

# **FM Enhanced Skills in Global Health and Vulnerable Populations : Goals and Objectives**

## **Brazil – Rio de Janeiro**

During these rotations, residents will develop familiarity with standards of care and expectations of family health teams as they pertain to primary care in Sao Paulo. Residents will work closely with Brazilian colleagues at the family health teams and liaise with peers, medical students and faculty at the Faculdade de Santa Marcelina.

### **Medical Expert:**

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Demonstrate knowledge of key clinical conditions commonly seen in Rio settings and offer comparative approaches to similar conditions as they are addressed in Canada.
- Use Brazilian guidelines to understand best practices for care delivered in Rio de Janeiro.
- Complete an accurate and well organized history and physical examinations pertinent to the clinical context
- Recommend appropriate diagnostic testing based on resources available in setting of practice.
- Identify common therapeutic interventions used in the clinical setting for common conditions and identify similarities and differences to therapeutics and accessibility compared to Sao Paulo.
- Demonstrates knowledge about family medicine and preventative care

### **Communicator:**

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Establish and continue to build on Portuguese language skills.
- Recognize patient's beliefs and experiences as influences in the illness experience.

### **Collaborator:**

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Engage Rio colleagues in discussion about the challenges and strengths of the expansion of primary health care system in Rio.
- Compare and contrast the approaches to common conditions between the Canadian and Brazilian system with colleagues.
- Contribute to the wider collaborative relationship between Canada and Brazil and help strengthen ties and learning opportunities between both partners.
- Participate effectively and appropriately in an interprofessional healthcare team. Collaborate with teams involved in resident training and service

- provision (as required) and other professionals including allied health staff and community health agents.
- Share knowledge effectively to assist in the formulation of a health care plan (as required) and help advance the knowledge and practice of family medicine in the global context
  - Demonstrate an understanding of role in team. Contribute to team effectiveness. Manage differences and resolve conflict, if applicable. Ask for assistance appropriately

Leader:

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Describe the resource management challenges faced by health teams serving favela communities in Rio city.

Health Advocate:

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Engage actively with allied health care team members to advocate for patients' biopsychosocial needs within the context of the resources and system available.

Scholar:

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Demonstrate an ability to teach others at the medical student and resident level.
- Engage in self-directed learning activities to better understand the primary care model of care and its history in Brazil.
- Contribute to scholarly activities including participation and presentation (as required) in the family medicine residency program activities.
- Maintain and enhance professional activities through ongoing learning. Critically evaluate medical information and its sources, and apply this appropriately to practice domains.
- Effectively use evidence in day to day clinical and non-clinical work, such as teaching. Read around cases and is knowledgeable about common presentations seen within Rio sites.

Professional

The PGY3 Resident will:

- Demonstrate a commitment to their profession and to society, through ethical practice