

Rural Workforce and Training in the face of the COVID-19 Pandemic

July 17, 2020
10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. ET

Meeting Link: [Join the Meeting](#)

Call-in Information: **1-888-390-0854** Passcode: **HRSA COUNCIL (voice response)**

Meeting Purpose: Continue work on COVID-19 recommendations and Rural Health GME Issue Brief

Meeting Agenda

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Time

Agenda Item

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.

Roll Call and Introductions

Shane Rogers

Designated Federal Official, COGME
Health Resources and Services Administration

Erin Fraher, PhD, MPP

Chair, COGME
Director, Carolina Health Workforce Research Center
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

10:45 – 11:00 a.m.

Meeting Overview

Erin Fraher, PhD, MPP

Chair, COGME
Director, Carolina Health Workforce Research Center
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Thomas Tsai, MD, MPH

Vice-Chair, COGME
Assistant Professor of Surgery
Harvard Medical School

11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

Presentation: Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education

Kevin Weiss, MD, MPH

Chief of Sponsoring Institutions and Clinical Learning Officer
Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education

11:45 – 12:30 p.m.

Presentation: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

David Meyers, MD

Deputy Director
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)

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12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

Panel: HRSA Funded Graduate Medical Education (GME) Innovations

Rural Residency Planning and Development Program
Steven Crane, MD

Designing the Quality Bonus System (QBS) for Children's Hospital
GME: Aligning Payment with Workforce Needs
Edward Salsberg, MPA, FAAN
Senior Research Scientist
Fitzhugh Mullan Institute for Health Workforce Equity

1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Lunch Break

2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Council Discussion – GME Issue Brief

Moderator: Ted Epperly, MD
Member, COGME
President and Chief Executive Officer
Family Medicine Residency of Idaho, Inc.

3:30 – 3:45 p.m.

Break

3:45 – 4:15 p.m.

Council Discussion - Next Steps

Thomas Tsai, MD, MPH
Vice-Chair, COGME
Assistant Professor of Surgery
Harvard Medical School

4:15 – 4:30 p.m.

Business Meeting

4:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Public Comment