

POSSIBLE LEARNING OBJECTIVES HK CURRICULUM MS 2 MODULE 1 (INTRODUCTION)

Upon completion of this module, students will be able to:

1. List specific benefits to both patients and physicians of good communication
2. Identify specific physician communication errors
3. Identify and demonstrate specific skills of emotional self-regulation
4. Describe the neurobiology of empathy, including the function and location of motor neurons
5. Identify and demonstrate specific ways of nonverbally conveying empathy
6. List simple verbal techniques that can improve patient's perception of physician empathy

POSSIBLE LEARNING OBJECTIVES HK CURRICULUM MS 2 MODULE 2 (DIFFICULT INTERACTIONS)

Upon completion of this module, students will be able to:

1. List specific physician factors that can lead to difficult interactions
2. Identify emotional cues in physicians and patients that may anticipate a difficult interaction
3. Correctly identify and apply the components of the ABC model for managing difficult interactions
4. Recognize and modify nonverbal ways physicians can express negative emotions toward patients
5. Correctly identify and demonstrate the Four Fs" of Best Practice Habits

POSSIBLE LEARNING OBJECTIVES HK CURRICULUM MS 2 MODULE 3 (BREAKING BAD NEWS)

Upon completion of this module, students will be able to:

1. List factors that can complicate the process of delivering bad news
2. Identify specific steps necessary to deliver bad news empathically
3. Identify and demonstrate specific errors physicians can make in delivering bad news
4. Discuss how unrecognized physician emotions in response to bad news about a patient may adversely affect communication
5. Demonstrate specific ways of eliciting the patient's perspective when delivering bad news