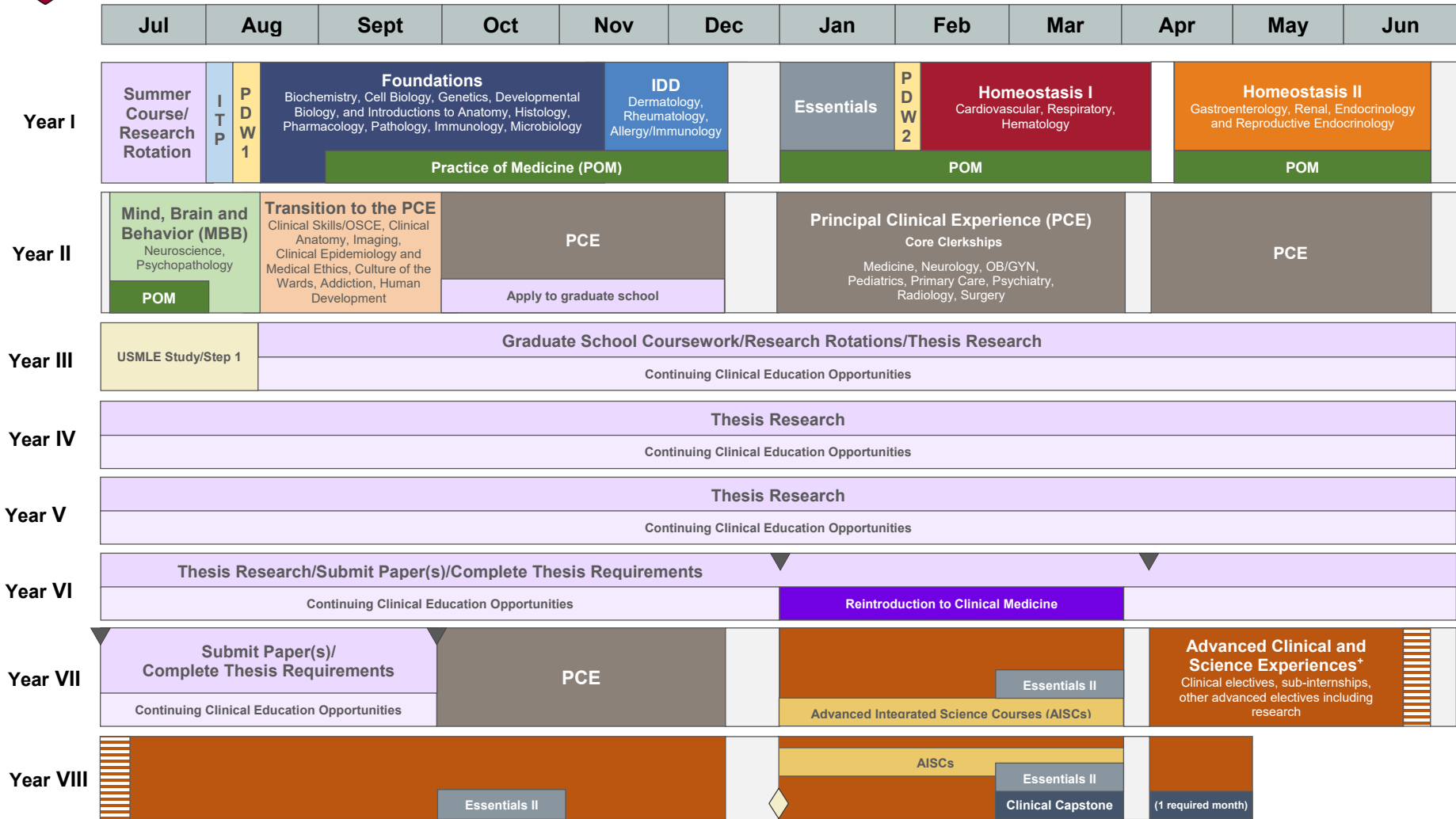




MD-PhD Pathways Curriculum Map

HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL



Introduction to the Profession (ITP)

Practice of Medicine (POM): Foundational communication, physical exam, clinical reasoning and presentation skills; includes Foundational Continuity Clinic (FCC)

Immunity in Defense and Disease (IDD)

Professional Development Weeks (PDW): Periods of assessment, feedback, self-reflection and advising to consolidate learning and generate individualized learning plans

Essentials of the Profession: Health Policy, Medical Ethics and Professionalism, Social Medicine, Clinical Epidemiology/Population Health

Essentials II: One-month required course, offered in October and every other March

MD Re-entry: Four possible points to re-enter PCE

Recess

Step 1: Study July and take Pre-PhD in August

Step 2 CK: Take by 12/31 Year VIII

Comprehensive Exam

AISCs are optional for MD-PhD students

+ While research opportunities are available in the last year and half of medical school, these cannot overlap with clinical coursework which require 100% effort.