AGENDA

I. Opening
   A. Approval of Minutes: Approve at next meeting.

II. Business
   A. EBME - Dr. Ledford
      Dr. Ledford reviewed a research article on Reliability and Validity in Educational Measurement. Professionalism: what student behavior predicts unprofessional behavior? Article identified responsibility, nervousness/anxiety as predictors. Sources of measure: evaluation.

   B. 2011-2012 Med 3-4 Calendar review.
      Dr. McIlroy presented the background issues, discussions, and recommendations for revising the Med 3-4 calendar to coordinate with resident rotation dates. This new calendar is seen as the most reasonable solution to a difficult scheduling process. Motion and second to accept revised Med 3-4 calendar; passed.

   C. Longitudinal Skills curriculum.
      John Hill presented the database for Clinical Skills Curricula (handout). Dr. Khandelwal and John Hill will send the database to the committee and clerkship directors for review; would like to get small core for discussion and then decide how to move forward.
D. Hand Hygiene - Dr. Khandelwal. Dr. Khandelwal reviewed recent hospital initiatives for compliance enforcement regarding hand washing. The Med 3-4 Committee has been asked to develop a formal student policy and process to consistently enforce it. Dr. Khandelwal asked for a group to develop a policy and consequences for violations. Discussion surrounded the need for education at all student levels (Med 1 through Med 4) since pre-clinical students are assigned clinical activities and because different faculty/programs have taught different approaches. There is also concern about teaching students a specific process when disinfecting areas are inside the room some places and outside the room other places. The committee suggested we have two groups, one group to look at the educational aspect and one group to look at the infraction aspect.

E. Match Day - March 17th. Students will be excused that morning from obligations. Students can request March 18th off as an acceptable absence.

F. Radiology Integration for Med 1-2 and 3-4. The Radiology Department wants to provide more involvement in student education including support for clerkships. They want to increase interest in Radiology and want to increase enrollment of women.

III. Student Rep Reports Med 4: some Surgery DOC-4s aren't available in July, August and September. Students would like 2-week rotations for electives (exploration) in Med 4. Med 3 students would have liked a week to prepare for scheduling after the Med 4 scheduling meeting was held.

IV. Student Review Report Exam issues are still the focus of Student Review.

Dr. Shim and Dr. Liston agreed to begin the policy process.