Dear Colleague,

For those medical students seeking a training program specializing in rural medicine, Maine Medical Center, in Portland, ME, offers the Rural Internal Medicine Maine (RIMM) Track. RIMM track residents enjoy a unique residency training that blends experiences at both a rural critical access teaching hospital (Western Maine Health in Norway, ME) and an urban academic medical center (Maine Medical Center in Portland, ME). Residents in the RIMM Track will be fully integrated with our ACGME-accredited categorical internal medicine residency program, while also having a rural continuity clinic and unique rural health curriculum.

We invite you to review the attached handout with any of your students interested in rural medicine. For more information, visit our website rural-im-maine.

Please don’t hesitate to contact us with any questions at rimm@mmc.org.

Sincerely,

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**RIMM Program Themes**

| The Rural Internist as Generalist and Specialist | Advanced Procedure Training for the Rural Internist | Rural Population Health and Health Disparities | Teamwork and Leadership in Rural Practice | Lifelong Learning and Teaching in Rural Practice |

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