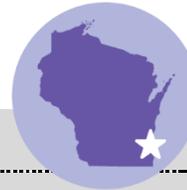




MEDICAL SCHOOL

# INTRODUCING MCW'S BIDIRECTIONAL DIGITAL CLASSROOM

MCW-Green Bay students will begin on July 1, 2015 with orientation. During July and August, MCW-Green Bay students will take Foundations of Clinical Medicine, participate in MCW Kickstart coursework and begin their Physician in the Community Pathway. Beginning August 17, 2015, MCW-Milwaukee and MCW-Green Bay faculty will teach and students will attend M1 basic science sessions in our new bidirectional digital classrooms.



## WHAT TEACHING FACULTY NEED TO KNOW

### WHAT IS NEW IN THE DIGITAL CLASSROOM?

1. Improved, user-friendly control panel (AMX)
2. Cameras (Polycom)
3. Confidence monitors to easily view the content being shared and the regional campus classroom(s)

### WHAT CLASSROOMS ARE BIDIRECTIONAL?

1. Discovery Classroom
2. Kerrigan Auditorium
3. \*HRC Auditorium
4. \*Alumni Center

*\*No student microphones*

### THE TECHNOLOGY WORKS

The technology has been upgraded and thoroughly tested over the last year.

Like all technology, it sometimes fails. However, failures should be rare. **In the event of a failure, keep teaching** (unless the failure impacts your ability to teach). The support team is monitoring the digital classrooms and will address any issues behind the scenes. The session is likely still recording. If needed, the support team will switch to the live Echo stream.

### FOCUS ON TEACHING

- Faculty are NOT responsible for making the connection to the regional campuses
- Engage students at the regional campuses just like they were in the classroom
- Provide a positive experience for all students

### CONSISTENT TERMINOLOGY

Refer to campuses as "Regional Campuses"

- MCW-Milwaukee (MCW-MKE)
- MCW-Green Bay (MCW-GB)
- MCW-Central Wisconsin (MCW-CW)

*Do not use: Satellite, rural, branch, or main campus.*

*Do not use: Distance or remote students.*

*"I found that I was able to pay more attention to the lecture in Green Bay because there was less distractions. Everything was clear and the system worked perfectly."*

- Student feedback after May virology pilot