

## 5/18/2021 Student Curriculum Meeting Minutes

### Clinical Epidemiology Feedback

- Discussed student feedback that clin epi tends to feel repetitive and challenging for some students
- Noted that perhaps some of the repetition is coming from professors need to trust the flipped classroom model. Feedback will be delivered to coordinators.
- Discussion of how to improve clin epi in new foundation phase curriculum
- Discussion of improved feedback on course at end of four years, suggesting that it is an important course with great importance during clinical years but that is hard for students to see when they are going through it.

### COVID Vaccine Count

- Updates from Isaac and Rayad on informal poll taken in Class of 2024 groupme
- A similar informal poll will be taken soon in the Class of 2025 groupme.
- Student affairs team is collecting One45 data on possibly sharing vaccine status because more clinical sites are requiring proof of vaccination.
- Students should continue to expect mask-wearing indoors even when vaccination numbers become clearer.
- Discussion of need for faculty to speak at our class orientation or class meetings in the fall (MS2 orientation), sharing their experiences of working during COVID and assuring students of safety as we begin in person courses.
  - o Elaboration on professional standards and occupational risk in clinic.

### Student Support in the Fall

- Students should expect most things to occur in person or in hybrid formats.
- Tests, small groups, and lectures will be in person, and class meetings will likely occur in person with optional streaming.
- Recorded lectures in the fall again will have slightly longer upload times than Zoom lectures that are currently being uploaded to Sakai site.
- Student support (college advisor, CAPS counseling) will be available in person or via Zoom depending on professional schedules and student preference.
- The White Coat Ceremony for the class of 2024 will still occur before the White Coat Ceremony for the class of 2025 and will hopefully take place in person.
  - o If large campus facilities remain closed in the fall, White Coat will likely happen in the same format as the class of 2021's hooding ceremony where white coats will be given by PCC tutors.
- Shadowing (including over summer months) is still not permitted by UNC Health system's office of volunteering/shadowing and students are not allowed to shadow outside of required coursework, such as PCC.