Introducation: The resident will be assigned to one half-day outpatient clinic weekly during PG Year 2 and 3 and see an average of 6 patients per clinic. They will follow the same panel of patients with the same Faculty member for the duration of their training. They will evaluate and manage patients presenting to the Ambulatory Care Center at Huntington Hospital with acute and chronic internal medicine problems.

Content Goals and Objectives
1. Perform complete Healthy Adult Preventive visit
2. Recommend appropriate Health Maintenance Testing for Adults
3. Diagnose and manage complex Diabetes patients
4. Diagnose and Treat abnormal cholesterol levels
5. Diagnose and manage Hypertension
6. Recognize and treat Anxiety and Depression
7. Diagnose and manage simple thyroid diseases
8. Evaluate and recognize simple skin disorders
9. Diagnose and treat Upper Respiratory Infections
10. Diagnose and manage gastroesophageal reflux disorder
11. Evaluate and treat Low Back Pain
12. Effectively use available resources for outpatient care

Process-Based Goals and Objectives
1. Gather subtle, sensitive and complicated information that may not be volunteered by the patient
2. Perform an accurate physical exam
3. Develop a prioritized differential diagnosis
4. Develop an evidence-based diagnostic and therapeutic plan
5. Recognize the scope of his/her abilities and ask for supervision and assistance appropriately
6. Minimize unnecessary care including tests
7. Evaluate a complex medical patient in a timely manner
8. Demonstrate empathy, compassion, and a commitment to relieve pain and suffering
9. Communicate effectively with patients and staff
10. Provide accurate, complete and timely documentation using EMR

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