



**Wright State University Boonshoft School of Medicine  
Sponsored Graduate Medical Education  
Annual Report 2008**

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Our 21 sponsored programs have provided graduate medical education to 365 residents (see attachment). Affiliated programs in Internal Medicine, Transitional Year, and Cardiovascular Disease sponsored by Kettering Medical Center and Family Medicine sponsored by Miami Valley Hospital served 52 residents. We have continued to collaborate as a GME community through the activities and programs of the Dayton Area Graduate Medical Education Consortium (DAGMEC) and the WSU BSOM Office of Faculty and Clinical Affairs.

Effective November 1, 2008, the WSUBSOM Dayton Community Family Practice Residency Program and the MVH Family Practice Residency Program were combined into one program. The name is the Wright State University Family Medicine Program. Full merger of the two programs will be completed by June 30, 2009.

**New Programs Accredited, RRC Site Visits, Internal Reviews**

Fellowship program development continued to be an area of expansion in 2008. The Boonshoft School of Medicine added three fellowship programs to its array of GME offerings:

- Geriatric Medicine (Family Medicine)
- Hospice and Palliative Care (Internal Medicine)
- Maternal and Fetal Medicine (OB/GYN)

These new programs and trainees will add significantly to the educational environment and provide additional opportunities for resident rotations.

ACGME RRC's site visited two sponsored programs in 2008:

- Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- Family Medicine

RRC reviews resulted in full accreditation status in each case (5 years), making all WSU BSOM sponsored residencies fully accredited. The average accreditation for BSOM sponsored programs is 4.04 years as compared to the national ACGME average of 3.97 years.

Five internal reviews were conducted by the GMEC:

- Aerospace Medicine
- Dermatology
- Internal Medicine/Pediatrics
- Psychiatry
- Sports Medicine

Responses to the most recent RRC citations for each program were discussed, additional areas of concern were highlighted and follow up reports were requested by the GMEC. The internal review process has continued to become refined in terms of the depth of quality assurance and program improvement. Periodic training in chairing and participating on internal review committees is given to program directors, associate program directors, and residency faculty.

### **Faculty Development Opportunities Created**

Faculty development continues to be an area of increased activity for the Graduate Medical Education Committee (GMEC). It is recognized that faculty have diverse interests in teaching and research/scholarly productivity that require training and instruction locally. This includes full time and voluntary faculty and residents functioning as junior faculty for interns and medical students. DAGMEC and the BSOM Offices of Academic Affairs and Faculty and Clinical Affairs have expanded these programs in 2008 including the Residents As Teachers (R.A.T.) series to enhance GME trainees instructional skills. Additional faculty opportunities are planned for 2009 including a new Faculty Leadership series to prepare individuals to assume increased responsibilities in programs, departments, school, and university positions.

The development of simulation teaching capacity was a major initiative in 2008. The BSOM Department of Emergency Medicine provided the leadership for this important project. Three sites were identified for simulation training: 1) BSOM Emergency Medicine Department located at the Cox Heart Institute at Kettering Medical Center for task training and resuscitation 2) BSOM Simulated Patient Center located at Elizabeth Place and 3) Dayton Veterans' Affairs Medical Center for surgical procedures. Dayton teaching hospitals agreed to fund two half-time positions in the BSOM Emergency Medicine Department to lay the ground work for a city wide coordinated simulation teaching effort. The focus for 2009 will be training faculty to teach using simulation resources and the incorporation of simulation into medical student and resident training experiences.

### **Resident Council Created**

A new citywide Resident Council was launched in 2009 to bring residents together from core programs to discuss issues of common concern. The meetings are led by the elected resident representatives to the GMEC and are held quarterly. The DIO attends a portion of these activities to participate and actively listen to resident feedback about teaching, institutional support, national trends and other aspects that impact their education. This new group has increased the attendance of the resident representatives significantly and allowed the GMEC to obtain increased trainee input into planning and decision making.

### **Compliance with Duty-Hour Standards**

The DIO and GMEC continue to monitor resident work hours closely and include compliance as a major element of all internal reviews. There continue to be situational challenges to limiting 30 hours of continuous duty, having 24 hours off on a consistent basis, and 10 hours off between duty shifts. While infractions are infrequent, the GMEC and WSU sponsored programs are committed to being in full compliance with ACGME standards. Program directors will diligently work with faculty responsible for training assignments with the highest intensity of care where problems seem to be focused. No programs were cited in RRC citations for work hours violations.

### **Resident Responsibilities, Supervision, and Professionalism**

The achievement of graduated responsibility by trainees is the main overall objective of the GME experience. Residents report high levels of satisfaction with teaching and supervision across programs. Professionalism also continues to be a particular focus of activities within programs and across the GME community. We are resolved to produce physicians who are regarded as not only superior practitioners in their chosen specialty but also respected by their colleagues and members of society.

Please visit the WSU BSOM (<http://www.med.wright.edu>) or DAGMEC (<http://www.dagmec.org>) website for additional information.

**WSU Sponsored Residency and Fellowship Programs**

<i>Program</i>	<i>Accreditation (in years)</i>	<i>Program Director</i>
Aerospace Medicine	5	Robin Dodge, M.D.
Child and Adolescent Psychiatry	5	William Klykylo, M.D.
Dermatology	2	Julian Trevino, M.D.
Emergency Medicine	8	James Brown, M.D.
Sports Medicine	3	James Tytko, M.D.
Family Medicine	5	Teresa Zryd, M.D.
Geriatrics	3	Steven Swedlund, M.D.
General Surgery	4	Paula Termuhlen, M.D.
Surgical Critical Care	3	Harry Anderson, M.D.
Internal Medicine	3	Virginia Wood, M.D.
Gastroenterology	3	Gregory Beck, M.D.
Hematology/Oncology	5	Michael Baumann, M.D.
Hospice and Palliative Care	3	Geetika Kumar, M.D.
Infectious Disease	5	Jack Bernstein, M.D.
Internal Medicine/Pediatrics	2	Marc Raslich, M.D.
Obstetrics and Gynecology	5	Mark Campbell, M.D.
Maternal-Fetal Medicine	4	David McKenna, M.D.
Orthopedic Surgery	5	Richard Laughlin, M.D.
Pediatrics	5	Ann Burke, M.D.
Plastic Surgery	3	R. Michael Johnson, M.D.
Psychiatry	5	David Bienenfeld, M.D.

**WSU Affiliated Programs**

Family Medicine, Miami Valley Hospital	5	Ted Wymyslo, M.D.
Internal Medicine, Kettering Medical Center	5	Stephen McDonald, M.D.
Cardiovascular	3	Harvey Hahn, M.D.
Transitional Year, Kettering Medical Center	5	John Shrader, M.D.

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