral from a friend/personal contact  
   XXX another student who went there  
   XXX web site information from:  
   XXX other:  
F. Name of program person you worked with and contact information: UNC HHA Trip Leaders  
   hha.leader@gmail.com  
G. Costs  
   Tuition:  
   Roundtrip travel:  
   Other expenses you incurred, including vaccinations, supplies (please list type and amount):  
   $500 program fee  
   $200 on outdoor/travel gear (hammock, hiking shoes, head lamp, etc.)  
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?  XXX YES  ____ NO
If yes, with what institution: UNC __________________________

III. GLOBAL HEALTH EXPERIENCE CHARACTERISTICS
A. List three educational outcomes you achieved with this elective
1. Reinforcing and improving my medical Spanish.
2. Experience working with patients, other medical students, and attending physicians in a clinical setting.
3. Experience practicing clinical skills (pelvic exams, pap smears, giving injections).

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

If YES, Why?  I recommend it to students who have an interest in global health or who want to improve their Spanish skills.
If NO, Why?  ____________________________________________

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

G. Did you have appropriate arrangements for housing, food and safety/health issues?  XXX YES  ____ NO
   Please describe: __________________________________________

H. Did you have adequate information about what to expect in advance?  XXX YES  ____ NO
   What would have been helpful: ________________________________

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

J. Please include any additional information or feedback you would like to include for students engaging in future international rotations:
Expect this experience to be a growing experience. You will be in a new environment which is at times uncomfortable, and you will likely get sick at some point during the trip. However, you will also have wonderful opportunities for friendship, mentorship, and learning new clinical skills, as well as the ability to have amazing interactions with patients.

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

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

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