

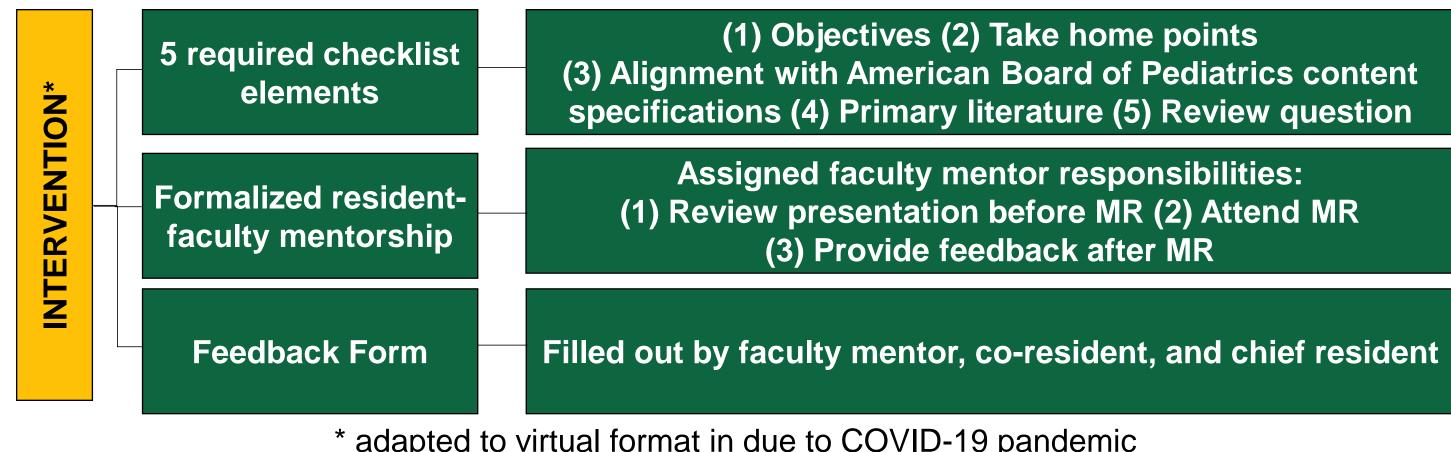
# Updating Pediatric Morning Report: Increasing Educational Quality and Satisfaction among Residents and Faculty



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#### BACKGROUND

- Morning report (MR) is a case-based conference commonly used in resident education.
- Recent studies highlight participant dissatisfaction with MR educational value; at UVM Children's Hospital pediatric residency program, residents and faculty were also dissatisfied.
- Utilizing educational theory and quality improvement (QI) science we created a new standard MR educational process (intervention), with the global aim to increase pediatric MR quality and participant satisfaction.



\* adapted to virtual format in due to COVID-19 pandemic

#### **METHODS**

- Pediatric residents and faculty were surveyed at baseline and 6 months post-intervention.
- Standardized feedback forms completed after every MR, and tracked using QI run chart.
- Mixed effects logistic regression was used to compare pre- and postintervention survey responses.

#### RESULTS

- Resident response rates: 90% (18/20) baseline and post-intervention.
- Faculty response rates: 66% (51/77) baseline, 44% (34/77) postintervention.
- 17 MRs during study period: Jan-June 2020.
- Sustained increase in MR checklist adherence (Figure 1).
- Statistically significant improvement for majority of MR quality and satisfaction measures for both residents and faculty (Figure 2).
- Participation and mentorship processes were clear (Figure 3) and utilized (<u>Figure 4</u>).
- Intervention: did not 1) increase time burden for residents and faculty (Figure 5); 2) negatively influence pediatric board exam pass rate.

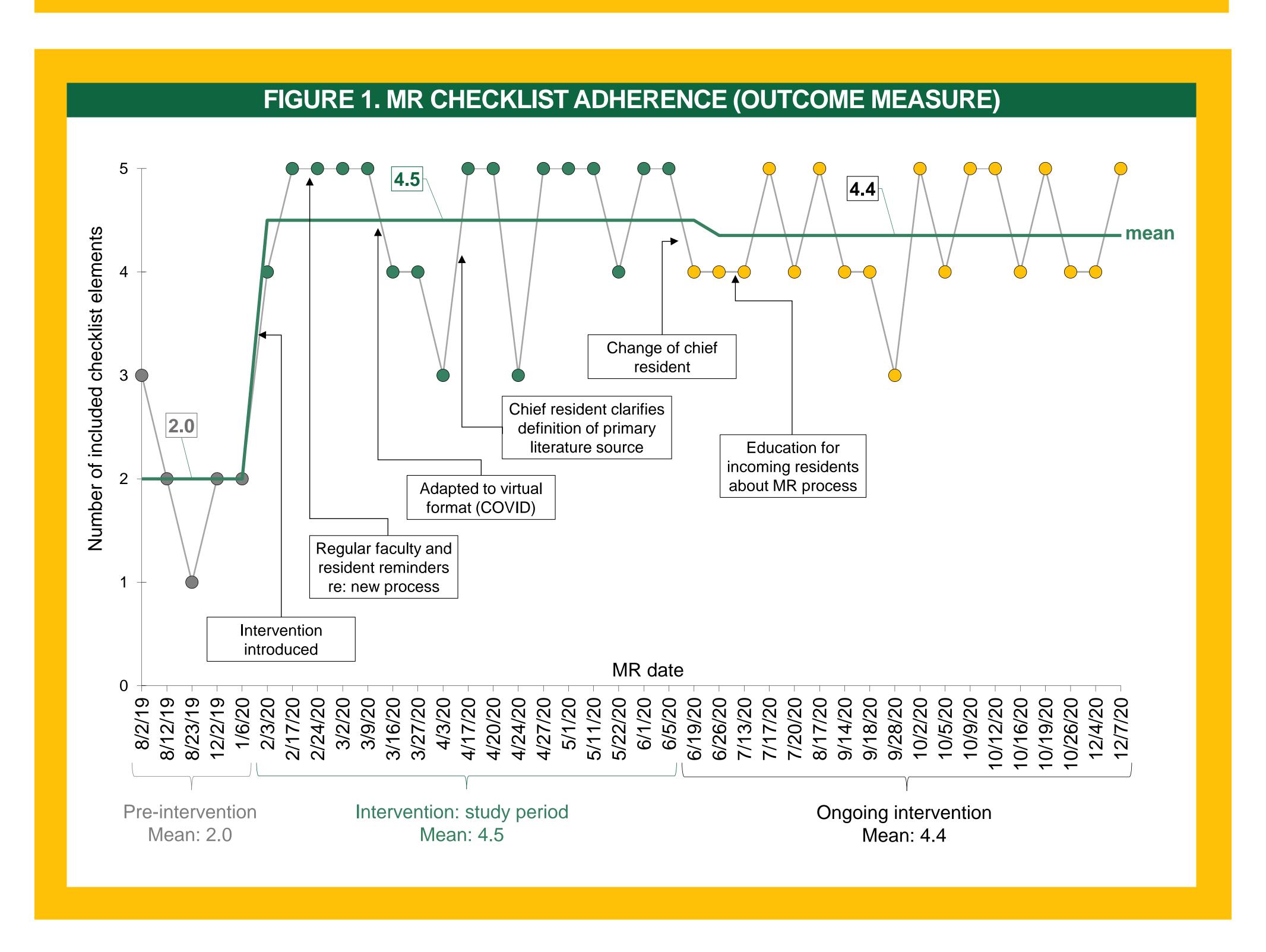
#### DISCUSSION

- Standardizing the MR educational process improved pediatric MR quality and satisfaction for residents and faculty.
- Ongoing QI science will be used to refine the MR process, focusing on feedback satisfaction and program sustainability.
- Future studies are needed to evaluate effects of standardized pediatric MR on resident teaching skills and educational outcomes.

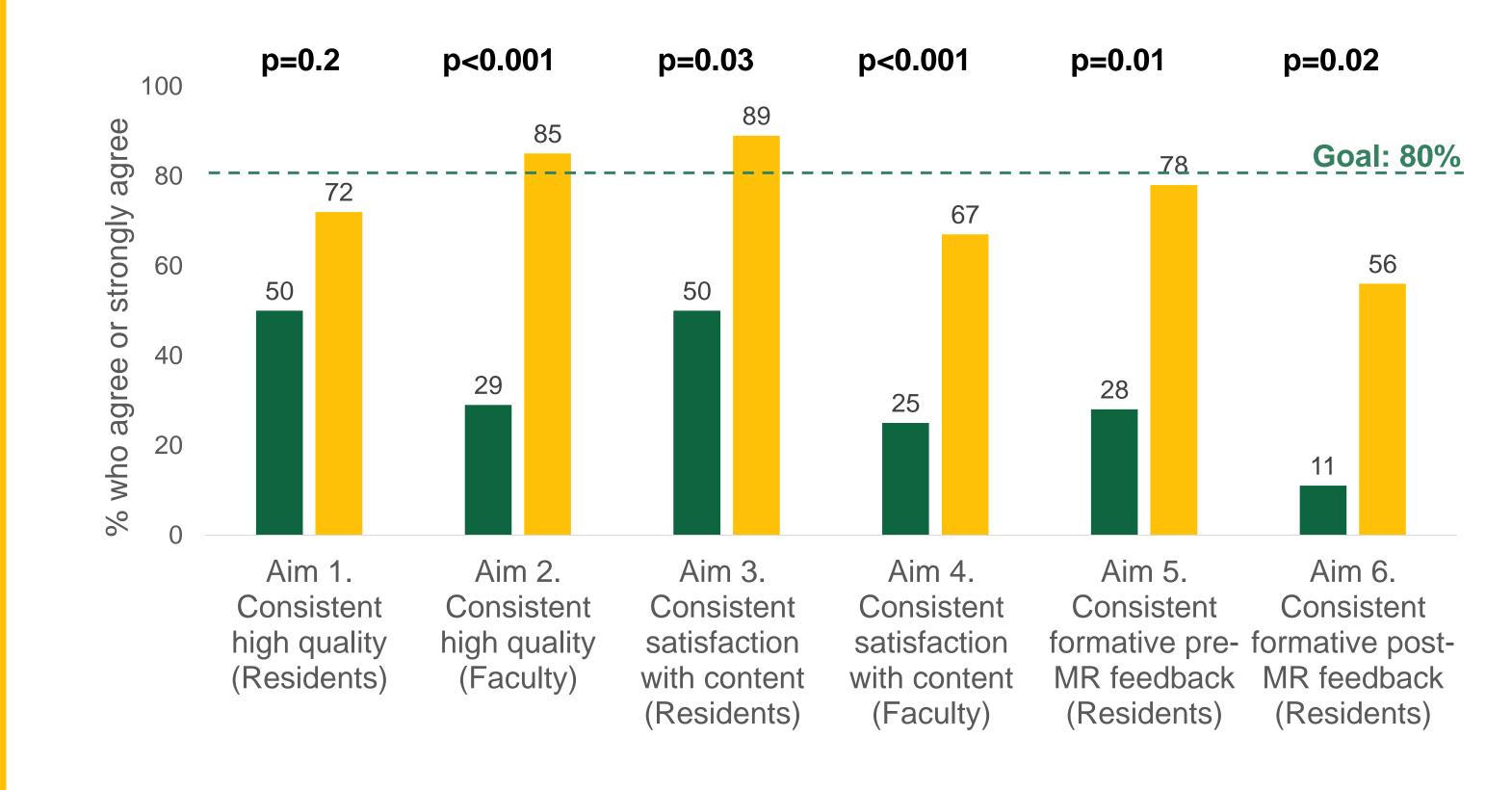
#### LIMITATIONS

- Small single center pediatric residency program.
- Lower faculty response rate compared to residents.
- Mid-project transition from in-person to remote learning due to COVID-19.

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### FIGURE 2. MR QUALITY AND PARTICIPANT SATISFACTION (OUTCOME MEASURES)

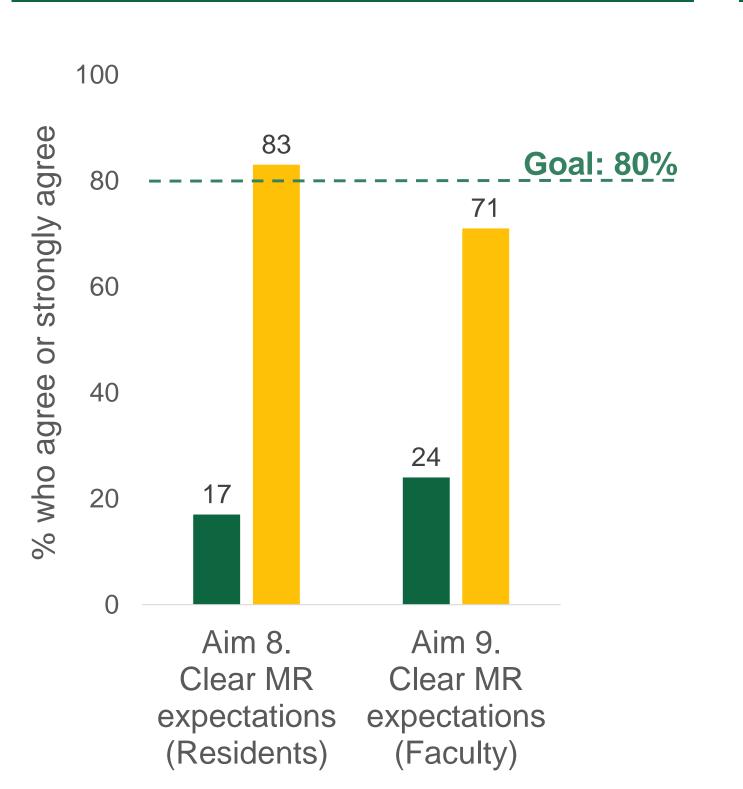


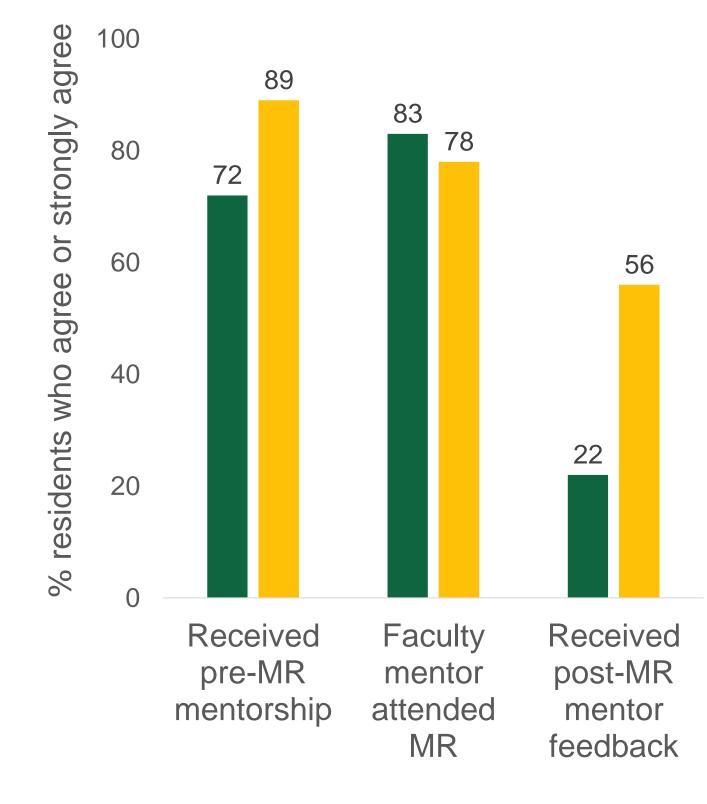
■ Pre-intervention (January 2020)

Post-intervention (June 2020)

## FIGURE 3. **INTERVENTION CLARITY** (PROCESS MEASURES)

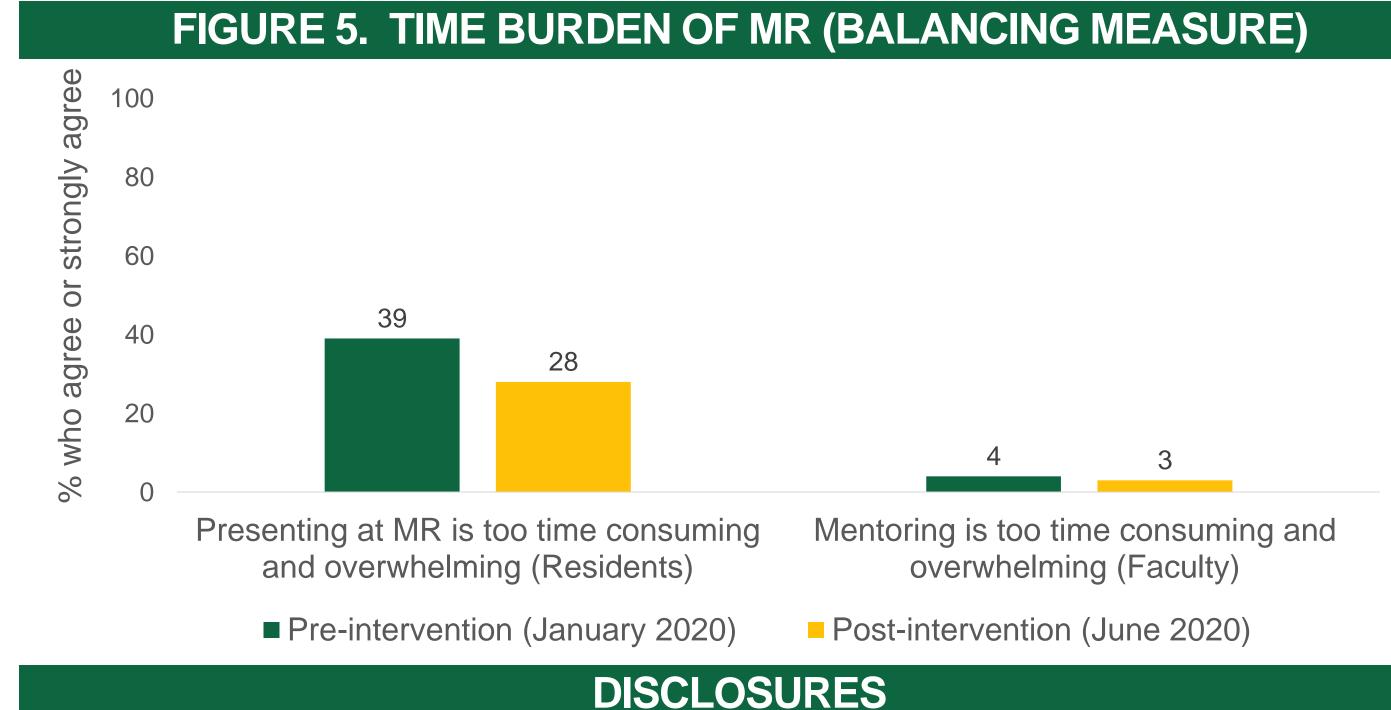
# FIGURE 4. **UTILIZATION OF MENTORSHIP** (PROCESS MEASURES)





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