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What workshops, posters, and
showcase presentations would you
like to share during the AAFP's 2016

Proposed Procedures and Maternity Care Guidelines Ready for Review

In the spring of 2014, the Council of Academic Family Medicine (CAFM) formed two task forces to develop two sets of guidelines for family medicine residency programs: Maternity Care Guidelines and Procedures Guidelines.

The AFMRD took the lead on developing these guidelines, working with faculty members across the country to provide input into the process. The proposed guidelines - as well accompanying procedural competency assessment tools - are now ready for review and comments.

Between now and June 8, 2015, family physician educators will have the opportunity to provide input on these proposed guidelines. The guidelines will then be updated based on this feedback and returned to CAFM for final approval.

CAFM is encouraging broad adoption of these guidelines and tools in order to enhance both the skills and credibility of family medicine residency graduates.

Please review and comment on these guidelines before June 8.

PDW and PRS Residency Education Symposium in April?

Prepare your evidence-based needs, objectives, and short descriptions now; upload when the online submission forms become available June 10. Submissions are due August 14.

Osteopathic Recognition for ACGME Programs

The ACGME will provide Osteopathic Recognition for ACGME accredited graduate medical education programs providing requisite training in the Osteopathic Principles and Practice.

Programs may be deemed to have Osteopathic Recognition after appropriate application, evaluation, and review of the standards outlined below. Programs receiving Osteopathic Recognition may designate the entire program as osteopathic focused or designate a portion of the program as an osteopathic focused track.

[Learn more about obtaining Osteopathic Recognition.](#)

Accountable Care Organization (ACO) Explorer

HealthLandscape has created a web-based data visualization and mapping tool, the ACO Explorer, to provide a simplified way for understanding how Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs) quality metrics compare to benchmarks set by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid.

[Try HealthLandscape's ACO Explorer.](#)

New AFMRD Program Exclusively for AOA Programs Seeking ACGME Accreditation

The AFMRD is launching a new educational program to assist AOA programs seeking ACGME accreditation.

The heart of the program is the Accreditation Navigation Course. This is an intensive two-session course modeled after our esteemed National Institute for Program Director Development (NIPDD). The Navigation Course, taught by a team of highly experienced faculty, will provide step-by-step directions to ACGME accreditation. Those accepted into the Accreditation Navigation Course will enjoy a number helpful resources beyond the two face-to-face sessions.

The program will kick off with a free Accreditation Navigation webinar providing directors of AOA programs with a street view of the ACGME accreditation process.

Dates and details for this program will be announced soon.

Salary Survey Says...



Get a glimpse of residency program salaries across the nation.

In addition to program director salaries, the 2015 survey gathered salary data on associate program directors and faculty, including behavioral health faculty.

The 2015 Salary Survey results are available to AFMRD members.

Have You Subscribed Yet?

family medicine
RESIDENCY CURRICULUM
resource

NRMP Conference

The National Resident Matching Program® (NRMP®) is holding its inaugural stakeholder conference, **Transition to Residency: Conversations Across the Medical Education Continuum** October 1-3, 2015 in New Orleans.

The conference offers an opportunity for program directors and institutional officials to join medical school student affairs and academic affairs faculty and staff and discuss tools and methodologies that can strengthen the transition from medical school to residency, inform the matching process, and foster the professional growth of capable young physicians.

Subscribe now to begin using the more than 70 new peer-reviewed, case-based presentations, quizzes, and facilitators' guides for family medicine education. New content will be added throughout 2015.

Watch this video to learn more:



New Resources Available



New Health Is Primary materials are now available to **view/download**.

- Health Is Primary toolkit. The toolkit has been updated with campaign tools: ads, posters, patient information sheets, etc.
- Chronic Disease content and patient information sheets. Available in English and Spanish.

- City Tour event videos. Full videos of the Seattle and Raleigh city tour events.