

# Rx PEP TALK

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS

### Important Dates

Rotation 4 Start	September 22
Residency Showcase	September 22
Oxford Career Day	October 4
Pharmacy Recruitment Day	October 5
Rotation 4 Finish	October 14
Rotation 5 Start	October 17

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## APPE Notes

### September 22 – Residency Showcase

PY4 students interested in pursuing residencies will have a chance to meet with different residency programs at the Residency Showcase. The Showcase will be held on the UMMC campus in Jackson at the Student Union. This activity is optional for PY4 students, who may be excused from rotations to attend. Attendance will be monitored.

### October 4 & 5 – Oxford Career Day and Pharmacy Recruitment Day

The UM Career Center will host an all majors Career Day that PY4 students may participate in on October 4th. This will be held from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Students may also choose to participate in Pharmacy Recruitment Day on October 5<sup>th</sup>, which will be held from 8:30 to 4:00 at the Ole Miss Student Union. Attendance for these events is optional and will be monitored.

## IPPE Notes

**PY3 Students** are currently in the middle of their Block 1 rotations, which will conclude September 30<sup>th</sup>. Block 2 rotation schedules are being worked on currently and will be sent out soon. The preferred weeks for Block 2 Rotations are:

Block 2 Rotation Weeks
10/10/2016 – 10/14/2016*
10/17/2016 – 10/21/2016
10/24/2016 – 10/28/2016
11/07/2016 – 11/11/2016
11/14/2016 – 11/18/2016

\*The UMMC Flu Blitz will occur during this week and will take the place of one of the scheduled rotation meetings for Block 2.

## PEP Office News & Notes

### Preceptor Availability Calendars – DEADLINE 9/16

We have begun collecting Preceptor Availability Calendars for the upcoming 2017-18 APPE and 2016-17 IPPE academic calendars. If you have not had a chance to send your calendar in yet, please go ahead and email ([kgilbert@umc.edu](mailto:kgilbert@umc.edu)) or fax (601-815-1160) it in. Please remember to submit both the Calendar Month (10 APPE Rotations) and the 5-Week (8 APPE Rotations) versions of the Preceptor Availability Calendar.

### Tripartite Committee to Meet

The Tripartite Committee (SOP, BOP, and Pharmacy Organizations) will meet October 12<sup>th</sup>. The committee will review all current preceptors and sites, and examine new preceptors and site applications.

### UMMC Flu Blitz

School of Pharmacy students will once again participate with other healthcare students to provide flu shots on the UMMC campus during the annual Flu Blitz. This year's Blitz will be during the week of October 10<sup>th</sup>.



## SNAPSHOT



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Several PY3 and PY4 students had the chance to participate and attend the UMMC IPE Luncheon held August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016.