GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award



The GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award honors and recognizes the crucial role that program coordinators play in the success of a residency/fellowship program. The ACGME congratulates the recipients of the 2017 GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award.



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Nominators had this to say:

"[Theresa] Teri knows, and is usually far beyond knowing -she has created many new processes! When a process doesn't exist (as for new requirements, operationalizing a new mandate from the State, the NRMP, the hospital, etc.), Teri has repeatedly been the individual who designs the process. In the GME Office Teri developed new management of resident training files, GME record retention, management of visiting residents

rotating within our GME programs, the Program Coordinators' Subcommittee of the GMEC, and others.

"She balances the multiple competing imperatives of GME administration with grace and skill. She always goes the extra mile for her residents and fellows, and serves as a mentor to many PCs - locally, statewide through her involvement in ACTION, and through her involvement with TAGME.

"Teri has worked extensively with TAGME in multiple roles, including ACGME Professionals in Central GME Offices (Task Force Chair and Review Board Chair). She played a pivotal role in development of TAGME certification for members of Central GME Offices. In 2014-15 she served as President of TAGME. She has role-modelled and mentored for thousands of other PCs during her career."