

The Curricular Milestones (CMs)

Based on Competency 6: Systems-Based Practice (SBP)

Effectively Working in Various Health-Care Systems

SBP-A1: 12 months

Understand unique roles and services provided by local health care delivery systems

SBP-A2: 24 months

Manage and coordinate care and care transitions across multiple delivery systems, including ambulatory, subacute, acute, rehabilitation and skilled nursing

SBP-A3: 36 months

Negotiate patient-centered care among multiple care providers

Effectively Working with Members of Health-Care Personnel

SBP-B1: 6 months

Appreciate roles of a variety of health care providers, including but not limited to consultants, therapists, nurses, home care workers, pharmacists, and social workers

SBP-B2: 6 months

Work effectively as a member within the interprofessional team to ensure safe patient care

SBP-B3: 12 months

Consider alternative solutions provided by other teammates

SBP-B4: 36 months

Demonstrate how to manage the team by utilizing the skills and coordinating the activities of interprofessional team members

System Errors and Improvement

SBP-C1: 12 months

Recognize health system forces that increase the risk for error including barriers to optimal care

SBP-C2: 12 months

Identify, reflect on, and learn from critical incidents such as near misses and preventable medical errors

SBP-C3: 24 months

Dialogue with care team members to identify risk for and prevention of medical error

SBP-C4: 24 months

Understand the mechanisms for analysis and correction of systems errors

SBP-C5: 36 months

Demonstrate ability to understand and engage in a system level quality improvement initiative

SBP-C6: 36 months

Partner with other healthcare team professionals to identify, propose improvement opportunities within the system

Health-Care Costs

SBP-D1: 12 months

Reflect awareness of common socio-economic barriers that impact patient care

SBP-D2: 12 months

Understand how cost-benefit analysis is applied to patient care (i.e. via principles of screening tests and the development of clinical guidelines)

SBP-D3: 24 months

Identify the role of various health care stakeholders including providers, suppliers, financiers, purchasers and consumers and their varied impact on the cost of and access to health care

SBP-D4: 24 months

Understand coding and reimbursement principles

Cost-Effectiveness

SBP-E1: 6 months

Identify costs for common diagnostic or therapeutic tests

SBP-E2: 6 months

Minimize unnecessary care including tests, procedures, therapies and ambulatory or hospital encounters

SBP-E3: 18 months

Demonstrate the incorporation of cost-awareness principles into standard clinical judgments and decision-making

SBP-E4: 36 months

Demonstrate the incorporation of cost-awareness principles into complex clinical scenarios