# **MMCGME Services**

October 2021 Newsletter



# Basics of CMS IRIS Cost Reporting and Affiliate Billing

Learn how to capture data for your hospital's CMS IRIS Cost Report and how Affiliate Billing works.

You will obtain a basic understanding of how personnel data, block, and assignment schedules both create and impacts the CMS IRIS Cost Report along with Affiliate Billing.

All administrative users at GME institutions are invited to attend the FREE webinar. To register for the webinar <u>click</u> <u>here.</u>

- Thursday, October 7 at 10:00 a.m. EST
- Thursday, October 7 at 2:00 p.m. EST





MMCGME Services is pleased to welcome Margaret (Maggie)
Dickman to the MMCGME
Services family!

For the last 5 years, Maggie served as the Curriculum Coordinator for the United Family Medicine Residency Program and began as a MMCGME team member on September 10, 2021.

Maggie's current work scheduled will be from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. Please take a moment to say hello and congratulate her on this exciting new adventure!

Welcome to the family Maggie!



# **Block Schedules & Gaps**

RMS Block Schedules and Duty Hour logs must be updated, approved, and accurate through the last day of the month. FTE reports are generated on the 5th working day of the next or following month.

Programs on duty hour protocol, please follow up with your residents and fellows to ensure that they enter and approve all RMS Duty Hour log entries by the deadline.

#### Schedule Block Gaps...

Review trainee block schedules for any primary rotation information which may be missing (ie. New Resident Orientation). Missing data effects accurate IRIS reporting.

Contact MMCGME services for assistance.

# COORDINATOR CORNER

### **MMCGME Coordinator Conference 2022!**

The *Coordinator Conference Planning Committee* needs you! Looking ahead to 2022, MMCGME Services will be regrouping and resuming the annual Coordinator Conference series!

The conference planning committee is an integral part of the process in providing an impactful educational event. We are looking for inspired, creative minds to partner with us and help develop a rich, robust program for the MMCGME community. If you are interested in becoming a 2022 Coordinator Conference Planning Committee team member, please contact Charleana Primeaux @ prime025@umn.edu.

## Happy Recruitment Season!

Happy 2022-2023 recruitment to all and best of luck securing the perfect candidates during this demanding interview season.

If you would like to share encouragement, ideas, or techniques with the coordinator community, please forward an email to <a href="mailto:prime025@umn.edu">prime025@umn.edu</a>.