

NEW PROGRAMMING FOR ALL
FIRST YEAR PT STUDENTS



FOUNDATIONS OF INTERPROFESSIONAL EDUCATION AND PRACTICE

WHO IS IT FOR?

The Foundations of Interprofessional Education and Practice course is a University of Maryland, Baltimore (UMB) interprofessional course for new entry-to-practice students attending UMB schools.

The course is required for all Physical Therapy students in their first year.

WHAT IS IT?

The Foundations of Interprofessional Education and Practice is a no-charge, non-credit, pass/fail course, embedded in existing courses, and required for graduation. It introduces students from multiple disciplines to concepts such as communication, roles, teamwork, and ethics that will enable diverse disciplines to work collaboratively to enhance patient-family, and community-focused health care.

WHY ARE YOU REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THIS?

In 2009, in response to the rising complexities seen today across all sectors of health care, the national associations for schools of medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy, and public health formed the Interprofessional Education Collaborative (IPEC) to promote and encourage inter professional learning experiences for health profession students.

IPEC instituted the following four Core Competency Domains for health profession students:

- Values/Ethics for Interprofessional Practice
- Roles and Responsibilities
- Interprofessional Communication
- Teams and Teamwork

UMB is committed to providing its students with the skills to practice collaboratively. Collaboration among professions is critical to providing safe, high quality, accessible, person-centered care and improved population health outcomes.

For information about the domains and additional resources, please visit www.ipecollaborative.org/resources.html

If you have questions, please contact smccombewaller@som.umaryland.edu

HOW WILL YOU COMPLETE THE REQUIREMENT?

Six Modules = 3 Face to Face + 3 Online

Students complete six interprofessional learning experiences over two semesters.

Module No. 1

is scheduled face to face in the first few weeks of the fall semester with other UMB disciplines (medicine, pharmacy, dental hygiene, and physical therapy) will be emailed to you before the semester start.

Modules Nos. 2 and 3

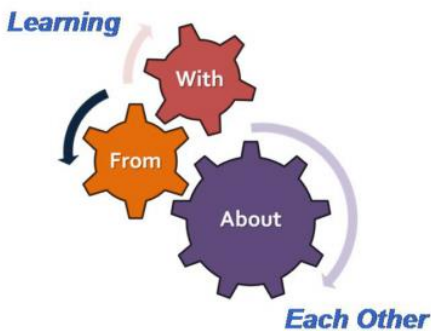
will occur online via Blackboard during the fall semester.

Modules Nos. 4 and 6

are scheduled face to face in the spring semester with other UMB disciplines (medicine, pharmacy, dental hygiene, and physical therapy). Module 4 is early in the semester, while Module 6 is later in the semester. The date, time, and location (on the UMB campus) will be emailed to you.

Module No. 5

will occur online via Blackboard during the spring semester.



HOW DOES SCHEDULING WORK?

FALL:

The first three modules are required elements in PTRS 513 Basic Sciences II

You will be scheduled for one of 3 in-person **Module 1** sessions where you will meet and learn about your interprofessional team.

Modules Nos. 2 and 3 are completed online, together with your interprofessional team

Modules and assignments can be found in Blackboard, under the Foundations of Interprofessional Education and Practice Course or accessed via a link in Basic Science II.

You are required to complete all three Modules. Should you not pass or have to miss **Module No. 1** – you will be provided with alternate make-up assignments that are required to be passed in order to pass Basic Sciences II.

SPRING:

Modules Nos. 4 – 6 are required elements in PTRS 514 Basic Sciences III

You will be scheduled for two in-person Module sessions (**Modules Nos. 4 and 6**) where you will work in-person with your interprofessional team.

Module No. 5 will be completed online together with your interprofessional team

Modules and assignments can be found in Blackboard under the Foundations of Interprofessional Education and Practice Course or accessed via a link in Basic Science III.

You are required to complete all three Modules. Should you not pass or have to miss **Modules Nos. 4 or 6** – you will be provided with alternate make-up assignments that are required to be passed in order to pass Basic Sciences III.