COVID-19 ADJUSTED CALENDAR

2020-2021 University of Washington School of Medicine Academic Clinical Calendar

SUMMER QUARTER 2020

SOM Start: 06/29/20; SOM End: 09/18/20
UW Start: 06/22/20; UW End: 08/21/20

DATE	2	4	6	8	WEEKS
22-Jun					E18: Themes In Medicine Week 5 6/22-6/26/2020 E17: Themes In Medicine Week 7 6/22-6/26/2020
29-Jun	↕	↕	↕	↕	
10-Jul	↓	↓	↓	↓	
13-Jul	↕	↕	↕	↕	
24-Jul	↓	↓	↓	↓	
27-Jul	↕	↕	↕	↕	
7-Aug	↓	↓	↓	↓	
10-Aug	↕	↕	↕	↕	
21-Aug	↓	↓	↓	↓	
24-Aug	↕	↕	↕	↕	
4-Sep	↓	↓	↓	↓	
7-Sep	↕	↕	↕	↕	
18-Sep	↓	↓	↓	↓	

WINTER QUARTER 2021

SOM Start: 01/04/21; SOM End: 03/26/21
UW Start: 01/04/21; UW End: 03/19/21

DATE	2	4	6	8	WEEKS
28-Dec					UW Winter Break — Clerkships not offered 12/21/2020-01/03/2021
4-Jan	↕	↕	↕	↕	
15-Jan	↓	↓	↓	↓	
18-Jan	↕	↕	↕	↕	
29-Jan	↓	↓	↓	↓	
1-Feb	↕	↕	↕	↕	
12-Feb	↓	↓	↓	↓	
15-Feb	↕	↕	↕	↕	
26-Feb	↓	↓	↓	↓	
1-Mar	↕	↕	↕	↕	
12-Mar	↓	↓	↓	↓	
15-Mar	↕	↕	↕	↕	
26-Mar	↓	↓	↓	↓	

AUTUMN QUARTER 2020

SOM Start: 09/28/20; SOM End: 12/18/20
UW Start: 09/30/20; UW End: 12/18/20

DATE	2	4	6	8	WEEKS
21-Sep					E18: Themes In Medicine Week 6 9/21-9/25/20
28-Sep	↕	↕	↕	↕	
9-Oct	↓	↓	↓	↓	
12-Oct	↕	↕	↕	↕	
23-Oct	↓	↓	↓	↓	
26-Oct	↕	↕	↕	↕	
6-Nov	↓	↓	↓	↓	
9-Nov	↕	↕	↕	↕	
20-Nov	↓	↓	↓	↓	
23-Nov	↕	↕	↕	↕	
4-Dec	↓	↓	↓	↓	
7-Dec	↕	↕	↕	↕	
18-Dec	↓	↓	↓	↓	
21-Dec					UW Winter Break — Clerkships not offered 12/21/2020-01/03/2021

SPRING QUARTER 2021

SOM Start: 03/29/21; SOM End: 06/18/21
UW Start: 03/29/21; UW End: 06/11/21

DATE	2	4	6	12	WEEKS
29-Mar	↕	↕	↕	↕	
9-Apr	↓	↓	↓	↓	
12-Apr	↕	↕	↕	↕	
23-Apr	↓	↓	↓	↓	
26-Apr	↕	↕	↕	↕	
7-May	↓	↓	↓	↓	Patient Care OSCE, E18 Mid May - End June, 2021
10-May	↕	↕	↕	↕	Transition to Residency E17 5/10/21-5/20/21
21-May	↓	↓	↓	↓	Physician's Oath & Hooding Ceremony
24-May	↕	↕	↕	↕	
4-Jun	↓	↓	↓	↓	
7-Jun	↕	↕	↕	↕	Official UW Graduation- June 12, 2021
18-Jun	↓	↓	↓	↓	
21-Jun					E18: Themes In Medicine Week 7 6/21-06/25/2021 E19: Themes In Medicine Week 5 6/21-06/25/2021

Transition to Residency: May 10 - 20, 2021
Physician's Oath and Hooding Ceremony: May 22, 2021
Official UW Diploma Graduation Date: June 11, 2021
Official UW Graduation Ceremony: June 12, 2021

Notes

1. All clerkship timeframes must start on a Monday and end on a Friday.
2. Since the University of Washington is on a quarter system, clerkships offered by the UW School of Medicine must take place within the 12-week quarter and cannot overlap with breaks or extend into another quarter. Exceptions can be made on a case-by-case basis if a UW medical student is taking a "697" away clerkship at another LCME accredited institution.
3. Changes for the New COVID-affected 2020-2021 academic year are noted in RED, see details on changes below.
4. The Patient Care Phase Clerkship have been adjusted for the 2020-2021 academic year as follows:
   i.) Required Family Medicine, Required Obstetrics & Gynecology, Required Pediatrics, and Required Psychiary clerkships will be 4-week clerkships
   ii.) The Required Surgery Clerkship is made up of a 4-week clinical component and an online 2-week component direclty following the 4-week clinical component for a total of a 6-week clerkship.
   iii.) The Required Internal Medicine Clerkships will be 8 weeks in duration.
5. Spring 2021 is the start of the 2021-2022 academic year. This is when clerkship timframes return to their pre-COVID durations.
6. Due to Prometrics closures during Spring 2020, students starting entering the clinical phase will NOT be required to complete STEP 1 before they start their clinical clerkships in Summer 2020.
7. Because USMLE Step 2CS testing is suspended for 12-18 months, students graduating between Summer 2020 and Spring 2021 will not have to take Step 2CS for graduation. UPDATE 1/26/21: The FSMB and NBME have discontinued Step 2 CS and have no plans to bring it back.
8. The Step 2CK deadline will not be enforced for students graduating between Summer 2020 and Spring 2021, but is still required for graduation.

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