

**Infectious Disease Consult****Sacred Heart Medical Center – Eugene/Springfield****Course No.: INFD 709H****Duration: 4 weeks****Credits: 6****Term: Any****Prereq: IMED 720, \*see below****Contact: Chris Traver, 541-686-6863**

Students obtain a working knowledge of the management of common infectious diseases. Management will include diagnostic procedures and appropriate use of antimicrobial agents. Students will participate in the ID consultative service which involves both outpatient and inpatient consultation. They will perform 2-3 complete consultations per week. In each instance, they evaluate patients independently and then present their findings to the infectious diseases faculty. They are then obligated to follow the course of the patient's illness for the duration of hospitalization and outpatient follow-up where appropriate. There are home reading assignments with learning objectives. Students also are required to complete a medical knowledge self-assessment test in the area of infectious diseases. Students may also have an opportunity to participate in a clinical trial on an outpatient and inpatient basis. \*NOTE: Closed to 3rd year students prior to June elective block.