

Goals and objectives for Environmental Health Elective Block

The resident will

1. Become familiar with general principles and major clinical issues in the field of pediatric environmental health
2. Achieve proficiency in searching the scientific literature in the area of pediatric environmental health
3. Review in depth one topic/issue in pediatric environmental health and develop a practical "product" based on that review (with in-depth references)
4. Achieve familiarity with public policy and advocacy issues in children's environmental health by attending meetings with officials in the executive and legislative branches of government, as well as meeting with Washington D.C. based advocacy or policy organizations in the field such as the National Environmental Education Foundation (NEEF), the Children's Environmental Health Network (CEHN), the US EPA, or the Environmental Defense Fund (EDF).