Flex Week Proposal:

Title	Interdisciplinary Shared Decision Making		
Experience Category	Clinical shadowing	Professional Enrichment Courses (PECs)	
	Research-related	Professional Development	
[bold your category]	Community Service	Wellness	
	Other:		
Goal	Introduce students to shared decisions making, providing content		
	and context through didactics and discussion. Translate the		
	classroom knowledge into clinical experience by shadowing		
	physicians utilizing SDM in daily practice, after discussion in a variety		
	of clinical contexts		
Brief Description	Didactics- Beckwith Center for Shared Decision Making course		
	Clinical shadowing- in a variety of settings, including NICU, breast		
	cancer surgical selection, hip and knee replacement, palliative care,		
	ICU, Primary care, medical selection in Psychiatry and Cardiovascular		
	care		
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Department	Interdisciplinary		
Capacity (# students)	5		
Location	Varies		
Reporting Info/First			
Day Location			
Maximum # of	5		
students			
Minimum # of	2		
students			

MS1 (Class of 2028)				
Week	Start Date (Mon)	End Date (Fri)	Available?	
5	TUE 9/3/2024	9/6/2024		
12	TUE 10/22/2024	10/25/2024		
26	1/27/2025	1/31/2025		
30	2/24/2025	2/28/2025		
59	9/16/2025	9/20/2025		

MS2 (Class of 2027)			
Week	Start Date (Mon)	End Date (Fri)	Available?
59	9/16/24	9/20/24	X
70	12/2/2025	12/6/2025	

Weekly Schedule (5 hours/day with 2 hours synchronous activity; Avg. 25 hours per week)

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
AM					
PM					

Please be as descriptive as possible as schedule will be made available to students

Schedule splitting:	Partial OK
Would it be possible for students to take SOME of the weekly schedule (e.g., just mornings or just a few half-days), or would you prefer that a student take the schedule in its entirety? [bold your choice]	Full required
If so above, please designate which parts	
of your schedule this would impact	

NOTES:

- Schedules should have activities for students at least 5hr/dy, with at least 2hr/dy synchronous
- Unlike PEC's, students will not receive grades/certificates for flex week completion