



MINUTES: Curriculum Committee

Thursday, Nov. 2, 2017

Time: 5:15 pm

Location: D4-16

Members Present: J. Hardeman, presiding, C. Widmer, G. Childs, C. Migliorati, A. Tow, A. Delgado, L. Mugayar, M. Dawley, R. Gonzalez, S. Meyer, B. Sleeth, K. Radner

Excused: V. Sposetti, D. Dilbone, A. Alvarez, M.E. Castellanos, R. Caudle, T. Kompotiati

Guest: L. Gonzaga

Agenda	Item	Presenter/Discussion	Action/Motion
Minutes	Minutes	The committee reviewed the Oct. 5, 2017, minutes.	Motion: Approve October 5, 2017, meeting minutes. (Radner/Gonzalez) Approved.
Proposals	Request for New Elective: Integrating the Digital Workflow in Implant Dentistry	Dr. Gonzaga presented, Integrating the Digital Workflow in Implant Dentistry elective proposal (see handout). The committee was supportive of this proposal however; it was requested that Dr. Gonzaga and Dr. Martin further design how students would be selected with input from Dr. Nimmo, Dr. Echeto, possibly the Team Leader and a short essay. When approved the elective would begin in Summer 2018 and be ongoing annually.	Motion: Table the approval. Dr. L. Gonzaga and Dr. W. Martin will further define the application process and represent at the December 5, 2017 meeting. (Migliorati/Widmer) Approved.
Outcome Measures	DEN7961L, Clinical Examination I -Class of 2019	Dr. Dilbone provided a summary handout of DEN7961L (see handout). In the Class of 2019: 93 students took the exam, 20 students failed one or more sections, all were remediated within 6 weeks, with the exception of one student. Dr. Dilbone reported the Division of Operative Dentistry is reviewing this course in conjunction with the Earlier Clinical Experience Workgroup to more closely align the various disciplines with early patient care experiences.	
New Business	Approve change in UFCD Competency 21 to align with current CODA Standard	G. Childs reviewed the language addition from CODA Standard 2-22e, that Dr. Sposetti brought to the committee last month. CODA is immediately implementing this change and as such our current UFCD Competencies for the New Dental Graduate” should reflect the same language, “Provide oral health care within the scope of general dentistry to include local anesthesia and pain and anxiety control, including consideration of the impact of prescribing practices and substance use disorder. ”	Motion: Approve the additional language to UFCD Competency 21 to align with current CODA Standard (Dilbone/Gonzalez) Approved.
Curriculum Management		The Summer 2017 - Course Evaluation Summary was previously shared with the committee. G. Childs asked about	G. Childs will meet with Dr. Echeto to review the DEN7413C Course Evaluation.

		<p>DEN7413C: Removable Partial Prosthodontics: Principles & Techniques. One student recognized Dr. Echeto's efforts to make this course interactive and was appreciative of the excellent course reviews. The challenge is getting all students in the team to participate. Another student felt all of the visual aids yet suggested some content areas would be better suited with a lecture introduction.</p> <p>Semester 2 Syllabi Review Workgroup</p>	<p>This working meeting is scheduled for November 20, 2017.</p>
<p>Workgroup Updates</p>	<p>Global Competency Assessment Workgroup</p> <p>Earlier Clinical Experiences</p> <p>Pain Management Workgroup</p>	<p>Competency assessment feedback has been received from Oral Medicine, Orthodontics, Community Dentistry, Behavioral Sciences, Oral Pathology and Practice Management. Working meetings are being proposed with the other Departments. Dr. Hardeman asked how we can further help the remaining departments. Dr. Dilbone felt we would be in a more defensible position with duplicate competency assessments in some areas.</p> <p>G. Childs provided an update on a gap in applied infection control with the Class of 2020. She has worked with the Office of Clinical Administration to implement an infection control lab for the Class of 2021 in December in preparation for the Cariology clinics in the Spring semester. In addition to these efforts all faculty are expected to reinforce all dimensions of infection control in the clinics. Dr. Migliorati supported infection control refresh lectures in the curriculum. He also reported volunteers are to observe and not assist, but he will verify this. One student reported the way some students pass syringes seems very dangerous for needle injury.</p> <p>Dr. Widmer reported that he and Dr. Caudle met once after the last meeting to discuss prescribing practices across the curriculum and will plan to meet again.</p>	<p>G. Childs will send the current list of courses identified though an ECO and Examsoft search regarding where we currently teach about controlled substances to Dr. Widmer and Dr. Caudle.</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Adjourned 6:12 pm</p>	<p>December 7, 2017</p>	