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### PT 582.01: Clinical Clerkship

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## **Levison: Specific Clinical Course Requirements**

### **PT 582: Clinical Clerkship Requirements**

1. Complete 24 hours where placed.
2. Receive comments that reflect appropriate performance with no significant concerns in the following:
  - Safety
  - Personal presentation (hygiene, grooming, dress, etc.)
  - Interpersonal interactions (verbal and non-verbal communication, respectful, etc.)
  - General professionalism (ethical, takes responsibility, initiative, etc.)
  - Collaborative Skills (team work, positive interactions, individual responsibility, involved in-group processing.)
3. Obtain observation and supervised practice opportunities in as many of the following areas as possible and receive appropriate comments reflecting performance at the level expected for first year student: **(CI comments as appropriate for each category)**
  - Goniometry
  - Manual muscle testing
  - Patient positioning and draping
  - Modality application
  - Palpation
  - Posture and Gait
  - Patient interview
  - General orthopedic examination and special tests
  - Soft tissue mobilization
  - Documentation and home programs

4. Turn in **your** documentation of a patient visit no later than one week after the completion of your clerkship. You can get feedback from CI. Keep the pt's name confidential.
5. Pick a common orthopedic diagnosis/surgery seen at the clinic you are assigned to. (ex. Shoulder impingement, ACL reconstruction, etc.) Pick a different dx than what your partner picks and share what you learn and the following assignment with your partner. Write up:
  - the key questions you would want to ask during a hx.
  - the special tests that you would want to include in an exam
  - the bibliography of one article from a peer reviewed journal that gives you some **new** knowledge regarding the examination or treatment for this dx.
6. For those students doing a 2:1, provide your partner with daily feedback on their performance. For those doing a 1:1, meet with your partner at least weekly and discuss your experiences.
7. Attend at least 2 case report presentations (Look for announcements of topics and times). Turn in a brief report that includes the presenter's name and topic of the presentation, summary of a few key points, what the presenter did very well and what one thing you would have them improve on.
8. Turn in this form with your CI's signature and your documentation sample **no later than one week** after completion of your clerkship.