Debra L. Dooley GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award

While program coordinators’ titles may vary, this generally refers to the role that supports the program director, manages day-to-day program operations, and is actively involved in the program’s ACGME-related functions. The Debra L. Dooley GME Program Coordinator Excellence Award recognizes these individuals for their deep understanding of the accreditation process, excellent communication and interpersonal skills, and projects that improve GME.

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Nominators had this to say:

“Annually, Sherry facilitates and manages resident orientation, licensing, credentialing, and certifications. She provides reminders for resident renewals and directly communicates with the American College of Radiology (ACR), American Board of Radiology (ABR), and other specialty societies on the residents' behalf in an effective and professional manner.”

“Sherry was instrumental in founding the national Association of Program Coordinators in Radiology, a remarkably influential and critical organization that functions as a source of training, mentoring, networking, leadership, and learning.”

“The amount of logistical work Sherry takes off our plates cannot be overstated. She does a phenomenal job of making sure we stay up to date on our requirements as we work towards graduating from residency. When a resident has a scheduling issue, Sherry has a solution. When we have a project to tackle, she is our first resource on where to start. While we are preparing for transition to fellowship, she simplifies our way. And as we go through residency, she is both timely and pertinent with reminders of deadlines, breaking up an otherwise overwhelming amount of logistical requirements into something manageable, while keeping excellent records of our work.”