WEILL CORNELL MEDICINE - QATAR
MEDICAL CURRICULUM

Second Year Curriculum - Phase I and II
2017 - 18 Academic Calendar
Class of 2020

Phase I

2017
Sunday, September 10
Instruction Begins: Health, Illness and Disease II
Sunday, December 17 - Monday, January 1
Winter Recess (including Qatar National Day, Christmas Day and New Year’s Day Holidays)

2018
Tuesday, January 2
Instruction Resumes: Health, Illness and Disease II
Tuesday, February 13
Qatar National Sports Day Holiday
Sunday, March 4 - Monday, March 5
Triple Jump Examination: Health, Illness and Disease II
Tuesday, March 6 - Thursday, March 8
Continuation of Health, Illness and Disease II (Transition to Clerkships)

Sunday, March 11 - Thursday, March 15
Flexible Time for Students (Designated as extra study time. Prior to scheduling alternative commitments, students MUST consult with the Course Director for Health, Illness and Disease II, as applicable)

Friday, March 16 - Friday, April 27
Vacation and Study Period for USMLE Step 1

Phase II

Saturday, April 28
Basic life Support Course (Mandatory)
Sunday, April 29 - Thursday, May 3
Pre-Clerkship Orientation Week (Mandatory)
Saturday, May 5
Fundamentals of Airway Management Workshop (Mandatory)
Thursday, June 14 - Thursday, June 21
Eid Al-Fitr Holiday*±

*Tentative as subject to change

±Students may be expected to be on-call either the weekend before or after the Eid holidays. It is the responsibility of the students to check with Clerkship Directors regarding clerkship obligations.

Clinical Clerkships

Obstetrics and Gynecology Clerkship (Rotation I) - 2018
May 6 - June 13
Pediatrics Clerkship (Rotation I)
May 6 - June 13
Medicine Clerkship (Rotation I)
May 13 - July 12
Surgery Clerkship (Rotation I)
May 13 - July 12

Refer to 2018-19 Class of 2020 Academic Calendar for continuation of clinical clerkships dates