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What fueled your decision to apply to the I2CRP program?

My decision to apply to the I2CRP program was based on my early interest in underserved care and being with others who have shared values.

What are some of the highlights of your participation in the I2CRP program?

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How has your participation in I2CRP impacted your experiences as a medical student?

The I2CRP program expanded my learning outside of an urban, academic medical center to include rural, community clinics and hospitals. Traversing these terrains helped me learn to problem solve the challenges of practicing medicine in places where access to healthcare services and resources can be limited.