APPENDIX 1

Q1: What is your age?

Q2: What is your gender?

Male, Female

Q3: Which race/ethnicity best describes you? (Please choose only one.)   
American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian / Pacific Islander, Black or African American, Hispanic American, White / Caucasian, Multiple ethnicity, Other (please specify)

Q4: Which medical school are you

currently attending?   
MSU-COM, MSU-CHM

Q5: Which campus are you enrolled at?   
Grand Rapids, East Lansing, Other (please specify)

Q6: What year are you currently in?   
2, 3, 4

Q7: Anticipated specialty after graduation?

Emergency Medicine, Family Practice, Internal Medicine, Obstetrics/Gynecology, Orthopaedic Surgery, Pediatrics, Psychiatry, Surgery, Other (please specify)

Q8: Does your institution offer a course dedicated to Musculoskeletal (MSK) or Neuromusculoskeletal (NMS) medicine (other than OMM for COM students)?

Yes/No/Unsure

Q9. How much curriculum time is dedicated to REQUIRED MSK education?

1 week/2 weeks/3 weeks/4+ weeks/I don't know

Q10. When is the REQUIRED MSK curriculum being taught?

First year/Second year/Third year/Fourth year/Unsure

Q11. What 3 methods of instruction are most commonly used to teach REQUIRED MSK curriculum?

Lecture/PBL (Problem-Based Learning)/TBL (Team-Based Learning)/Small group/Cases/Cadaver Lab/Online Materials/Osteopathic manipulative medicine (OMM lab-COM only)/Other (please specify)

Q12. In your opinion, which 3 teaching methods are most effective for teaching MSK required curriculum?

Lecture/PBL/TBL/Small Groups/Cases/Online material/Cadaver lab/OMM/Other (please specify)

Q13. Which methods are currently used for evaluating required MSK curriculum?

Exam/Quiz/MSK as part of a larger exam/Clinical skills assessment/Anatomy lab practical/Objective Structured Clinical Skills Exam (OSCE)/Clinical Clerkship Evaluation/Other (please specify)

Q14. What do you think would be the best method to assess MSK comprehension?

Exam, Quiz, Clinical Skills Assessment, Anatomy lab practical, Objective Structured Clinical Skills Exam (OSCE), Clinical Clerkship Evaluation, Other (please specify)

Q15. Are MSK electives offered at your institution? (i.e. sports medicine, orthopaedics, PM&R, etc)

Yes/No/I don't know

Q16. Rank the topics based on the level of importance to you during your medical education.

Cardiology/Endocrine/Gastrointestinal/Hem/Onc/Infectious Disease/Musculoskeletal/Neurology/

Psychiatry/Pulmonary/Renal

Q.17 In your opinion, how important is it that your curriculum contain a course dedicated to musculoskeletal medicine?

Very important/ Somewhat important/Neutral/Somewhat unimportant/Not important at all

Q18. In your opinion, when do you think curriculum focused on musculoskeletal medicine should be taught during medical education? (check all that apply)

First year/Second year/Third year/Fourth year

Q19. In your opinion, how much time should be dedicated to musculoskeletal medicine during your medical education?

0 weeks/1 week/2 weeks/3 weeks/Other (please specify)

Q20. Do you think your current MSK curriculum is adequate?

Yes/No/Unsure

Q21. Do you think your current MSK curriculum prepares you for USMLE step exams?

Yes/No/Unsure

Q22. Please give your opinion on any other topics related to musculoskeletal education that you believe are important to medical education that is not currently being taught or emphasized.

(Free response)