Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment: A Course to Help Achieve the Goals of Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME)

The ACGME is thrilled to announce the spring 2017 schedule of a highly interactive course designed to enhance faculty skills in competency-based assessment of residents and fellows. Assessment is essential to all of education, and graduate medical education is no exception. With the introduction of competency- or outcomes-based education nearly 15 years ago in the US, and now the implementation of the ACGME’s outcomes-driven accreditation model, including the Milestones, the need and urgency for high quality graduate medical education programs to meet the needs of learners, programs, and the public has grown substantially.

The six-day course will be held at the ACGME Headquarters in Chicago, with attendance limited to 48 participants. Sessions begin on Sunday at 1:00 p.m., and continue through Friday at 12:00 p.m. The target audience is residency and fellowship program directors, associate program directors, chairs and members of Clinical Competency Committees (CCCs), and any faculty members with major responsibility for the assessment of residents/fellows.

**2017 Spring Course Dates**
Sunday, March 26 – Friday, March 31, 2017
Sunday, April 30 – Friday, May 5, 2017

**Course Overview**
The course begins with a review and exploration of key theories and concepts, and then drills deeper into more specific assessment skills and needs throughout the week. Highlights of the curriculum include:

- Goals and principles of CBME
- Practical and effective application of multiple assessment methods and tools
- Highly experiential with hands-on practice
- How to create effective assessment systems
- How to effectively run your CCC
- How to use Milestones and Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) effectively

**Course Faculty**

*Eric Holmboe, MD*, Senior Vice President, Milestones Development and Evaluation, ACGME

*Kelly Caverzagie, MD*, Associate Dean for Educational Strategy and Assistant Professor, University of Nebraska College of Medicine

*William Iobst, MD*, Vice President for Academic and Clinical Affairs and Vice Dean, Commonwealth Medical College
Wednesday Morning Course Location
On the Wednesday morning of each session, the program will take place at the Clinical Education Center of the Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, located at 240 East Huron Street, a short walk from the ACGME.

Hotel Information
The ACGME has reserved a block of rooms at a discounted rate at the Hyatt Place Chicago River North for Saturday-Thursday nights during the course program; these rooms are available on a first-come, first-served basis, and you must request a room in the “CBME Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment” to receive the discounted rate.

Hyatt Place Chicago River North
66 West Illinois Street
Chicago, Illinois 60654
312.755.1600

March 25-31, 2017 Room Rate
Single/double $169 per night; check-in Saturday, March 25; check-out Friday, March 31, 2017

To reserve a room, click the link below, or call 312.755.1600 and mention “CBME Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment room block” to receive the discounted rate.

https://resweb.passkey.com/go/ACGME25MAR

Hotel accommodations should be made after course registration and payment has been made. Reservations by attendees must be received by the hotel on or before the cut-off date of February 23, 2017 to be considered for the discounted rate.

After February 23, 2017, the ACGME can no longer guarantee rates and availability. We advise you to make your room reservations as soon as possible after receiving confirmation of registration to ensure availability and receive the discounted rate.

April 29-May 5, 2017 Room Rate
Single/double $219 per night; Check-in Saturday, April 29, check-out Friday, May 5, 2017
To reserve a room, click the link below, or call 312.755.1600 and mention “CBME Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment room block” to receive the discounted rate.

https://resweb.passkey.com/go/ACGME29APR

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Registration Fees and Procedures
Pre-registration must be completed online. Confirmation of registration is sent via e-mail immediately after online registration has been submitted and paid. Only credit card payment is accepted. Do not make plane or hotel reservations until you receive a registration confirmation.

The registration fee is $1,800.00. A light breakfast and lunch is included in the registration fee.

E-mail Andrea Rio with any registration questions: ario@acgme.org.

Cancellation and Refund Policy
A full refund will be given up to 30 days prior to the workshop. Cancellations less than 30 days prior to the workshop will be charged a $400 administrative fee. No refunds will be made for cancellations 7 days prior to the workshop.

Cancellation requests must be made via e-mail to Andrea Rio: ario@acgme.org.

Continuing Medical Education (CME)
The ACGME will offer CME credit for Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment: A Course to Help Achieve the Goals of Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME). The ACGME is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The ACGME designates this live course for a maximum of 35.5 AMA PRA Category 1 credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) Prescribed Credit Information
This Live activity, Developing Faculty Competencies in Assessment: A Course to Help Achieve the Goals of Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME), with a beginning date of 10/30/2016, has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 34.75 Prescribed credit(s) by the American Academy of Family Physicians. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.