Criteria for the Public Member of the Review Committee for Medical Genetics and Genomics

Goals for having a public member on the Review Committee include introducing the sensibility and perceptions of the public, fostering accountability to the needs of the greater public, soliciting outside expertise, and creating transparency to the work of the Committee.

The Review Committee will select and recommend its public member nominee to the ACGME Board of Directors based on current needs, the nominee’s professional qualifications, geographic distribution, and diversity in gender and race. In making its selection, the Review Committee will assess each nominee’s qualifications according to the following criteria:

1. Nominees should have evidence of a distinguished and advanced career.

2. Nominees should have experience and a skillset that allows them to understand the Review Committee’s work. Examples include a background in:
   - Advocacy
   - Health care administration
   - Health policy
   - Informatics
   - Medical education/medical education research
   - Nursing or affiliated care
   - Patient safety
   - Program evaluation
   - Public health statistics/epidemiology

3. Nominees should have demonstrated a history of leadership and membership in public organizations.

4. Nominees must not be physicians.

5. Nominees must not be employed by any nominating organization of the Review Committee (the American Medical Association, American Board of Medical Genetics and Genomics, or American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics).

6. Nominees must not be employed by the same institution, program, or affiliated institutions as current Review Committee members. This includes:
   - Brigham and Women’s Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts
   - Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
   - Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia
   - Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
   - Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota
   - National Children’s Hospital, Columbus, Ohio
   - National Human Genome Research Institute, Bethesda, Maryland
   - University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
   - University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

7. The public member will need to adhere to all requirements and responsibilities of any other Review Committee member.