



California School of Podiatric Medicine

4th YEAR INFECTIOUS DISEASE GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

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Goal

To increase competency in the diagnosis and management of local and systemic infection.

Objectives

Evaluate and present a minimum of 25 patients with a suspected infectious disease.

Review and discuss the laboratory evaluation of a patient with an infectious disease, including but not limited to: CBC, gram stain, ESR, CRP, blood chemistries, blood cultures, wound culture and sensitivities.

Review and discuss antibiotic therapy for infectious disease.

Review and discuss the manifestations and treatment of HIV and other blood borne illnesses.

Review and discuss the problems with management of emerging infections.

Evaluate and present a minimum of 5 diabetic patients with an infection.

Review and discuss the management of puncture wounds.