

Resolution: Adoption of the CFMS Underrepresented in Medicine Committee

Whereas the Canadian Federation of Medical Students (CFMS) determined that there was a need to formerly integrate Equity, Diversity, and Inclusivity (EDI) into its operations

Whereas there are many external medical student groups that are developing that represent diverse groups of medical students

Whereas the CFMS is a stakeholder to external organizations such as the Canadian Medical Association and the Association of Faculties of Medicine of Canada

Whereas the CFMS can use this status to help diverse groups in medicine gain access to key discussions about the profession

Be it resolved that the CFMS implement an Underrepresented in Medicine Committee (URMC)

Be it further resolved that the URMC be made up of CFMS representatives as well as members from diverse external student groups

Be it further resolved that the URMC be an avenue for the advocacy efforts by diverse groups of medical students

Financial cost:

There is no associated financial cost to the adoption of the CFMS EDI Task Force recommendations. Specific financial costs to implement the recommendations will be laid out specifically in each fiscal budget.

Source of funding:

Not applicable at this time.

Level of Effort of Volunteers/Staff:

The level of effort on behalf of the CFMS and its representatives will involve future advocacy efforts to support the recommendations laid out by the Committee.

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