**Example 1**

**Educational Program Evaluation Overview**

“A Medical School Curriculum for Teaching Communication Skills on the Surgery Clerkship”

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| Important communication skills for surgeons are rarely formally addressed after the pre-clinical years of medical school. Our goal is to implement a communication curriculum during the Surgery Clerkship to improve students’ communication competence. | OBJECTIVE 1  
To improve medical students’ communication skills in patient education, shared decision-making and delivering bad news | OBJECTIVE 2  
To use experienced faculty as facilitators | OBJECTIVE 3  
To emphasize the clinical relevance of communication to the practice of surgery | | |