

Electives (410, 420-499)

2026-2027

Anatomy

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
ANAT 420- Elective- Surgical Anatomy	9			

Note: While geared toward students expecting to match into surgical residencies, this course offers a review of the entire body and can benefit those entering non-surgical residencies as well.

Anesthesiology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
ANES 420- Elective- Anesthesiology	1-8 (Anes only) 9-11 (all students)	All	All but 7	
ANES 420- Elective- OB Anesthesiology	1-11 (at Touro) Odd (Anes only) Even (OB only)			
ANES 420- Elective- Pediatric Anesthesiology	1-7 (Anes only) 8-11 (all students)			
ANES 499- Elective- Anesthesiology				All

Note: Students must submit a statement of interest for ANES 420 in New Orleans before being approved for a rotation unless you are applying to match into Anesthesia. All students must submit a statement of interest for ANES 420 OB Anesthesiology.

Dermatology

Rotation	N.O.	B.R.	LAF	Out of System
DERM 420- Elective- Clinical Dermatology	1-6 (Derm only) 8-11 (all students)			
DERM 499- Elective- Dermatology				All

Note: This rotation consists of two weeks in New Orleans and two weeks in Baton Rouge.

Emergency Medicine

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MED 420- Elective- Emergency Medicine			1-7 (EM only) 8-10 (all students)	
MED 499- Elective- Emergency Medicine				All

N.O. - New Orleans

LAF - Lafayette

B.R. - Baton Rouge

BOG - Bogalusa

LC - Lake Charles

OoS - Out of System

X – Unavailable

Family Medicine*Please see page after rotations offerings for information on scheduling Family Medicine courses*

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	BOG	LC	OoS
FMMD 410- Global Health (Multiple Locations)					Varies
FMMD 420- Elective- ER (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All			
FMMD 420- Elective- Family Practice		All	All	All	
FMMD 420- Geriatrics (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All			
FMMD 420- Radiology (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All			
FMMD 420- Rural Scholars Preceptorship (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All			
FMMD 420- Sports Medicine (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All			
FMMD 499- Elective- Family Medicine					All

Internal Medicine

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
MED 415- Elective- Ambulatory Medicine	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Allergy/Immunology	All but 7			
MED 420- Elective- Applied Theory in Clinical Medical Education: An Introductory Approach			6	
MED 420- Elective- Cardiology	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Endocrine	All but 7 and 8	All but 7		
MED 420- Elective- Gastroenterology	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Hematology/Oncology	All but 7	All but 7		
MED 420- Elective- Hospital Medicine			All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- ICU (Rural Scholars Track ONLY)		All but 7		
MED 420- Elective- Infectious Diseases	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Launchpad: An Intern Preparedness Course for Internal Medicine	10			
MED 420- Elective- MICU	All		All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Nephrology	All but 7		All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Population Health Management (<i>Virtual Rotation</i>)	All but 7			
MED 420- Elective- Pulmonary Medicine	All but 7		All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- Rheumatology	All but 7			
MED 490- Elective- Concept Maps (1 st week in person; remainder virtual; no housing provided in BR)			1 and 2	
MED 499- Elective- Internal Medicine				All
MED 499- Elective- Occupational Medicine				All but 7
MED 499- Elective- Radiation Oncology				All

Note: Enrollment in MED 420 Population Health Management must be submitted 30 days in advance via application. Please email Dana Smith for application.

Medical Clinical Sciences

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MCLIN 420- Elective- Humanities in Medicine	8			
MCLIN 460- Elective- Medical Education	2, 4, 5, 9			
MCLIN 461- Elective- Senior Clinical Teaching (OBGYN)	All but 7			
MCLIN 461- Elective- Senior Clinical Teaching (Pediatrics)	Longitudinal but scheduled in 10			
MCLIN 462- Elective- Leadership in Healthcare	9			
MCLIN 498- Senior Research Elective	All	All	All	All
MCLIN 499- External Clinical Experience (1 week / 38 hours)				All
MCLIN 499- External Clinical Experience (2 weeks / 76 hours)				All
MCLIN 499- External Clinical Experience (3 weeks / 114 hours)				All
MCLIN 499- External Clinical Experience (4 weeks / 152 hours)				All

Medicine/Pediatrics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MEDPED 420- Elective- Medicine/Pediatrics	All but 7			
MEDPED 499- Elective- Medicine Pediatrics				All

Note: Students must submit a paragraph expressing rationale for their interest in MEDPED 420.

Neurology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
NEURO 420- Elective- Clinical Neurology-Inpatient	All but 7			
NEURO 420- Elective- Clinical Neurology-Outpatient/Clinics	All but 7			
NEURO 420- Elective- Neurology/Child Neurology	All but 7			
NEURO 499- Elective- Neurology				All

Neurological Surgery

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
NSURG 420- Elective- Clinical Neurosurgery	All			
NSURG 499- Elective- Neurosurgery				All

Obstetrics/Gynecology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
OBGYN 415- Elective- Ambulatory Care	All but 7			
OBGYN 420- Elective- Gynecologic Oncology	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9		6, 8, 9, 10, 11	
OBGYN 420- Elective- Maternal Fetal Medicine	All but 7		6, 8, 9, 10, 11	
OBGYN 420- Elective- Obstetrics and Gynecology	All but 7			
OBGYN 420- Elective- Reproductive Endocrinology & Infertility	All but 7		All but 7 (very limited)	
OBGYN 420- Elective-Boot Camp: Introduction to Intern Year	10			
OBGYN 499- Elective- Obstetrics and Gynecology				All

Ophthalmology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
OPHTH 420- Elective- Clinical Ophthalmology	All			
OPHTH 420- Elective- Clinical Ophthalmology- Retina	All			
OPHTH 499- Elective- Ophthalmology				All

Orthopedics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
ORTH 420- Elective- Orthopedic Surgery	All			
ORTH 499- Elective- Orthopedics				All

Otorhinolaryngology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
OTOR 420- Elective- ENT Clinical Clerkship		All		
OTOR 499- Elective- Otorhinolaryngology				All

Pathology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
PATH 420- Elective- Anatomic and Clinical Pathology	All but 7			
PATH 499- Elective- Pathology				All

Note: Preference is given to students applying to Pathology residencies in Blocks 1-4.

Pediatrics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
PEDI 420- Elective- Adolescent Medicine			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Allergy/Immun- Clinics			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Ambulatory Care Clinic			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Ambulatory Care Clinic/Newborn Nursery			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Ambulatory Pediatrics- Combination (Choose 2 to 3: Gen Peds, A/I, Pulm, GI, Genetics, Rheum, CHNOLA admin)	All			
PEDI 420- Elective- Ambulatory Pediatrics- Tiger Care (General Pediatrics) Clinic	All			
PEDI 420- Elective- Ambulatory Pediatrics- Private Office (must be arranged by the student)	All			
PEDI 420- Elective- Cardiology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Combination (combine any two pediatric rotations)	All			
PEDI 420- Elective- Community Medicine [(Clinic, Nursery, ER) in Bogalusa, LA]	8-11			
PEDI 420- Elective- Endocrinology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Gastroenterology & Nutrition			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Hematology/Oncology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- ICU (PICU, NICU, Touro NICU, PICU/NICU)	6-10			
PEDI 420- Elective- Infectious Disease			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Inpatient Subspecialty Combination (Choose 2: Renal/Endo, Cards/GI, Heme-Onc, ID, Well Baby)	All		All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Nephrology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Neurology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Newborn Nursery			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- NICU			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Non-Operative Sports Medicine			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Pediatric EM	All		All	
PEDI 420- Elective- PICU			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- PICU/NICU			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Pulmonology			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Research/QI	All			
PEDI 420- Elective- Wards	6-10			
PEDI 420- Elective- Wards/NICU			All but 7	
PEDI 420- Elective- Wards/PICU			All	
PEDI 420- Elective- Well-Baby Nursery/NICU	All			
PEDI 499- Elective- Pediatrics				All

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Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MED 420- Elective- PM&R- EMG/Inpatient Consults	All			
MED 420- Elective- PM&R- General			All but 7	
MED 420- Elective- PM&R- Inpatient Rehabilitation	All			
MED 420- Elective- PM&R- Musculoskeletal	All			
MED 420- Elective- PM&R- Pediatric Rehabilitation	All			
MED 499- Elective- PM&R				All

Psychiatry

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
PSYC 420- Elective- Addiction Psychiatry	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)			
PSYC 420- Elective- Child/Adolescent Inpatient Psychiatry	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)			
PSYC 420- Elective- Consult/Liaison Psychiatry	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)		1-6 (Psych only) 7-11 (all students)	
PSYC 420- Elective- Emergency Psychiatry	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)			
PSYC 420- Elective- General Adult Inpatient			1-6 (Psych only) 7-11 (all students)	
PSYC 420- Elective- General Psychiatry	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)		1-6 (Psych only) 7-11 (all students)	
PSYC 450- Elective- Narrative Medicine: Critical Concepts, Methods and Applications	2 and 9			
PSYC 460- Elective- Introduction to Medical Humanities for Psychiatrists	8			
PSYC 470- Elective- Psychiatry through Film (Virtual)			1 (Virtual)	
PSYC 499- Elective- Psychiatry				All

Radiology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
RADI 420- Elective- General Diagnostic Radiology	All but 7		4, 5, 6, 10, 11	
RADI 420- Interventional Radiology	All but 7			
RADI 499- Elective- Radiology				All

Surgery

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
SURG 420- Elective- Burn and Reconstructive Surgery	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Colorectal Surgery	All			
SURG 420- Elective- General Surgery		All	All	
SURG 420- Elective- General Surgery (Cohn's Service)	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Pediatric Surgery	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Plastic Surgery	1-6			
SURG 420- Elective- Surgical Oncology	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Trauma/TICU	All			
SURG 420- Elective- Vascular Surgery	All			
SURG 499- Elective- Surgery				All

Urology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
UROL 420- Elective- Urology	All but 5			
UROL 499- Elective- Urology				All

Primary Acting Internships (419)

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Family Medicine

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Rotation	OMC-K	East Jeff	LAF	BOG	LC	OoS
FMMD 419- Required Acting Internship	All but 7	3, 6, 9	All	All	All	

Internal Medicine

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
MED 419- Acting Internship	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	

Obstetrics/Gynecology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
OBGYN 419- Required Acting Internship	All but 7		1-5	

Pediatrics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
PEDI 419- Primary Acting Internship			All	
PEDI 419- Primary Acting Internship- HEME/ONC	1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9			
PEDI 419- Primary Acting Internship-Wards	All			
PEDI 419- Primary Acting Internship- Combination	All			

Surgery

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
SURG 419- Required AI Burn and Reconstructive Surgery	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Colorectal Surgery	All			
SURG 419- Required AI General Surgery		All	All	
SURG 419- Required AI General Surgery (Cohn's service)	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Pediatric Surgery	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Plastic Surgery	1-6			
SURG 419- Required AI Surgical Oncology	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Trauma/TICU	All			
SURG 419- Required AI Vascular Surgery	All			

Required Courses

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Academic Affairs

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
FLEX				All

Medical Clinical Sciences

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MCLIN 400- Critical Concepts	1, 3-11		5-10	

Special Topics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
SPTP 400- Special Topics	12			

Secondary Acting Internships (417 & 418)

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Anesthesiology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
ANES 418- Secondary Acting Internship	1-8 (Anes only)	All		All

Dermatology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
DERM 417- Secondary Acting Internship				All

Emergency Medicine

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
MED 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Emergency Medicine	1-4 (EM only)		1-7 (EM only) 8-10 (all students)	All

Family Medicine

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Rotation	OMC-K	East Jeff	LAF	BOG	LC	OoS
FMMD 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All but 7	3, 6, 9	All	All	All	All

Internal Medicine

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MED 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All but 7	All but 7	All but 7	All
MED 418- Secondary Acting Internship- MICU	All			

Neurology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
NEURO 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Adult Neurology	All but 7			
NEURO 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Child Neurology	All but 7			
NEURO 418- Secondary Acting Internship				All

Neurological Surgery

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
NSURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All			All

Obstetrics/Gynecology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
OBGYN 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All but 7		1-5	All
OBGYN 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Gynecologic Oncology	All but 7			

Ophthalmology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
OPHTH 418- Secondary Acting Internship				All

Orthopedics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
ORTH 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All			All

Otorhinolaryngology

Rotation	B.R./N.O.	LAF	Out of System
OTOR 418- Secondary Acting Internship	All		All

Note: OTOR 418 consists of two weeks in Baton Rouge at Our Lady of the Lake and two week in New Orleans, one at Children's Hospital and one at UMCNO.

Pediatrics

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship			All	All
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- HEME/ONC	1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9			
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Inpatient/PICU			All	
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- NICU	All		All but 7	
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- PICU	1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 10		All but 7	
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- Combination	All			
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- PICU/NICU			All but 7	
PEDI 418- Secondary Acting Internship- WARDS	All			

In New Orleans, pediatric rotation schedule request changes for LSU fourth year students will be accepted up through one block in advance of the request, with exceptions made for students with extenuating circumstances.

Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
MED 418- Secondary Acting Internship- PM&R	All (PM&R Only)			All

Only students interested in PM&R are allowed to participate in Acting Internships.

Psychiatry

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	OoS
PSYC 418- Secondary Acting Internship	1-7 (Psych only) 8-11 (all students)		1-6 (Psych only) 7-11 (all students)	All

Surgery

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
SURG 418- Secondary AI Burn and Reconstructive Surgery	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Cardiac and Thoracic Surgery	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Colorectal Surgery	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship General Surgery		All	All	All
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship General Surgery (Cohn's service)	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Pediatric Surgery	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Plastic Surgery	1-6			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Surgical Oncology	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Trauma/TICU	All			
SURG 418- Secondary Acting Internship Vascular Surgery	All			

Urology

Rotation	N.O.	LAF	B.R.	Out of System
UROL 418- Secondary Acting Internship	1-4, 6-11			All