

UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI SCHOOL OF PHARMACY
ADVANCED PHARMACY PRACTICE EXPERIENCES

Student: _____ Date: ___/___/___ Rotation Type: **AMBULATORY CARE** Rotation #

Preceptor: _____ Preceptor Signature: _____

APPE Ambulatory Care PRCT 587 Continuity of Care

Directions: Identify one patient you can see one-on-one to complete the following tasks.

Identify the number of different physicians or other health care providers prescribing medications for the selected patient. Also identify the specific pharmacy used by the patient, and if multiple pharmacies are used. (Question 1 of 5 - Mandatory)

Discuss with the patient what the term "polypharmacy" means. Then identify reasons why polypharmacy should be minimized. List the reasons below. (Question 2 of 5 - Mandatory)

What are at least two barriers that keep health care providers from achieving maximal continuity of care? Identify one barrier specifically related to pharmacy and one barrier related to physician/other health care provider care. (Question 3 of 5 - Mandatory)

Identify one way that a pharmacist can help to minimize barriers that lead to a breakdown in continuity of care. This must be a practical activity that can be done on a daily basis. (Question 4 of 5 - Mandatory)

Identify one way that patients can help ensure care is continuous despite using different specialists. Give a short explanation on who has the ultimate responsibility for ensuring continuous care takes place. (Question 5 of 5 - Mandatory)

Review your answers in this evaluation. If you are satisfied with the evaluation, click the SUBMIT button below. Once submitted, evaluations are no longer available for you to make further changes.