RPC Notes Nov. 28, 2023

## **RPC NOTES**

## **Important Dates**

Dec. 1 - Grand Rounds

Dec. 8 - Critical Appraisal

Dec. 8 - Faculty Meeting

Dec. 8 - Curriculum Committee

Dec. 15 - Resident Meeting

Dec. 15 - Grand Rounds

Dec. 15 - ER/Quality

Rounds

Dec. 22 - RPC

Jan 19 - CARMS Interviews Day 1

Jan 29 - CARMS Interviews Day 2

Feb 28 - Written Royal College Exam (PGY 4 & 5)

April 12 - Senior OSCE

June 21 - Scholarship Day

June 26 - Academic Halfday Exam

June 26 - Junior OSCE

Some notes from the Nov. 24 Residency Program Committee Meeting:

- Response to Internal Review: A document outlining the discipline's
  response to the Internal Review was circulated to the committee. This
  was prepared for submission to PGME in order to outline steps the
  discipline will or is taking to address points raised by the review. This
  may be of interest to faculty and residents. It will be circulated by
  email along with this document.
- 2. Draft Evaluation Plan: The committee reviewed a draft document which attempts to explain and clarify the evaluation process for residents. This will also be circulated to all residents and faculty. Please let Dr. Latus know if you have any comments about the draft. Dr. Latus will also attend an upcoming resident meeting to receive feedback on the plan before finalizing it.
- 3. **Senior Residents Moonlighting:** With the exam year moving to PGY 4, the question of when a senior resident can do a psychiatry locum has come up. This has been clarified with PGME. Senior residents in the CBD cohort will be able to pursue psychiatry locums on weekends or leave starting on July 1 of PGY 5. (This is 6 months earlier than time-based residents, who can pursue this on Jan. 1 of PGY 5.)
- 4. Administrative Residents: Given that both of our current administrative residents are in PGY 5, it may be helpful to have an extended crossover between the next administrative residents and our current ones, so we will begin the process of appointing the next admin residents earlier than usual. Anyone who is interested in being an administrative resident in the upcoming 2024-25 academic year should let Dr. Latus know.
- 5. Reminder: Residents, Certification & Prescription Writing: All residents should have received information by email about how to submit documentation about being able to write prescriptions and certify patients. This is to be completed by <a href="December 31">December 31</a>. Please note that any resident who submitted this documentation up to Nov. 28 should already have received a response. If you did not, please let Dr. Latus know.