Updates from the Review Committee for Pediatrics

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Disclosure

I have no conflicts of interest to report.
Pediatric Subspecialty Program Requirement Revisions

- Revisions to Program Requirements approved by the ACGME Board of Directors in February 2019
- Effective date: July 1, 2019
Pediatric Subspecialty Program Requirement Revisions: Major Changes

- One comprehensive document
- Background and Intent replaces FAQs
- Specify other faculty members and professional personnel
- Minimum 12 months clinical/12 months research (formerly in FAQs)
Pediatric Subspecialty Program Requirement Revisions: Major Changes

- Mental health curriculum component

- In order to promote emotional resilience in children, adolescents and their families; fellows must:
  - provide care that is sensitive to the developmental stage of the patient with common behavioral and mental health issues, and the cultural context of the patient and family; and, (Core)
  - demonstrate the ability to refer and/or comanage patients with common behavioral and mental health issues along with appropriate specialists when indicated. (Core)
Pediatric Subspecialty Application Forms

- All pediatric subspecialty application forms will be updated and should be available in May
Development of Program Requirements began last year

Posted for review and comment: Comments due April 10

Requirements should be approved in September 2019

Application form will be available once requirements are finalized

Review Committee will probably begin to review applications in January 2020
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Thank you!