Year 2: Critically Appraised Journal Club (CAT)

Goal:

1. To present an evidence-based literature review on a relevant clinical question.

Objectives:

1. To identify an answerable clinical question
2. To do a comprehensive search for the clinical question
3. To choose and evaluate appropriate articles to answer the clinical question, using the critical appraisal skills learned in the first year of the longitudinal curriculum.
4. To synthesize findings and present the “clinical bottom line” to the department in a conference (journal club).
5. To write an abstract for uploading to the “CAT bank.”