Rural Scholars Track Steering Committee

The charge of the Rural Scholar Track (RST) Steering Committee is to develop and monitor the rural curriculum and clinical experiences for the students enrolled in the RST. The committee monitors the outcomes of the program, including the selection and academic progress of students, advising, and reviewing students' selection of residency and practice sites to ensure consistency and compliance with the conditions of the RST scholarship.

The committee is composed of primary care faculty members from clinical departments, the Director of Primary Care Programs, a rural residency program director, a representative of the Louisiana Area Health Education Centers, a representative of the SOM Dean's office from graduate or undergraduate medical education, and community members. A member of the Admissions Committee serves in an ex-officio, non-voting capacity.