Requests for Changes in Resident Complement
Review Committee for Medical Genetics and Genomics
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This specialty approves:

- Increases in resident complement
- Complement total only

A permanent decrease in resident complement requires prior approval of the Designated Institutional Official (DIO), and must be reported to the Review Committee (RC) through the Accreditation Data System (ADS). An educational rationale will be required. Increases will require additional documentation and DIO approval prior to RC review. Requests for temporary increases require less documentation than requests for permanent increases, but will require DIO approval prior to RC review, and must be submitted through ADS. An educational rationale will be required.

To officially initiate a change in the approved resident complement, programs must log into ADS and under the Program tab, select Complement Change from the right pane. All complement change requests will be electronically sent to the DIO for approval as required by the Institutional Requirements except when permanent changes are requested during site visit preparation (the DIO approval is provided via signature on the Program Information Form). After the DIO has approved the complement change request, the materials submitted in ADS are forwarded to the RC for review and a final decision. You will be notified by the RC Executive Director upon final decision by the RC.

Programs must hold a status of continued accreditation to be considered for a complement increase. Programs with a status of continued accreditation with warning, initial accreditation, initial accreditation with warning, or probationary accreditation are not eligible for an increase. A site visit may be required for complement change requests depending on the details of the request.

The following documents/information will be required to complete a request for an increase in complement (instructions also provided in ADS):

- Educational rationale for change
- Major changes in the program since its last review
- Response to previous citations
- Current block diagram
- Proposed block diagram

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