

# Univ of Arkansas for Medical Sciences - Course Catalog - 2014-2015

<b>Obstetrics and Gynecology: OB-GYN-UTELM - Distant Health and Telemedicine</b>	
Course Type	Elective
Prerequisites:	
Restriction days:	7
Keywords:	
Course Objectives:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To learn and appreciate the fundamentals of telemedicine</li> <li>2. To understand and explore the clinical and educational opportunities telemedicine can offer to under-served areas of the state, nationally, and internationally</li> <li>3. To understand the potential medical and economic impact of telemedicine can have on health care in the future</li> <li>4. To understand the potential medical and economic impact of telemedicine can have on health care in the future</li> <li>5. To understand and appreciate the importance of working with the multidisciplinary and multi-specialty team</li> <li>6. To gain a better appreciation of social disparities the challenge delivery of medical care today</li> </ol>
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Slot	518
Duration	4 Weeks
Max students	1
Available	Blocks 1 - 10
Textbooks & Materials	Textbook is recommended, but not required for this course. Introduction to Telemedicine by Richard Wootton, John Craig, Victor Patterson; ISBN #978-1-85315-677-9 Hodder Arnold Publishers, March 2011.
Specific Duties of the Student	<p>**The student will be working closely alongside physicians, physician extenders, and support staff in the evaluation and development of medical plans for telemedicine patients, particularly for those in underserved areas of Arkansas</p> <p>**The student will be required to attend all, and participate at times in all, scheduled multi-site teleconferences</p> <p>**By the end of the rotation, the student will be required to write an abstract to be submitted to the American Telemedicine Association</p>

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Specific Duties of the Student cont.	conference **The student will complete required readings as assigned **The student will register and complete tele-health education and orientation as assigned
Report to (Location)	Contact Course Coordinator the Monday prior to rotation start date for details
Housing	Available
Parking	Yes
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