

Members Present: Drs. DC Holmes (Chair), Sandra Guzman-Armstrong, Nidhi Handoo, Aditi Jain, Wayne Johnson, Tad R. Mabry, Leonardo Marchini, Natalia Restrepo-Kennedy, Marcia Sampaio-Campos, Lily T. Garcia, Michelle Krupp, Bruno Cavalcanti, Sherry Timmons, Layton Fritsch (D4)

Absent: Drs. Omar S. Alburawi, Zeina Al-Salihi, Satheesh Elangovan, David Jones

Guests: Dean Johnsen

Meeting called to order 12:08 p.m.

- I. **Approval of June 10, 2019 Minutes;** – Dr. DC Holmes
MOTION: to approve the June 10, 2019 minutes as submitted. Motion seconded.
MOTION APPROVED.
- II. **Welcome** – Dr. Holmes (see attachment)
 - Welcome new members of the curriculum committee. Members have been chosen due to their **demonstrated interest, expertise, and ability to be visionaries.**
 - Acknowledgement to Michelle Krupp for receiving her Doctorate in Education in graduation ceremonies on August 2, 2019.
 - Farewell to Dr. Garcia as she leaves for her new role as Dean of the UNLV School of Dental Medicine.
 - Notable accomplishments of the committee in the past four years include:
 - ✓ Articulation of an answer to the question “How does our curriculum work?”
 - ✓ Development and adoption of a new collegiate competency document for our predoctoral program
 - ✓ Preparation for and completion of our September 2018 CODA Site Visit
 - ✓ Completion of a complete cycle of departmental curriculum reviews
 - ✓ Creation and operation of a number of ad hoc work groups to address topics such as Integration of biomedical sciences with clinical sciences, Interprofessional Collaborative Practice and Person-Centered Care
 - Dean Johnsen read the charge to the committee.
- III. **Curriculum Renewal Presentation – Update** – Dr. Krupp
Several faculty and workgroups stemmed from the Curriculum Committee have been working together to conceptualize a person-centered care curriculum framework. Dr. Guzman-Armstrong and Dr. Avila Ortiz presented the group’s work to the administrative staff on July 16, 2019. The presentation was well received and valuable feedback and insight was gained.

ACTION ITEM: Schedule a special session to show presentation to Curriculum Committee

IV. **Office for Education Updates:** – Dr. Krupp

- Drs. Darren Hoffmann and Michelle Krupp are holding departmental meetings to gather specific input on the clinical relevance and presentation of biomedical sciences within each specialty. This will enable them to design a road map of the connections and can serve as a resource for faculty and students. After the data collection phase, the biomedical/clinical integration workgroup will reconvene to develop suggestions for curriculum integration and assessments.
- A workgroup for Interprofessional Collaborative Practice, consisting of Ms. Kristen Flick, Dr. Marcia Campos and Dr. Michelle Krupp with additional input from Dr. Marchini, Dr. Holmes, Dr. Reynolds and Dr. McKernan is developing a clinical experience pilot in which vertical D1-D4 student teams will focus on delivering personalized care to patients utilizing IPCP concepts. A presentation will be given to Curriculum Committee after the workgroup attends the Nexus Summit August 18-20, 2019.

V. **Round Table Comments** – Committee

Dr. Mabry commended the committee on working together to bring about changes. He suggested that the committee reflect back on changes made to ensure they are working as expected.

Layton Fritsch (D4) agreed it is important to prepare the students for the future. Students would like more implants and laser dentistry incorporated into the clinic. There is currently very little taught on those and no hands-on.

Dr. Wayne Johnson was struck by the great emphasis on the student in the College of Dentistry.

Dr. Restrepo-Kennedy congratulated both Dr. Krupp and Dr. Garcia and echoed that the curriculum is moving in the right direction and needs to keep progressing forward. Technology is something that is going to be strong in the future.

Dr. Aditi Jain commented on the level of faculty involvement and the importance of both student and faculty voice on the committee.

Next Meeting: September 4, 2019

Minutes recorded: Ms. Brenda Selck

University of Iowa College of Dentistry Curriculum Committee Charges

To manage existing curriculum in the predoctoral dental education program and communicate input advisory to the Associate Dean for Education including making recommendations for revision and improvement. Major responsibilities include:

1. Review, recommend, and coordinate student outcomes and assessments to ensure all are educationally sound and meet the mission of the College.
2. Review and identify course content overlap, sequencing, redundancies, and areas for consolidation to effectively decompress the curriculum.
3. Review courses and associated content.
4. Review consistency of format and methods of assessment across all courses.
5. Identify courses and activities to decompress the curriculum.
6. Seek student input on initiatives and changes to the curriculum.
7. Consult with the Associate Dean for Patient Care on compatibility of student outcomes with patient outcomes.