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**ACGME Revises
Milestones**

The ACGME recently posted a revised version of the Milestones for Family Medicine. The changes are found in the following sections: PBLI-2 (Demonstrates self-directed learning) and MK-1 (Demonstrates medical knowledge of sufficient breadth and depth to practice family medicine). No further revisions are anticipated. [View/download a PDF of the revised milestones.](#)

**New ACGME Initiative:
Pursuing Excellence in
Clinical Learning
Environments**

The ACGME announced Pursuing

**AFMRD Website to Move and
Expand Online Capabilities**

Within the next few weeks, afmrd.org will move to a new online platform. This new platform will not only contain all the existing web content our web visitors count on - but will also offer opportunities for members to connect with their peers and to share ideas and information like never before.

The minute we move to this new platform, AFMRD members will receive an email inviting them to begin exploring the new site - and, while there, to renew their membership for 2016.

In the weeks that follow, we will introduce members to all the innovative features that will be available to them.

Stay tuned!

**Program Director Recognition
Awards**

Due to pending changes in our online platform, the opening of the 2016 AFMRD Program Director Recognition Awards application period has been postponed. We will open the

Excellence in Clinical Learning Environments, a four-year initiative designed to promote transformative improvement within the clinical learning environments of ACGME-accredited Sponsoring Institutions and their residency and fellowship programs. To spur innovation, the ACGME will provide funding through a competitive award process.

Details: [Visit the Website.](#)

Call for PDW-RPS Discussion Table Topics

A great way to network is to host a Discussion Table at the PDW and RPS Residency Education Symposium. To "host" a table, submit the topic and then get the conversation going at your assigned time and table. Tables are limited and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Topics received by November 20 will be printed in the symposium program. [Download and complete the submission form.](#)

Call for 2016 AAFP National Conference Proposals

Workshop proposals for the 43rd National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students are now being accepted. The conference will be held July 28-30 in Kansas City, MO.

Deadline: November 13
Details: [Visit the Website](#)

application period on November 23. The deadline to apply is January 29.

FMCC Resident Scholarships

The AFMRD is now accepting applications for the 2016 Family Medicine Congressional Conference Resident Scholarships. A total of 10 scholarships will be awarded to family medicine residents. Please encourage your residents to apply.

Deadline: January 5
Details: [Visit the Website.](#)



[Read the latest on this important initiative.](#)