

## **Call for Candidates for AMA Nomination for the ACGME CLER Evaluation Committee**

The AMA is soliciting AMA member candidates for nomination by the AMA Board of Trustees to serve as a member of the **Clinical Learning Environment Review (CLER) Evaluation Committee** of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education Review Committee (ACGME).

### **TERM**

The term for Committee members is 3 years, beginning July 1, 2019.

### **TIME REQUIREMENT**

Anticipated 2019 meeting dates for the new member(s) are: July 10-12, 2019 – Chicago, IL; and October 15-17, 2019 – Chicago, IL. Dates for 2020 and beyond have not yet been selected, but typically the Evaluation Committee meets four times each year in January, April, July, and October.

### **Clinical Learning Environment Review (CLER)**

The ACGME has implemented the CLER program as a part of its Next Accreditation System. The CLER Program is designed to provide US teaching hospitals, medical centers, health systems, and other clinical settings affiliated with ACGME-accredited institutions with periodic feedback that addresses the following six Focus Areas: Patient Safety; Health Care Quality; Care Transitions; Supervision; Well-Being; and Professionalism.

The feedback provided by the CLER Program is designed to improve how clinical sites engage resident and fellow physicians in learning to provide safe, high quality patient care.

The ACGME CLER Evaluation Committee is currently seeking members from the following communities of healthcare professionals:

- Chief Executive Officers
- Chief Nursing Officers/VP Patient Services
- Chief Medical Officers
- Designated Institution Officials (DIO) / Institutional leaders in GME

### **AMA Requirements**

Each nominee recommended by the AMA must be a member of the AMA at the time of nomination. If appointed, he/she must maintain AMA member status throughout the term of appointment. AMA membership does not guarantee a position. Non-members may activate their membership online at [www.ama-assn.org/go/join](http://www.ama-assn.org/go/join) or call AMA Member Relations at 800.262.3211.

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### **TO APPLY FOR NOMINATION**

To apply for nomination, complete and email the following documents to Mary O'Leary at [mary.oleary@ama-assn.org](mailto:mary.oleary@ama-assn.org). The documentation must be received no later than **Wednesday, November 21, 2018**.

1. Completed electronic **Application for AMA Nomination for External Leadership Position – ACGME CLER** (MS Word document preferred). This document is included on the AMA Council on Medical Education Leadership Opportunities Web page as part of the position posting.
2. Current **abbreviated curriculum vitae** [not to exceed three (3) pages].
3. Current **full curriculum vitae**.
4. *Optional:* Up to two letters of recommendation, addressed to the AMA.

Note that, if nominated, letters of recommendation may be included as part of the nominee materials sent to the requesting organization.

Please direct questions to:

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