## Pathways Curriculum Map

**HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL**

### Beginning August 2015

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### Foundations
- Introduction to the Profession (ITP)
- Practice of Medicine: Foundational communication, physical exam, clinical reasoning and presentation skills.
- Goal: 4-year longitudinal clinical skills curriculum.
- Biochemistry, Cell Biology, Genetics, Developmental Biology, and introduction to Anatomy, Histology, Pharmacology, Pathology, Immunology, Microbiology

### SPS
- Social and Population Sciences: Health Policy, Medical Ethics & Professionalism, Social Medicine, Clinical Epidemiology/Population Health

### Transition to the PCE
- Transition to the Principal Clinical Experience: Intensive ramp-up clinical skills, clinical anatomy, introduction to imaging, SPS, BLS, mask fitting, occupational health, screening, life on wards, HIPAA, digital professionalism, standard precautions, PCE orientation.

### Professional Development Weeks:
- Three one-week periods of assessment, feedback, self-reflection, advising to consolidate learning and generate individualized learning plans.

### Recess

### Organ Systems Courses:
- Including relevant anatomy, pathology, pharmacology, etc.

#### Immunity in Defense and Disease (IDD)

#### Homeostasis 1: CV, Resp, Heme

#### Homeostasis 2: Renal, GI, Endo, Repro

#### Mind, Brain, Behavior and Development (MBBD)

#### Advanced Experiences & Scholarly Project
- Advanced integrated science courses, Scholarly Project, clinical electives, sub-internship and student-as-teacher opportunities

#### USMLE Study/Step 1
- Step 1: Study Oct/Nov Year III; take by 12/31 Year III

#### USMLE Steps 2CS & 2CK
- Steps 2CS & 2CK: Take CS by 11/1 and CK by 12/31 Year IV


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