NON-CREDIT ELECTIVE TITLE

Alternative & Complimentary Medicine

COURSE NUMBER

FMED 0908A

LOCATION

RWJMS Piscataway / New Brunswick

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BLOCKS AVAILABLE

Academic Year

DURATION/WEEKS

N/A

HOURS PER WEEK

0-1

STUDENTS

N/A

LECTURES/SEMINARS

6-8 a year

OUTPATIENT

N/A

INPATIENT

N/A

HOUSESTAFF

N/A

NIGHT CALL

N/A

WEEKENDS

N/A

LAB

N/A

EXAM REQUIRED

No

OVERALL EDUCATIONAL GOAL:

Complementary and Alternative Medicine is rapidly gaining popularity with many patients. This non-credit elective was designed in order to expose medical students to the many CAM modalities that are currently available, in order to better serve their patients and advocate for healing.

OBJECTIVES

The Complementary and Alternative Medicine non-credit elective serves to introduce Robert Wood Johnson Medical Students and the larger RWJMS community to different alternative and complimentary medical modalities.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITIES

There are 6-8 lectures, seminars or workshops each year, each covering a different topic within Complimentary or alternative or integrative medicine.

METHOD OF EVALUATION

Participants must attend 70% of the lectures offered in order to receive credit.