Career Planning Elective: **Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation**

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**Other teaching faculty involved in this rotation:** *Gary Glynn, M.D., Marc Raj, D.O., Yvette Folse, M.D., Lindsay Elliott, D.O., Scott Schultz, M.D., Robert Mipro, M.D., Robert McMyne, M.D.*

**Hospitals/Sites for this rotation:** *University Medical Center Hospital and Clinics, Touro Infirmary, VA Medical Center, Children’s Hospital, East Jefferson General Hospital*

**Goals/Objectives for this rotation:**

*Students will get an overview of the specialty of physical medicine and rehabilitation. Students will be introduced to inpatient rehabilitation, outpatient musculoskeletal medicine, electromyography and nerve conduction studies, as well as various injections used in pain management.*

**Typical schedule for students on this rotation:**

*Students will rotate with attending PM&R teaching faculty doing rounds, consults, procedures, and clinics. This is from Monday to Friday typically starting at 7:30 am. No call is required or expected.*

***Prior to Rotation, students will receive an email with a detailed schedule for the two week rotation from the LSU PM&R Assistant Chief Resident for Medical Student and Community Outreach. Students are expected to coordinate with the listed PM&R resident at each of the rotation sites for directions, etc.***

**Didactics schedule for students on this rotation:**

***Students will attend the PM&R lectures on Friday noon to 4pm in the 4th floor CALS conference room.***

**Evaluation of students on this rotation:**

*Students will be evaluated with the Office of Medical Education standard evaluation form. The faculty will evaluate the students based on clinical competencies. Evaluation can be completed by Dr Owens, Dr Roig, or Dr Mipro.*