# Stead Family Department of Pediatrics

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### Courses

#### Pediatrics (Stead Family Department of Pediatrics) Courses

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Enhancement of clinical knowledge and skills for infant, child, adolescent care; development and refinement of knowledge and skills in primary health care delivery.

Clinical experience in conducting pediatric neuropsychology examinations in the Pediatric Attention/Learning Disorders Clinic.

Overview of autism spectrum disorders (ASDs), including autistic disorder, Asperger’s disorder, other pervasive developmental disorders; ASD diagnoses and their etiology; tools used in assessing individuals with ASDs; common interventions for ASDs; resources for work with individuals who have ASDs.

Experience conducting brief functional assessments and behavioral treatments for children and adults with developmental disabilities; interviews with caregivers, behavioral assessments, matched treatments (e.g., functional communication training); follow-up with caregivers.

Experience on pediatric inpatient team caring for patients ranging from infants through adolescents; evaluation, formulation of differential diagnoses, diagnostic workups, appropriate therapy programs. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Experience in the care of general pediatric inpatients; daily rounds and teaching by senior residents and faculty members; daily didactic conferences. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Experience caring for ill neonates, proficiency in using diagnostic tests and procedures; responsibility for care of several infants; reference and literature review, conferences, teaching, clinical rounds. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Direct care of critically ill children in a multidisciplinary medical/surgical/cardiac intensive care unit, under supervision of pediatric residents and staff; participation in educational activities and formal clinical rounds. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Pulmonary

Experience in evaluating and treating respiratory and allergic diseases in infants, children, and adolescents. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Participation in clinical activities; observation of cardiac catheterization; experience in cardiac auscultation, ECG, radiography; emphasis on physical diagnosis, approach to heart disease and murmurs in children. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Diagnosis, management, treatment of diseases of gastrointestinal tract, liver, pancreas in children; ward rounds, consultations, clinics, diagnostic procedures, conferences. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Basic concepts of clinical approach to hematologic and oncologic problems in children and adolescents; primarily outpatient experience. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Participation in outpatient and inpatient activities, teaching, morning ward rounds. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

Normal developmental sequence of gestation and early childhood, impact of environmental influences; antecedents of developmental disabilities; methods to detect cognitive and motor delays in preschool children; long-term consequences of developmental disabilities for children, their families; advantages of interdisciplinary teamwork. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.
PEDS:8415 Medical Genetics for the Senior Student arr.
Participation in diagnostic, therapeutic problems; techniques for evaluation, appropriate counseling in genetic cases; conferences. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8416 Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, Blank Children's Hospital 4 s.h.
Experience equivalent to intern on neonatal intensive care unit teaching service at Blank Children's Hospital, Des Moines; four-week rotation.

PEDS:8417 Community Pediatric Outpatient Elective 2 s.h.
Opportunity to participate as active members of a community-based general pediatric office; work directly with community-based faculty and non-physician team members; build on clinical skills developed in M3 pediatric clerkship. Requirements: M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8418 Pediatric Intensive Care Unit, Blank Children's Hospital 4 s.h.
Development of knowledge and clinical skills in recognition of critical illness in children; basic strategies of initial resuscitation and management.

PEDS:8419 Pediatric Rheumatology, Allergy, and Immunology 4 s.h.
Introduction to fields of rheumatology and allergy/immunology; utilization of self-reflection to guide self-directed learning; identification of knowledge and performance gaps and address those gaps; demonstration of ability to use evidence-based medicine in production of an evidence-based project; understand how socioeconomic factors affect patient populations through observed patient interactions. Requirements: M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8420 Pediatric Palliative Care 2,4 s.h.
Palliative medicine as a specialty which enhances quality of life, reduces suffering for patients with serious illnesses, and provides education and support for their families; interdisciplinary consult teamwork with patient's primary medical providers for inpatient or outpatient management of symptoms, goal setting, and decision making; introduction to pediatric palliative care with option to be involved in adult palliative care and local hospice services. Requirements: M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8421 Pediatric Endocrinology 2,4 s.h.
Diagnosis, management, and treatment of pediatric endocrine diseases: growth disorders (short stature, tall stature, delayed puberty, precocious puberty), thyroid disorders (hypothyroidism, hyperthyroidism, thyroid nodules), diabetes mellitus, diabetes insipidus, dysgenetic syndromes, ambiguous genitalia, adrenal insufficiency or adrenal steroid excess, and hypopituitarism. Requirements: M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8431 Pediatric Nephrology 2,4 s.h.
Introduction to general pediatric nephrology cases and management. Requirements: M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8450 Continuity of Care in Outpatient General Pediatrics 4 s.h.
Work with experienced general pediatrician in a longitudinal clinical experience for the academic year; paired with faculty pediatrician to see patients in a weekly clinic, provide clinical care to a defined patient population; growth and development, health supervision, and management of common acute and chronic clinical problems. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8495 Pediatric Intensive Care Off Campus arr.
Arranged by student and department. Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8497 Research in Pediatrics arr.
Medical research, clinical or laboratory projects; individual study.

PEDS:8498 Pediatrics On Campus arr.
Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.

PEDS:8499 Pediatrics Off Campus arr.
Requirements: fourth-year M.D. enrollment.