Department of Medicine
Committees
2012-2013

Research Council

Mission: The Research Council meets monthly to discuss issues related to clinical and basic science research for the Department of Medicine. Appointments are made by the Chairman of Medicine. The committee is chaired by the Vice Chairman for Research. This Council is charged with organizing and administering the Department of Medicine Research Day, and advising the Chairman on matters related to departmental funds dedicated to the research mission.

Gailen Marshall (C) 5-5527

CME Conference Committee
(1st Tues, 7:00-8:00am, H682A)

Mission: To perform advanced planning, oversight and evaluation of all Tuesday chairs’ Conferences (formerly "ground rounds"). This effort is directed at improving the quality and participation of learners at all levels in this venue.

Rick deShazo (C) 5-3865
Ms. Bryce Ainsworth (staff), contact 5-1264

Education Council
(1st Weds. 8:00-9:00 am, L611)

Mission: To oversee, assist in, and approve all educational programs in the department for all learner levels, from M1 year through fellowship and to include faculty. Council members include a variety of faculty involved in the many levels of education (including VA representation).

Vince Herrin (C) 4-5614 or 4-5601
Ms. Bryce Ainsworth (Admin), contact 5-1264

Fellowship Program Directors
(Staggered quarterly, on a Tues., 7:00-8:30am, L611)

Mission: Meetings of all fellowship program directors and led by departmental fellowship leadership (Vice Chair for Education/Residency Program Director, Associate Program Director for Subspecialties, and Fellowship Programs Administrator) are held quarterly to discuss any relevant issues affecting the various programs and to disseminate pertinent information.

S. Calvin Thigpen (C) 5-6482 or 5-1264
Ms. Bryce Ainsworth (Admin), contact 5-1264

House-officer Selection Committee:
(Fridays, 12:00-1:00 pm, L507)
(September – February - Chief Selection)

Mission: Members are appointed by program directors to rate and rank residency applicants; committee members also interview the residency applicants.

Vince Herrin (C) 4-5614 or 4-5601
Ms. Cheryl Moss, contact 4-5601