

KCAFP-FMIG PARTNERSHIP

The King County Academy of Family Physicians and the UWSOM Family Medicine Interest Group are proud to announce their newly formed KCAFP-FMIG Partnership!

About the Partnership

The new KCAFP-FMIG Partnership seeks to bridge the gap between local practicing family physicians and pre-clinical medical students by fostering opportunities for students to interact with physicians in their community. This partnership looks forward to increasing exposure to Family Medicine to those students who may not be considering the specialty, while continuing to encourage enthusiasm in the students who are already interested in the field.

The partnership will function through a student subcommittee to the KCAFP Executive Board, consisting of medical students and physician members. A subcommittee member will be present at KCAFP Board Meetings to provide monthly updates on the status of the partnership and upcoming projects.

The KCAFP-FMIG Partnership will provide KCAFP members with updates on events and emerging opportunities through this quarterly newsletter. Additionally, a website created exclusively for the partnership will house the above information, as well as an "ideas" forum for physician and student collaboration. The website will encourage communication between members and students and will include a calendar of upcoming events. Interested family physicians can also sign up for the various opportunities via the website.

The KCAFP and FMIG look forward to working together to benefit students, physicians and communities by helping to cultivate a successful future for Family Medicine.

"Take a Medical Student to Work Day" Program

Excited about making an impact in a medical student's education?

Don't quite have the time to commit to be a preceptor for 8 weeks?

Sign up to take a medical student to work with you!

This program is half/full day, informal shadowing opportunity set up at your convenience.

Service Learning

The partnership will provide the means by which UWSOM affiliated community projects can approach the KCAFP for preceptors and physician volunteers.

The future direction of the community involvement component of this partnership will be shaped in part by student and physician interests, serving as the conduit for great ideas to become realized projects.

Send us your ideas!

FMIG Hosted Skills Workshops

Each year the FMIG hosts over 20 workshops and lectures aimed towards increasing both physician-student interaction and early development of valuable clinical skills. The KCAFP-FMIG Partnership would like to extend an invitation to all KCAFP physicians to attend any FMIG workshops and lectures throughout the year.

Come join us!

Participate in Upcoming FMIG Events

EKG Skills Workshop – May 9th, 6pm E216

OB Skills Workshop – May 10th, 5:30pm T359

Casting Skills Workshop – May 17th
**** Physician Volunteers needed****

Celebration for UWSOM 4th Years Matching in Family Medicine – May 31st, 5:30pm



Volunteer with RotaCare Free Clinic

UWSOM students are working on finalizing a strong partnership with RotaCare Clinics, and they are looking for U.W. Faculty and Community Physicians who would be interested in volunteering on Saturday mornings as preceptors and/or attending physicians for the clinic located just off Lake City Way.

Interested? Contact Isis Smith at Isiss@u.washington.edu

Al Shifa Community Health Resources
Health Equity Circle
Students in the Community

Contact Information

KCAFP-FMIG Partnership Website

<https://catalyst.uw.edu/workspace/akost/21010/>

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