

**WEILL CORNELL MEDICINE - QATAR
MEDICAL CURRICULUM**

Second Year Curriculum - Phases I and II
2025 - 26 Academic Calendar
Class of 2028

Phase I

2025

Sunday, August 24	Instruction Begins: <i>Health, Illness and Disease II, Part A</i>
Thursday, November 13	Instruction Ends: <i>Health, Illness and Disease II, Part A</i>
Sunday, November 16	Instruction Begins: <i>Health, Illness and Disease II, Part B</i>
Sunday, December 14 – Thursday, January 1	Winter Recess (including remediations, Qatar National Day, and Christmas Day)

2026

Sunday, January 4	Instruction Resumes: <i>Health, Illness and Disease II, Part B</i>
Thursday, February 5	Instruction Ends: <i>Health, Illness and Disease II, Part B</i>

Phase II

2026

Friday, February 6 - Thursday, March 19	Study Period for USMLE Step 1
Sunday, March 29	Phase II Begins* (Detailed Clinical Track Schedule will be Published Separately)

Clinical Clerkships

Neurology Clerkship (<i>Rotation I</i>) - 2026	April 5 – 30
Psychiatry Clerkship (<i>Rotation I</i>)	April 5 – May 14
Obstetrics and Gynecology Clerkship (<i>Rotation I</i>)	April 5 – May 14
Surgery Clerkship (<i>Rotation I</i>)	April 5 – June 4
Pediatrics Clerkship (<i>Rotation I</i>)	May 3 – June 18

****Tentative as subject to change***