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Closures and Reductions in Programs and Program Size

If the sponsoring institution or a residency program decides to close a program, the Graduate Medical Education Committee (GMEC), DIO, Program Directors, and residents need to be notified. If a residency training program closes, GMEC will insure that no new residents will enter the program at the start of the next academic year. Residents already enrolled in the program will be allowed to complete their education. If residents in the program choose to leave the sponsoring institution, the Program Director will assist the residents in enrolling in an ACGME-accredited program in order to continue with their education. Proper notification to ACGME will need to occur after a residency training program is closed by the sponsoring institution.

If the sponsoring institution decides to close, ACGME will need to be notified. The GMEC, DIO, Program Directors, and residents will be notified as well. The sponsoring institution must allow residents already enrolled in programs to complete their education or assist the residents in enrolling in an ACGME-accredited program in which they can continue their education.