

UAB Heersink SOM Clinical Course Calendar - Academic Year 2026 – 2027

*Subject to Change, Last Revised for **Academic Calendar 03.04.26: MS3 OSCE Dates confirmed.***

This **Clinical Course Calendar** represents block week dates from the SOM Academic Calendar **2026-2027** for medical student classes: **MS4 Co 2027** (Blocks 1-6a); **MS3 Co 2028** (Blocks 1-6); **Rising MS3 Co 2029** (Block 6 only)

<u>Week</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>to</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
Block 1a			
1	29-Jun-26 ***	to	5-Jul-26
2	6-Jul-26	to	12-Jul-26
3	13-Jul-26	to	19-Jul-26
4	20-Jul-26	to	26-Jul-26

Block 1b			
5	27-Jul-26	to	2-Aug-26
6	3-Aug-26	to	9-Aug-26
7	10-Aug-26	to	16-Aug-26
8	17-Aug-26	to	23-Aug-26

Block 2a			
9	24-Aug-26	to	30-Aug-26
10	31-Aug-26	to	6-Sep-26
11	7-Sep-26 ***	to	13-Sep-26
12	14-Sep-26	to	20-Sep-26

Block 2b			
13	21-Sep-26	to	27-Sep-26
14	28-Sep-26	to	4-Oct-26
15	5-Oct-26	to	11-Oct-26
16	12-Oct-26	to	18-Oct-26

Special Topics (or Break) Week			
17	19-Oct-26	to	25-Oct-26

Block 3a			
18	26-Oct-26	to	1-Nov-26
19	2-Nov-26	to	8-Nov-26
20	9-Nov-26 ***	to	15-Nov-26
21	16-Nov-26	to	22-Nov-26

Block 3b			
22	23-Nov-26 ***	to	29-Nov-26
23	30-Nov-26	to	6-Dec-26
24	7-Dec-26	to	13-Dec-26
25	14-Dec-26	to	20-Dec-26

Winter Break			
26	21-Dec-26 ***	to	27-Dec-26
27	28-Dec-26 ***	to	3-Jan-27

<u>Week</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>to</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
Block 4a			
28	4-Jan-27	to	10-Jan-27
29	11-Jan-27	to	17-Jan-27
30	18-Jan-27 ***	to	24-Jan-27
31	25-Jan-27	to	31-Jan-27

Block 4b			
32	1-Feb-27	to	7-Feb-27
33	8-Feb-27	to	14-Feb-27
34	15-Feb-27	to	21-Feb-27
35	22-Feb-27	to	28-Feb-27

Block 5a – MS4 Residency Prep course, weeks 36 & 37			
36	1-Mar-27	to	7-Mar-27
37	8-Mar-27	to	14-Mar-27
38	15-Mar-27	to	21-Mar-27
39	22-Mar-27	to	28-Mar-27

Block 5b – MS4 Residency Prep course, weeks 40 & 41			
40	29-Mar-27	to	4-Apr-27
41	5-Apr-27	to	11-Apr-27
42	12-Apr-27	to	18-Apr-27
43	19-Apr-27	to	25-Apr-27

Special Topics (or Break) Week			
44	26-Apr-27	to	2-May-27

Block 6a – Typically, MS4 finish coursework for graduation & rising MS3 begin clerkships.			
45	3-May-27	to	9-May-27
46	10-May-27	to	16-May-27
47	17-May-27	to	23-May-27
48	24-May-27	to	30-May-27

Block 6b			
49	31-May-27 ***	to	6-Jun-27
50	7-Jun-27	to	13-Jun-27
51	14-Jun-27 ***	to	20-Jun-27
52	21-Jun-27	to	27-Jun-27

Key:

***Week contains a holiday that could affect student clinical campus or clinical rotation duties:

July 4 Independence Day	Dec 24/25 Christmas
Sept 7 Labor Day	Dec 31/Jan 1 New Year's
Nov 11 Veteran's Day (VA)	Jan 18 Martin Luther King
Nov 26/27 Thanksgiving	May 31 Memorial Day
	June 19 Juneteenth

- MS3/MS4 Winter Break (No course activities)
- MS3/MS4 Special Topics Week (or Break)
- MS4 Prep for Residency Track 1, Block 5a (1st 2 weeks)
- MS4 Prep for Residency Track 2, Block 5b (1st 2 weeks)
- MS3 OSCE Weeks, in Blocks 3a, 5b: UPDATED
 - Week 19, 2nd week Block 3a: November 3-6, 2026
 - Week 42, 3rd week Block 5b: April 12-18, 2027