



PGME Redeployment Study

Understanding the experiences of residents redeployed during the COVID-19 pandemic.

A qualitative study based on three data sources:

Documents

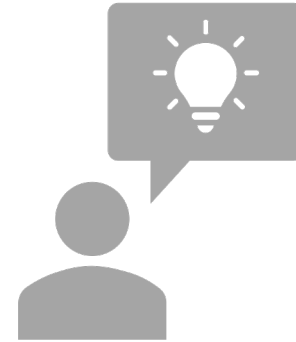
Literature

Interviews

Study Objectives



To identify potential professional tensions experienced by this cohort of medical residents and the implications for future support



To reflect upon current theories of professional identity formation and how those theories might be revised in light of this extreme circumstance

Research Questions

1. How has the process of redeployment influenced residents' perceptions of their profession, their speciality, and their future relationships with clinical workplaces?
2. How have those perceptions been influenced by the various phases of the pandemic response?





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Recruitment



Small token of appreciation (\$25 gift card)



Start with Anesthesia, Family Medicine?, and Psychiatry



Other specialties that had substantive voluntary redeployment?



Thank you!

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