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SHADOWING REQUIREMENTS - Spring 2024

DEADLINE - 4:00 pm on Monday, April 22, 2024

- 1) Return your SHADOWING BADGE to the **HPAO**
- 2) Upload the completed Physician Signature Log
- 3) Upload the Activities Tracking Form (including your Reflection Paragraph)
- 4) Upload copy of Note of Appreciation

(Failure to meet these requirements will result in a loss of future shadowing privileges!)

Why shadow?

Shadowing may be the defining experience that tells you whether or not you want to be a physician. You get a sense of what it's like working with patients, working with other health care practitioners (nurses, PAs, and others), and what the challenges and rewards are of working in the medical profession. Observing the patient-physician interaction can also provide meaningful insight into effective communication skills in medicine. Having this clinical experience lets admissions committees know that you have some understanding of what you are getting into. It also shows admissions officers your commitment to a medical career because you have taken initiative in learning about being a physician prior to applying to medical school.

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^{***} If you did not meet the minimum requirements and did not find another physician to shadow, provide a reason why, along with the name and email address of your physician FOR OUR <u>CONSIDERATION</u> in determining whether or not to revoke your shadowing privileges. ***