

**ME245.04 INFECTIOUS DISEASES**

Advanced Clinical Clerkship

Location: OVH

2011-2012  
Revised: 12/2/10**COURSE CHAIR:**

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**COURSE OBJECTIVES (in order of importance)**

1. Learn to evaluate patients in detail through the mechanism of history and physicals specific infectious disease problems, both common and rare.
2. Develop appropriate differential diagnosis.
3. Develop and defend plan for diagnosis and treatment.
4. Patient follow-up to assess outcomes.
5. Demonstrate role of consultants.
6. Learn use of library as applicable to patients seen.

**SUPPORTING FACULTY:**

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**STUDENT COORDINATOR:**

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**REPORT TO:**

Mark DeVany, Room 2B-182, 8:00 a.m.

**COLLEGE AFFILIATION:** Primary Care**AVAILABLE FOR EXTERNS:** Yes**STUDENTS / PERIOD:** max 3 min 1**DURATION:** 3 weeks**2011-2012 ROTATIONS BEGIN WEEKS:**

2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 27, 30, 33, 36, 39, 42, 45, 48

**DESCRIPTION:** This course will provide a wide range of experience in evaluating and treating patients with fever and infectious diseases. Olive View's unique patient population and the variety of disease conditions seen will provide a stimulating clerkship environment. In addition to standard infectious disease problems, the student has the opportunity to see patients with "tropical" infections (malaria, typhoid fever, brucellosis, parasitic infections) not commonly seen in the U. S. Instruction in the outpatient and inpatient management of HIV infection is also emphasized. Olive View has one of the busiest AIDS clinics in the UCLA system. A busy conference tutorial schedule and the faculty commitment to teaching ensures that students will have opportunity to supplement their clinical experiences with an organized educational program.

**STUDENT EXPERIENCES****COMMON PROBLEMS/DISEASES**

1. Bacterial pneumonia
2. Sepsis
3. Tuberculosis
4. AIDS
5. Fungal disease
6. Parasitic disease
7. Hospital Acquired Infection

**INPATIENT:**

90%

**OUTPATIENT:**

10%

**CONSULTATION:**

90%

**PRIMARY CARE:**

10%

**CLOSE CONTACT WITH:**

- X FULL-TIME FACULTY
- X CLINICAL FACULTY
- X FELLOWS
- X RESIDENTS
- X INTERNS
- X OTHER: Nurse Epidemiologist

**APPROXIMATE # OF PATIENTS EVALUATED EACH WEEK BY STUDENT:** 5**TOTAL # OF PATIENTS EVALUATED EACH WEEK BY ENTIRE SERVICE:** 13 - 18**TYPICAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

Hour	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>AM</b>	9:00 – 10:00 Journal Club and ID Lecture  9:30 – 1:00 See Consults	Combined UCLA ID Conference  See Consults	See Consults	ID Clinic/OVMC	Intramural Case Confer- ence (at Olive View)  See Consults
<b>PM</b>	1:30 – 5:00  ID Rounds with Attendings	1:30 – 5:00  ID Rounds with Attendings	1:30 – 5:00  ID Rounds with Attendings	1:30 – 5:00  ID Rounds with Attendings	1:30 – 5:00  ID Rounds with Attendings

**ON-CALL SCHEDULE & WEEKEND ACTIVITIES:** None**ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AND OTHER SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** Olive View Medical Center, 14445 Olive View Dr. 2B-182, Sylmar, CA 91342, (818) 364-3205.