

UMMS Three Schools Retreat

INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AT UMMS

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IPE at UMMS: the big picture

- IPE well-aligned with our strategic plan and mission
- Major national focus on IPE in health sciences education
- May 2011: Core Competencies for Interprofessional

Collaborative Practice - we are in front of national trend

- LCME new standard
- Others: Reynolds Foundation “Next Steps in Physicians’ Training in Geriatrics, II,” focus on geriatrics IPE

LCME Standard ED-19-A

“The core curriculum of a medical education program must prepare medical students to function collaboratively on health care teams that include other health professionals. Members of the health care teams from other health professions may be either students or practitioners.”

IPE at UMMS Today

- UMMS IPE programs: Strong base, ahead of national curve
- Program Diversity: required (PHC), enrichment courses (elder navigator), and electives (DR mission trip)
- Expanding IPE in research: UMass Center for CTS across all 5 campuses
- Outstanding new IPE facilities: iCELS and LC suites in ASC
- Scholarship: national grants (RWJ, Macy) and UMMS fellowships (Sarah Stone, Geriatrics IPE)

IPE at UMMS: Future Opportunities

- We have a structure in place for maintaining, developing and expanding IPE at UMMS.
- Across our 3 schools, the continuum of education (student, post grad, professional) and with our clinical system partner and affiliates

Enhancing IPE: “IPEG”

- Support ongoing IPE innovation, expansion
- IPE intramural grant program
- “IPEG”
 - Interprofessional Education Grants
 - Promote IPE programs, develop new IPE partnerships across three schools, across professions serving clinical partner and education affiliates

IPEG

- Oversight by IPE Coordinating Committee, administered by OEA
- Up to \$7,500 intramural support for IPE programs across three schools, across continuum of education (student, post grad, professional), clinical system and educational affiliates.
- Up to 4 awards annually
- Priority areas: simulation and learning communities.
- RFP by January 2013.

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IPE Coordinating Committee

Co Chairs:

Assoc Dean IPE/Allied Health (SOM)
Assoc Dean Acad& Interprofessional
/Community Partnerships (GSN)

- GSBS Dean/Rep
- GSN Dean/Rep
- Sen Assoc Dean Ed Affairs
- Sen Assoc Dean Clin Affairs
- Assoc Dean CME
- Assoc Dean UME
- Clinical System nursing rep
- Clinical System medicine rep
- Others: TBD

Examples of IPE Programs:

1. Critical Thinking
2. Professionalism
3. Medical Error and Safety
4. Geriatrics

Examples of IPE Grants

1. RWJPIN (Seymour/Kneeland)
2. IMAP Macy professional grant (Fischer)
3. Reynolds RFP (Pugnaire/Gurwitz)

4. IPEG at UMMS

