

# SHORT TERM MEDICAL STUDENT ELECTIVE ROTATION IN THE PHILIPPINES

The Hubert-Yeargan Center for Global Health (HYC) is facilitating an opportunity for one to two medical students interested in doing an elective clinical rotation at Xavier University School of Medicine, Cagayan de Oro, Philippines.

## Location & Logistics

- Inpatient and community clinical elective takes place at Northern Mindanao Medical Center, Maria Reyna Hospital, and a Community Health Care Center.
- Duke Medical Students will be responsible for their own financial support including airfare, food, and living expenses.
- Duke Medical Students will be responsible to pay an administrative fee of \$50 per week (total of \$200 for a four week rotation) directly to Xavier University.
- Students will be responsible for covering their own passport/visa fees/vaccinations.



## Application & Selection Process

**Deadline for applications is January 29, 2010.**

Send application materials as Word or PDF attachments to [Irina.Adams@duke.edu](mailto:Irina.Adams@duke.edu). Top candidates will be interviewed; only one to two candidates will be selected for Spring 2010.

All applications must include the following:

- Letter of recommendation from SOM Faculty Member. Recommendation letters must be sent directly to [Irina.Adams@duke.edu](mailto:Irina.Adams@duke.edu).
- Copy of transcript
- A brief (1-3 pages) personal statement describing your reasons for pursuing a global health elective.



## Contact

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## Eligibility

MSII/IV medical students for upcoming Spring 2010:

Criteria for candidate selection include the following:

- Demonstrated maturity, integrity, cross-cultural awareness and sensitivity;
- Relevance of global health training to future career plans;
- Prior international experience; and
- Strength of personal interview.