Internships - Student Assessment of Clinical Experiences

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Facility: _____________Ogden Regional Medical Center___________
Clinical Instructors: _______Jeff Knowles and Gus Bolos______________

Please complete this form and provide a copy to your Clinical Instructor and submit a copy via WebCT. These evaluations are shared with the facility, future students, and clinical education faculty. Thank you.

**Purpose:**
To identify CI’s who are valuable mentors.
To identify developing CI’s who may benefit from clinical faculty development through Clinical Education Training.
To identify areas in which the Division should supplement or further develop the academic or clinical preparation.

**Instructions:** In the blank following each item, please rate each item according to the following scale:

1 Strongly disagree, needs improvement
2 Disagree, would benefit from some improvement
3 Agree, good meets basic expectations, no improvement necessary
4 Strongly Agree, very good, exceeds expectations
5 Very Strongly Agree, excellent, far exceeds expectations

**FACILITY**
Orientation: The policies and procedures of the facility (dress code, hours, documentation, record keeping, tour, staff introductions, location of equipment/supplies) were made available to me upon arrival to the facility. _2_

Comments: I asked questions about dress code and hrs over the phone but I got my tour two weeks late, only introduced to about half the staff.

Orientation: I was instructed on facility standards regarding emergency procedures (fire procedures, disaster plan, patient emergency, security, etc)_______1_______

Comments: i saw the badge but that's it. I know the hospital offers orientation and I think it would be good for the students to have to go through that on their first day or before the internship starts.

I had the opportunity to be exposed to a wide variety of diagnoses: _____4_____
Comments: You never know who'll come into the hospital

I was given an opportunity to observe and/or perform a wide variety of treatments. ______3______
Comments: We did the same therapies with most patients.

I was given an opportunity to work with other health care professionals. ______4______
Comments: I particularly enjoyed IDT (Inter-disciplinary team) meetings and seeing how everyone works together to provide complete care of the patients in TCU.

I was given the opportunity to supervise, delegate to and work with supportive personnel__4____
Comments: Yes, one CI ade me do it more than the other which was better for my learning. I tend to shy away and it was better for my personality that way.

I was given adequate time and opportunity to prepare for treatments (including chart review, equipment, setup, etc) and to perform quality treatments__4____
Comments: There's a lot of pressure when there's six evals to do.

The facility (workload, scheduling, administration, and staff) allowed time, supported and had a positive attitude of regard for clinical education and my experience for learning: ___5_____
Comments: They like having students and are comitted to aking sure we learn the necessities.

The facility offered a notable quality and variety of exposure to the clinical world (stimulating clinical environment for patient care type/setting, exposure to professional development opportunities, exposure to appropriate professionalism, role modeling of staff, respect, and positive regard for all patients/families/staff/other health professionals…)___5_____
Comments: You see a lot in the hospital...it's a great place for variety and cotact with several health care professionals.

The facility offered a notable variety of supplementary or unique learning experiences (i.e. exposure to other health professionals, exposure to various aspects of PT, opportunity to observe surgery, home evaluation, etc)____4____
Comments:
Overall this facility offered me a positive clinical education experience 5

Comments:

CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR

The CI reviewed my background, level of preparation and goals at the beginning of the internship and objectives and goals for the internship were mutually determined: 3

Comments:

The CI planned, selected and facilitated learning experiences and opportunities; modified learning experiences based upon my performance and abilities and sequenced learning experiences to allow progression towards my goals 4

Comments:

The CI presented clear expectations for my performance at the beginning and throughout the internship: 4

Comments: One CI allowed me to pace myself more and the other challenged me everyday by pulling me more out of my comfort zone. It's a good balance to have both types of CI in one setting. I thought I had an idea of what I'd work up to but clear expectations were never set.

The CI was accessible and regularly available for questions, feedback, discussion, consultation, observation and/or supervision: 4

Comments: Most of the time they were nearby. Sometimes I had to walk around the hospital a bit to find them in another patient's room.

The level of supervision was appropriate to and adapted to my level of clinical experience throughout the internship 5

Comments:

My CI was interested in his/her role as a clinical supervisor (i.e. invested in the process, welcomed students, enthusiastic about sharing clinical expertise, etc.) 5

Comments: I felt very welcomed to the work environment and my CI's seemed to enjoy telling
about their experiences.

The attitude of the CI toward patients fit my concept of professional and ethical behavior: ___5____

Comments: They are professional and ethical but also we're all human and sometimes patience wore a little thin.

The CI encouraged me to think critically and to problem solve: ___5____

Comments: One CI especially ushered me this way. My first couple weeks with him he always had something new for me to think on.

The CI encouraged me to take responsibility for and to take an active role in my own learning experiences: ___5____

Comments: My CI who allowed me to pace myself more did this by making me more accountable for my progress.

The CI gave me timely, useful, frequent and specific feedback when appropriate, and did so in an appropriate manner (not embarrassing). Time and space were considered and allowed for during this communication: ___4___

Comments: I was told to do my best and they'd correct me when I was wrong, this helped me to not be nervous about their watchful eye.

Evaluation of my performance by the CI was fair and objective; it included the identification of my strengths and areas that need improvement. I received feedback from my CI that was non-threatening and constructive___5____

Comments:

My clinical performance evaluation process encouraged my reflection, self-assessment and input___5____

Comments: I like knowing where I stand, it gives me areas to focus my improvements.
The CI demonstrated good time management and organizational skills.

Comments: They always got their work done, it seemed to me.

The CI was able to effectively and practically manage problems, challenges and conflicts that arose.

Comments: I saw the CI's in confrontational situations a couple times with patients and I think they handled themselves well.

The CI solicited my communication and feedback.

Comments: My CI's are very receptive to my feedback.

The CI was sensitive to my individual learning style, experience and personality.

Comments: They asked e how I wanted to receive feedback from them. Also how much supervision made me feel comfortable or uncomfortable from them.

The CI had effective verbal and non-verbal communication skills and was responsive to my communication.

Comments:

The CI demonstrated clinical expertise and competency in his/her area of PT practice.

Comments: They do their job well and look things up when they're not sure or question themselves.

Overall, I would say that my CI was an effective supervisor of this learning opportunity.

Comments:

Additional Comments:
ACADEMIC PREP

How well did you feel that the academic curriculum prepared you for this clinical experience?

Comments: Pretty well, I regurgitated a lot of info without knowing exactly how it applied until I was able to see it in a patient. More Neuro or cardiac would have been helpful.

Estimate the average time in hours that you spent outside clinical hours in prep for the clinical experience: ___1-2/wk, mostly spent working on my case report.

What were the strengths of your academic prep for this internship?
We are exposed to a broad amount of information and much of it was applicable in some way.

What were the areas of needed improvement of your academic prep for this internship?
It's difficult to know exactly what will be required of the site and we won't be completely prepared because there's not enough time to learn everything before our first internship.
CLINICAL EDUCATION PREP

What were the strengths to prep you clinically for this 1st year internship?

What areas of improvement are needed for you for clinical prep for this 1st year internship?

Please share any input with regard to the Director of Clinical Education in terms of your preparation for clinical education, communications relative to clinical education, and coordination of your clinical experiences.

Any additional comments:
Thank you for your time and energy to evaluate the clinical education experience from both preparation and experiential perspectives, your input is invaluable to the Division, clinical faculty and future student affiliations.