

FMEC Residency Coordinators Discussion

September 21, 2023

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Agenda

Please put your name, title, program, and state (if not obvious from the program) in the chat to introduce yourself!

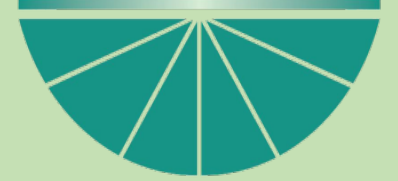
- Thank you!
- Updates from the Family Medicine Education Consortium (FMEC)
- Presentation about Association of Family Medicine Administration (AFMA)
- Ideas for Quality Improvement Project(s)
- Next Meeting

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Program Coordinators are the heart and soul of a residency, the first trusted place that many residents go to.

You are so much more than Coordinators.
You are the listening ears, the shoulders to cry on, encouragers, firefighters, and keepers of the 'spirit' of your residency programs.

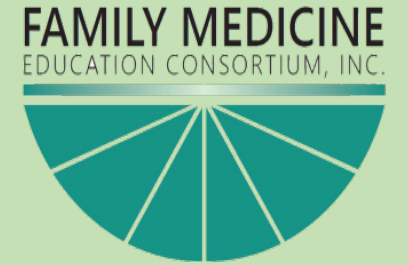


About the FMEC

- 14 States + DC
 - About 60 Medical School Departments of Family Medicine
 - About 190 Family Medicine Residency Programs
- Annual Meeting each fall
 - 300 medical student scholarships
 - Residency Fair featuring 70-90 programs
- Awards, learning collaboratives, volunteer opportunities



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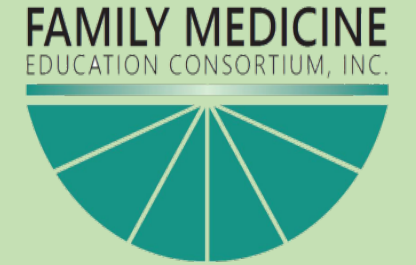
FMEC Updates – Annual Meeting

October 13-15, 2023, at the Rhode Island Convention Center, Providence, RI

- Schedule is public
 - See <https://www.fmec.net/presenter-support>
- 93 Residency Fair booths (a new record)
- 30 exhibitors
- 300 medical students
- ~550 faculty, residents, others
- WaterFire!

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2024 Annual Meeting



SAVE THE DATE!

FMEC 2024 Annual Meeting
September 19-21, 2024
Philadelphia Marriott
Philadelphia, PA



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FMEC Updates – Miscellaneous

- Addition of resident and student to the FMEC Board of Trustees
 - See [application form](#)
- Call for committee members and volunteers
 - Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
 - Leadership/Mentorship
 - Medical Student Education
 - Junior Faculty
 - Journal Editorial Board
- New learning collaborative on hereditary breast cancer and narrative medicine (ABFM credit, CME credit, financial incentive)
- Orientation for incoming residents – Posted on home page www.fmec.net; links to YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SbYF8e2o2zE>

About AFMA



**ASSOCIATION OF FAMILY
MEDICINE ADMINISTRATION**

*Behind every **GOOD** resident, there is a **GREAT** coordinator!*

Next Steps

- Coordinator's Networking Meeting
 - Saturday, October 14, 2023, 12pm-2pm
 - Providence Room, 4th Floor, Rhode Island Convention Center
- Survey – watch email in late October/early November
- Planning for FMEC application to ABFM
 - Planning grant (\$5,000) for QI project
 - Need your ideas for a coordinator/administrator project!
- Expanding content for 2024 Annual Meeting
 - Call for submissions opens December 2023; encourage coordinator submissions
- Next meeting – November?

What can Coordinators do?

- Make sure faculty and residents know about opportunities and deadlines
 - Call for submissions (December 2023 for 2024 Annual Meeting)
 - Award nominations and deadlines (Closed for 2023)
 - Registration deadlines
- Make sure you and your team are getting our communications
 - If a Partner, work with Lisa or Shayla to update our records
 - If not, encourage individuals to join
 - Pass on our emails and social media to faculty and residents who may be interested
- Help your program come to the Residency Fair
- Present about your program at a Family Medicine Residency Showcase
- Send us announcements, accomplishments, job and fellowship listings* to promote (*job listings are Silver Partners and higher)

How can residents and faculty get involved?

Be an FMEC leader

- Executive Committee, Board
- Initiative leaders
 - Always seeking ideas from your faculty!
- Committee chairs

Be a volunteer

- Host Committee, Planning Committee
- Initiative advisory group members
- Committee members
- Juries, judges
- Chapter/national organization liaisons
- Regional leaders

Participate in the FMEC

- Donate to our scholarship fund
- Submit for and win an award
- Present at the Annual Meeting or on a webinar
- Come to the Annual Meeting
- Write or edit for our upcoming journal
- Join the FMEC as an individual member
 - Resident dues: \$30
 - All other dues: \$75

FMEC Staff

See <https://www.fmec.net/fmec-staff>

Scott G. Allen, MS, CEO (since 2021)

- General FMEC strategy, initiatives, committees and volunteering, the Partner program

Lisa Schwieterman, CPS, Senior Administrative Assistant (since 2000)

- General admin, finances, Annual Meeting programming, Annual Meeting registration and hotel

Jennifer Stamper, Project Coordinator (since 2008)

- Student scholarships, graphics/marketing, newsletters, job postings

Shayla Rammel, Project Coordinator (since 2013)

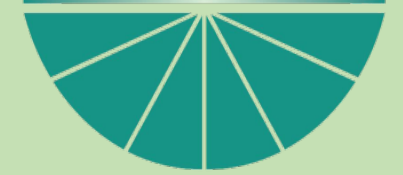
- Exhibits, sponsorships, Residency Fair, marketing and social media

Questions about the FMEC?



Join us in October

FAMILY MEDICINE
EDUCATION CONSORTIUM, INC.



FMEC 2023 Annual Meeting

October 13-15, 2023

Rhode Island Convention Center, Providence, RI

<https://www.fmec.net/2023-annual-meeting>

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