

ELECTIVE NAME:

Pediatric Subspecialties: Allergy

COURSE NO:

PHD 601

INSTITUTION:

Helen DeVos Children's Hospital & ambulatory settings

DESCRIPTION:

The student will become familiar with history taking including a survey of the environment, examination of patients, laboratory techniques, and interpretation of the results as they relate to the specialty. The student will manage asthma, rhinitis, atopic dermatitis, anaphylaxis, drug reactions, food reactions, urticaria, and angioedema. The student will become familiar with skin testing and its interpretation, pulmonary function testing, and the indications for immunotherapy.

EVALUATION:

Students will be evaluated on quality of presentations, Clinical performance, and application of knowledge. Preceptor(s) will be asked to submit a written evaluation at the conclusion of the clerkship. Faculty are encouraged to provide ongoing feedback throughout elective rotations.