FORM C - DEGREE/PROGRAM CHANGE

Date: Jan. 14, 2008

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Family & Community Medicine
(Department/Division/Program/Branch)

CIP CODE

Assigned by Associate Provost for Academic Affairs

ROUTING (All Four Collated Sets)
1. Department Chairperson
2. College Curriculum Committee
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11. Faculty Senate
12. Board of Regents (new degree only)

*** Plan for curricular process to take at least 12 months.**

Mark Appropriate Program:

Undergraduate Degree Program ☒

Graduate Degree Program (For existing degree only) ☐

This form is for Physician Assistant Studies
Name of New or Existing Program

This program is or would be located in current undergraduate/graduate catalog on page(s). 553-556

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Major	☐	☒	☐	☐
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Concentration	☐	☐	☐	☐
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Emphasis	☐	☐	☐	☐
Department	☐	NA	☐	☐
Subject Code	☐	☐	☐	☐

Give exact title and requirements as they should appear in the catalog. See current catalog for format within the respective college (attach additional sheets if necessary). Identify in bracket form what is being changed.

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Reason(s) for Request (attach additional sheets if necessary).

Course deletions and additions to match School of Medicine curriculum changes

Attach statements to address Budgetary and Faculty Load Implications and Long-range planning.

Does this change affect in a significant way, any other departmental programs/branch campuses? Yes ____ No X

If yes, have you resolved these issues with department/branch involved? _____ (attach statement)

Proposed Effective Term: Fall (Term), 2008 (Year)

Required Signatures:

Department Chair		Date 1/15/08
College Curriculum Committee		Date
College or School Faculty (if necessary)		Date
College or School Dean/Dean of Instruction		Date 1-23-08
Office of the Registrar—Catalog	Elizabeth A. Baldon	Date 06/19/08
Director of relevent Library	James Teal, Deputy Dir, Health Sciences Library	Date 1/18/08
FS Graduate Committee (graduate courses)		Date
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PAST 425 HS&R and Endo	5

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322. Introduction to Clinical Medicine I - Genetics & Neoplasia (2)
This course focuses on genetic and neoplastic mechanisms of human disease production and integrates their biological, behavioral and population health aspects through lectures, problem-based tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program

323. Introduction to Clinical medicine I – Infection and Immunity (3)
This course focuses on infectious and immunologic mechanisms of human disease production integrating their biological, behavioral and population health aspects through lectures, problem-based tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program

425. Introduction to Clinical Medicine III – Human Sexuality and Reproduction and Endocrinology. (5)
This course focuses on human sexuality & reproduction and endocrinology and integrates the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

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MEMORANDUM

To: Kathleen Sena, Registrar

Cc: Nikki Katalanos, PA Program Director
Holly Phillips, HSLIC PA Program Liaison

From: Janis Teal, Deputy Director, Library Services

Date: January 18, 2008

Re: Health Sciences Library Impact Statement, Master's Program in Physician Assistantship

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This memorandum addresses the impact on the Health Sciences Library and Informatics Center (HSLIC) of changes to several PA courses:

- PAST 322 Genetics and Neoplasia
- PAST 323 Infection and Immunity
- PAST 425 Human Sexuality and Reproduction and Endo.

The content of these programs is not changing; the new courses reflect a reorganization of courses to conform to the School of Medicine Curriculum.

There will be no significant impact to the library represented by these changes.

the patient and to integrate this knowledge with theoretical/ clinical information in the curriculum.
Prerequisite: 510 and 571L and 572L and 671L. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

631. Research Practicum. (2)
Course is a continuation of PT 534 with further information on research design. The focus is on development of a thesis proposal.
Prerequisite: 534. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

641. Survey of Medical Sciences III: Neurology. (3)
This course provides a survey of the medical science of neurology through weekly lectures. In addition, during the seminar sessions for the physical therapy students (3 credit option), the students present case studies of patients with specific neurological problems and discuss goals and possible treatment techniques.
Prerequisite: 522L. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

662L. Evaluative Procedures II. (4)
Application of the therapy process (evaluation and intervention strategies) for infants, children and adolescents with neurological, psychosocial and orthopedic conditions which interfere with the typical developmental process. Problem-based learning and clinical observation sessions are included.
Prerequisite: 503L and 504L and 522L and 600. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

671L. Clinical Education III and Seminar. (4)
Two full weeks of supervised clinical experience in affiliated facilities with emphasis on integration of senior year course work. Weekly problem-based learning seminars supplemented by lecture and laboratories focus on initial orthopedic patient management.
Prerequisite: 571L, 572L. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

672L. Clinical Education IV and Seminar. (4)
Four weeks of supervised clinical experience pertaining to pediatric, acute care and neurological diagnoses, with increased responsibility for evaluation, treatment planning and patient care. Problem-based learning seminars emphasize issues in treatment progression and discharge planning.
Prerequisite: 571L and 572L and 671L. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

675L. Clinical Education V. (3-12 to a maximum of 21) Δ
Supervised clinical experience consisting of three eight-week full-time placements in various clinical settings. Increased responsibility in all areas of patient care, with progression to independence as an entry-level practitioner by the end of each placement. **Offered on a CR/NC basis only.**
Prerequisite: 571L, 572L, 671L, 672L. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

680. Organization and Administration. (2)
This course will enable occupational and physical therapy students to practice in an increasingly complex health care delivery system. Emphasis is on understanding of organizational systems including program planning, management, and reimbursement, as well as, legislation and ethics related to service delivery. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

690. Directed Study. (1-3 to a maximum of 9) Δ
Supervised independent study addressing a question or topic of relevance to physical therapy. May include, but not limited

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The Physician Assistant Profession

Physician Assistants (PAs) are health professionals licensed to practice medicine with physician supervision. PAs are qualified by graduation from an accredited Physician Assistant educational program and certification by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants. Within the physician/PA relationship, PAs exercise autonomy in medical decision-making and provide a broad range of diagnostic and therapeutic services. The clinical role of PAs includes primary and specialty care in medical and surgical practice settings in rural and urban areas. Physician Assistant practice is centered on patient care and may include educational, research and administrative activities.

Physician Assistant Studies Program

The PA program's mission is to educate Physician Assistants to practice primary care in medically underserved and rural areas of New Mexico.

This is a program housed in the Department of Family and Community Medicine within the School of Medicine. Instruction is provided by various departments and faculties of the Health Sciences Center. The professional curriculum is based on the principle of problem-based learning in small group tutorials. The program is 25 months in length and consists of didactic and clinical instruction. Students can expect to have clinical clerkships in rural and underserved areas of New Mexico. A Bachelor of Science degree will be awarded upon successful completion of the curriculum. Entry into this

690. Directed Study. (1-3 to a maximum of 9) Δ
Supervised independent study addressing a question or topic of relevance to physical therapy. May include, but not limited to, working with current faculty research, researching and addressing a question relative to evidence-based practice, completing an extensive case review or clinical outcome study. **Offered on a CR/NC basis only.** Prerequisite: 534, 631. Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

695. Topics in Physical Therapy. (1-3 to a maximum of 9) Δ
Content varies, students may be registered for several sections concurrently. Registration by approval of the Physical Therapy Program director. (Offered upon demand). Restriction: admitted to MPT program.

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Program Accreditation Status

The program has been fully accredited by the Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant since 1999. Graduation from an accredited program is required to sit for the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants exam.

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Program Prerequisites

Applicants must have completed 60 semester hours, which include the following courses, prior to applying to the PA Program. A minimum grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale as well as a science grade point average of at least 3.0 are required. The minimum grade for any prerequisite course is C or better. Course numbers listed below refer to The University of New Mexico courses.

Science:

General Biology with lab (123 and 124L)	4 credits
General Chemistry with lab (121L and 122L or 131L and 132L)	8 credits
Human Anatomy and Physiology I & II for the Health Sciences with lab (BIOL 237, 247L and 238, 248L)	8 credits
General Psychology (105)	3 credits

Mathematics:

College Algebra (121) or Calculus (162 or 163) or Statistics (145)	3 credits

Communication Skills:

(all English courses must be taken in the U.S.)

Six credits in English (writing or literature)	6 credits

Applicants with a bachelors or graduate degree need only complete the above prerequisite courses. Applicants without a degree must meet the requirements of The University of New Mexico Core Curriculum as listed below:

- Writing and Speaking (9 credit hours)
- Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours)
- Humanities (6 credit hours)
- Foreign Language (3 credit hours)
- Fine Arts (3 credit hours)

Refer to The University of New Mexico Core Curriculum in this catalog for acceptable courses.

Highly Recommended for All:

- Biochemistry
- Microbiology with lab
- Nutrition
- Organic Chemistry with lab
- Spanish/Other Regional Languages
- Basic Computer Skills
- Statistics
- Research Design

Clinical/Community Experience

We strongly recommend that applicants have worked a minimum of six months in either a patient care setting or a significant community care environment. Hands-on patient care experience is preferred.

Application for admission is made through the Central Application Service for Physician Assistants (CASPA) at http://www.caspaonline.org. The application and all supporting documents must be submitted to CASPA by September 1 each year for the class starting the following June. Applicants are encouraged to check the status of their CASPA application on a weekly basis. Apply early as CASPA may take up to 5 weeks to process the application. For questions or technical

PA Program Professional Curriculum

SUMMER		Credits
PAST 301	FMS I Population Health	1
PAST 304	FMS I Research Methodology	1
PAST 420	Clinical Seminar I	P/F
PAST 316	ICM I Dermatology	2
PAST 318	ICM I Orthopedics	2
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FALL		
PAST 302	FMS II Adolescent & Pediatric Medicine I	1
PAST 305	FMS II Adult &Geriatric Medicine I	1
PAST 306	FMS II Clinical Skills I	2
PAST 307	FMS II Pharmacology I	1
PAST 319	ICM I Human Structure	5
~~PAST 320~~	~~ICM I Mechanisms of Disease~~ INSERT A	~~5~~
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PAST 303	FMS III Adolescent & Pediatric Medicine II	2
PAST 308	FMS III Adult & Geriatric Medicine II	2
PAST 309	FMS III Pharmacology II	2
PAST 310	FMS III Clinical Skills II	1
PAST 421	Clinical Seminar II	P/F
PAST 317	ICM II Neurosciences	5
PAST 321	ICM II CV/Pulmonary/Renal	5
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SUMMER		
PAST 401	Clerkship Family Medicine	4
PAST 406	*Clerkship Women's Health	4
PAST 405	*Clerkship Pediatrics	4
PAST 407	*Clerkship Behavioral Medicine	4
	*choose 1 from these 3	8

FALL		
PAST 311	FMS IV Emergency Medicine	2
PAST 312	FMS IV Adolescent & Pediatric Medicine III	2
PAST 313	FMS IV Adult & Geriatric Medicine III	2
PAST 314	FMS IV Pharmacology III	2
PAST 315	FMS IV Clinical Skills III	1
PAST 418	ICM III GI/Nutrition/Metabolism INSERT B	3
~~PAST 419~~	~~ICM III Human Sexuality & Reproduction~~	~~3~~
~~PAST 424~~	~~ICM III Endocrine~~	~~2~~
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SPRING		
PAST 403	Clerkship Emergency Medicine	4
PAST 405	**Clerkship Pediatrics	4
PAST 406	**Clerkship Women's Health	4
PAST 407	**Clerkship Behavioral Medicine	4
PAST 408	Clerkship General Internal Medicine	4
PAST 409	Clerkship Elective	P/F
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PAST 422	Clinical Seminar III	P/F
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SUMMER		
PAST 404	Clerkship Surgery	4
PAST 402	Primary Care Preceptorship	6
		10

Clerkship and preceptorship credits 34

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PAST 422	Clinical Seminar III	P/F
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SUMMER		
PAST 404	Clerkship Surgery	4
PAST 402	Primary Care Preceptorship	6
		10
Clerkship and preceptorship credits		**34**
Professional curriculum credits		**55**
Total semester credits		**89**

Physician Assistant Studies Program (PAST)

All courses require admission to the PA Program. No PAST course may be challenged or preempted based on clinical or academic experiences.

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301. Foundations of Medical Science I – Population Health. (1)
An orientation to population health. Topics covered include: history of community and public health, basic epidemiology and health promotion/disease prevention.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

302. Foundations of Medical Science II – Adolescent and Pediatric Medicine I. (1)
An overview of clinical issues in health care from the prenatal period through adolescence.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

303. Foundations of Medical Science III – Adolescent and Pediatric Medicine II. (2)
A continuation of the clinical issues in health care from the prenatal period through adolescence.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

304. Foundations of Medical Science I – Research Methods. (1)
An overview of evidence-based medicine, informatics and review of the medical literature.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

305. Foundations of Medical Science II – Adult and Geriatric Medicine I. (1)
An overview of clinical issues in health care from the young adult through elder years.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

306. Foundations of Medical Science II – Clinical Skills I. (2)
Introduction to clinical examination skills. Focus is on the patient interview, physical examination, and writing skills essential to clinical practice.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

307. Foundations of Medical Science II – Pharmacology I. (1)
An introduction to pharmacology and pharmacotherapy in disorders commonly encountered in primary care medicine.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

308. Foundations of Medical Science III – Adult and Geriatric Medicine II. (2)
A continuation of the clinical issues in health care from the young adult through elder years.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

309. Foundations of Medical Science III – Pharmacology II. (2)
A continuation of pharmacology and pharmacotherapy in disorders commonly encountered in primary care medicine.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

310. Foundations of Medical Science III – Clinical Skills II. (1)
Supervised experience in a one-half day per week clinical setting. Students also develop focused clinical skills correlating with first year academic blocks of study.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

311. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Emergency Medicine. (2)

314. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Pharmacology III. (2)
A continuation of pharmacology and pharmacotherapy in disorders commonly encountered in primary care medicine.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

315. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Clinical Skills III. (1)
Continuation of supervised experience in a one-half day per week clinical setting. Students also develop focused clinical skills correlating with second year academic blocks of study.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

316. Introduction to Clinical Medicine I – Dermatology. (2)
This course focuses on dermatology and introduces the student to an integration of the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

317. Introduction to Clinical Medicine II – Neuroscience. (5)
This course focuses on neuroscience and introduces the student to an integration of the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

318. Introduction to Clinical Medicine I – Orthopedics. (2)
This course focuses on orthopedics and introduces the student to an integration of the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

319. Introduction to Clinical Medicine I – Human Structure. (5)
This course focuses on anatomy, embryology and histology and introduces the student to an integration of the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

~~**320. Introduction to Clinical Medicine I – Mechanisms of Disease. (5)**~~
~~This course focuses on mechanism of disease production in the human body and introduces the student to an integration of biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.~~
~~Restriction: admitted to PAST program.~~

321. Introduction to Clinical Medicine II – CV-Pulmonary-Renal. (5)
This course focuses on pulmonary medicine and cardiovascular/renal disease and introduces the student to an integration of biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

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311. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Emergency Medicine. (2)
Overview of common problems encountered in emergency medicine and medical procedures.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

312. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Adolescent and Pediatric Medicine III. (2)
A continuation of the clinical issues in health care from the prenatal period through adolescence.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

313. Foundations of Medical Science IV – Adult and Geriatric Medicine III. (2)
A continuation of the clinical issues in health care from the young adult through elder years.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

laboratories.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

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401. Clerkship Family Medicine. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Family Medicine. This clinical experience introduces the student to the evaluation of patients in a broad primary care setting. Problems addressed include acute and chronic care and preventive healthcare maintenance.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

402. Primary Care Preceptorship. (6)
Six-week supervised clinical clerkship serves as the student's culminating experience in primary care medicine. Students function at advanced level in care of patients in both outpatient and inpatient settings.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

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403. Clerkship Emergency Medicine. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Emergency Medicine. This clinical experience introduces the student to patient care in an emergency and acute care setting. The student will additionally gain experience in procedures commonly employed in emergency medicine.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

404. Clerkship Surgery. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in General Surgery. This clinical experience introduces the student to the pre-operative and post-operative care of the general surgical patient in the office and hospital setting. Additionally students will assist in surgery.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

405. Clerkship Pediatrics. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Pediatric Medicine. This clinical experience introduces the student to health assessment and anticipatory guidance in pediatrics from newborn through adolescence in a family practice setting.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

406. Clerkship Women's Health. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Women's Healthcare. This clinical experience introduces the student to the assessment of the female patient from family planning and pregnancy through menopause.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

407. Clerkship Behavorial Medicine. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Behavioral Medicine. This clinical experience provides students with the opportunity to care for patients with behavioral/psychiatric problems commonly encountered in the primary care setting.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

408. Clerkship General Internal Medicine. (4)
Supervised clinical clerkship in Internal Medicine. This clinical experience introduces the student to the acute and chronic care of adult patients in the hospital setting with a focus on internal medicine.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

409. Clerkship Elective. (0)
Supervised clinical clerkship. This clinical experience allows the student an opportunity to elect an area of clinical practice. Students may choose a specialty area of personal interest or an area not covered by other clerkships.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

418. Introduction to Clinical Medicine III – GI-Nutrition-Metabolism. (3)
This course focuses on the pathophysiology associated with common disorders of the gastrointestinal system. Additionally the student will be introduced to human nutritional requirements and the physiology of metabolism of proteins, fats and carbohydrates.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

~~**419. Introduction to Clinical Medicine III – Human Sexuality and Reproduction. (3)**~~
~~This course focuses on human sexuality & reproduction and introduces the student to an integration of the biologi-~~
~~cal, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures,~~

coping with illness and injury, responses to death and dying and advance directives. **Offered on a CR/NC basis only.**
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

422. Clinical Seminar III. (0)
Clinical Seminar III continues in the presentation of professional practice issues. Topics include health policy, reimbursement, HIPAA rules and regulations. Additional sections continue during phase III to include issues of importance to a new graduate PA. **Offered on a CR/NC basis only.**
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

423. Independent Study. (1-14 to a maximum of 14) Δ
This variable credit course will focus on a formal research project conducted by the PA student with faculty supervision.
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

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~~**424. Introduction to Clinical Medicine III – Endocrine. (2)**~~
~~This course focuses on endocrinology and introduces the student to an integration of the biological, behavioral and population aspects of medicine through a series of lectures, problem-based learning tutorials and laboratories.~~
~~Restriction: admitted to PAST program.~~

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Introduction

Four options are listed for students seeking certification in either Nuclear Medicine or Radiography.

1) Nuclear Medicine Imaging Certificate Program
2) Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Sciences–Concentration in Nuclear Medicine
3) Associate of Science in Radiography
4) Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Sciences–Concentration in Radiography

Nuclear Medicine Imaging Certificate Program

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~~Restriction: admitted to PAST program.~~

420. Clinical Seminar I. (0)
Clinical Seminar I focuses on professional practice issues. Topics include the history of medicine and the PA profession and issues of importance in the emerging health care system. **Offered on a CR/NC basis only.**
Restriction: admitted to PAST program.

421. Clinical Seminar II. (0)
Clinical Seminar II continues with professional practice issues. Topics include medical ethics, patient counseling,

Nuclear Medicine Imaging Certificate Program

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The NCAC-accredited program in nuclear medicine imaging provides the student with the knowledge and skills necessary to perform complex diagnostic procedures involving the in vitro and in vivo use of radiopharmaceuticals and state-of-the-art nuclear instrumentation. Enrollment is limited to eight students each year. The course of study begins in the summer and ends after four consecutive semesters of clinical and didactic experience at The University of New Mexico Hospital, Presbyterian Hospital and Veterans Administration Medical Center.

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