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ELECTIVE NAME:

Pediatric Endocrine & Metabolism

COURSE NO:

PHD 601

PREREQUISITE:

Req'd Pediatric Clerkship

INSTITUTION:

DeVos Children's Hospital

OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of the elective the student should:

1. Understand processes of normal growth, be able to assess growth in all pediatric age groups, and be familiar with the evaluation and treatment of growth disorders
2. Understand the State Screening Program for Endocrine disorders of newborns, the treatment and long term care of these disorders, and how to work with parents of children identified by the screening program to allay fears and help them understand the necessary care for their infants
3. Have a solid grasp of the need for a multidisciplinary approach to Diabetes Mellitus in children

EVALUATION:

Preceptor(s) will be asked to submit a written evaluation at the conclusion of the clerkship. Faculty are encouraged to provide ongoing feedback throughout elective rotations.