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.



Georgina Rink, C-TAGMEPsychiatry
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Nominators had this to say:

"Ms. Rink clearly enhances graduate medical education within the program and promotes communication among coordinators, program directors, and trainees. She has been on numerous institutional education committees, including the Mayo School of Graduate Medical Education-education program coordinators steering committee, education coordinator job description task force, and the orientation task

force. She has implemented several improvements for the residency program. For example, she meets with other members of the department every two weeks to learn how to best schedule resident activities using MedHub. Ms. Rink is innovative, and has helped create rotations in perinatal psychiatry and psychiatric care for incarcerated populations. She developed a web page for all Mayo Clinic education program coordinators so that best practices could be shared.

"In addition, she actively participates with TAGME. She has been the psychiatry voting member for the TAGME board of directors, chair of the psychiatry specialty review board, and new specialty development committee member. She holds certification in GME training administration with added qualifications in psychiatry."