



Interdisciplinary Resident Elective in Health Equity

Developed by the Department of Emergency Medicine

Open to all residents and fellows in any GME program at Vanderbilt University Medical Center

Topics include:

- Structural competence and social drivers of health
- Limited english proficiency and immigration
- Incarceration, immigration, housing insecurity and mental health
- Trust, availability, acceptability, and accessibility of healthcare
- Clinical manifestations of power, privilege, and racism
- Bias in medicine - implicit bias to explicit discrimination
- Introducing skills for advocacy, policy change and systems solutions

2 week elective

Sept 23-Oct 4, 2022

or

Feb 22-Mar 7, 2023

Education

Engage in an interactive flipped-classroom model with multi-media learning modalities, interactive discussions, didactic teaching, and innovative simulation cases

Community Engagement

Join specially selected Vanderbilt teams and community partners treating vulnerable populations through direct clinical and community experiences

Capstone

Create a project focused on addressing and dismantling systemic inequities with the opportunity to pursue implementation or publication upon completion

If interested please contact Jennifer Hess, MD jennifer.hess@vumc.org