

UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
Combined Clerkships & Bridges Phases Block Calendar
Class of 2029 (Clerkship Phase)
AY 2027-2028

CLERKSHIP PERIOD	PRE-CLERKSHIP	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6	DISCOVERY WEEK	Period 7	Period 8	Period 9	Period 10	Period 11	RECESS	Period 12	DISCOVERY WEEK
DATES (Monday to Sunday)		02/08/27 to 03/07/27	03/08/27 to 04/04/27	04/05/27 to 05/02/27	05/03/27 to 05/30/27	06/01/27 to 06/27/27	06/28/27 to 07/25/27		08/02/27 to 08/29/27	08/30/27 to 09/26/27	09/27/27 to 10/24/27	10/25/27 to 11/21/27	11/22/27 to 12/19/27		01/03/28 to 01/30/28	
LENGTH		4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks		4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks	4 weeks		4 weeks	

NOTES: Pre-clerkship is January 25- February 7, 2027
Memorial Day is Monday May 31, 2027
Juneteenth is observed Friday June 18, 2027
Independence Day is observed Monday July 5, 2027
Discovery week July 26- August 1, 2027
Labor Day is Monday September 6, 2027
Thanksgiving Recess is November 25- 28, 2027 (Thurs thru Sun)
Winter Recess is December 20, 2027 - January 2, 2028 (Mon thru Sun)
Martin Luther King Jr. Day is Monday January 18, 2028

Required Courses in the Combined Clerkships & Bridges Phases include:

2 weeks Anesthesiology

4 weeks: Adult Outpatient Medicine, Family Medicine, Neurology, Psychiatry, Acute Care

6 weeks: Obstetrics and Gynecology

8 weeks: Adult Inpatient Medicine, Pediatric, Surgery

1 Acting Internship: Cardiothoracic Surgery, Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, MICU, NICU, Pediatrics, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, Surgery

1 Integrated Life Science: ILS

4 Longitudinal Courses: Diagnostics, Longitudinal Alliance Program, Longitudinal Research Program, Discovery Weeks

1 Boot Camp Anesthesiology, Emergency Medicine, Internal Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Surgery

36 weeks Electives

8 weeks Vacation