Elective Course Proposal

**Department:** Family Medicine

**Course Number:** FAMP 709 S

**Title:** Primary Care Sports Medicine Elective

**Prerequisites:** 4th Year Students only

**Course Directors:** Charles Webb, DO and Jim Chesnutt, MD

**Number of Weeks:** 2

**Times Offered:** Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Feb and May

**Hospital/Clinics:** Gabriel Park Health Center

**Number of Students:** 1 per rotation

**In House Call:** N/A

**Offered to Non-OHSU Students:** NO

**Credits:** 3

**Elective Type:** Academic

**Application Process:** Applications will be reviewed for this elective, which is only open to fourth-year students planning to enter residencies in Family Medicine, Pediatrics, Internal Medicine, or Emergency Medicine.

*Send applications to: Jessica Brown, brownjes@ohsu.edu or call 503-494-5715*

**Method of Evaluation:** Graded.

Students will be evaluated based upon their demonstrated level of clinical expertise and professionalism.

**Recommended Texts:**


**Course Description and Objectives:**

Students will actively participate in patient care in the OHSU Sports Medicine Clinics (Gabriel Park and Center for Health and Healing). This elective is clinically oriented with emphasis place on physical examination techniques, and the diagnosis and treatment of musculoskeletal injuries as well as care of the athlete. These concepts will be applied to the care of professional and elite athletes, as well as grade school, high school, college and recreational athletes in the Portland Metro area. Opportunities will exist for the student to participate with their attending physicians at Portland State University, Lewis and Clark College sports medicine clinics and events. Experience may also include medical coverage for several other athletic events here in Portland. The student will also attend sports medicine conferences, family medicine grand rounds and case conferences. This rotation is for those students with a strong interest in Primary Care Sports Medicine whose goal is to provide a link between the rapidly expanding core of knowledge related to sports medicine and its application to patients in the primary care setting.

**Objectives:** By the end of this 2 week elective, students will be able to

1. Describe medical issues in athletics/athletes (i.e. concussion, mononucleosis, illness, diabetes, asthma)
2. Evaluate musculoskeletal injuries in the return to play guidance.
3. Demonstrate hands-on PE skills

Department Approval: ____________________________
Application for the sports medicine elective:

Name

Dates you would like to do the elective

What is your primary specialty interest?

Why are you interested in sports medicine?