

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

### **By the conclusion of this Conference, participants will be able to:**

- a. Describe the value of direct observation in the evaluation of competency;
- b. Identify basic, universal observation evaluation requirements;
- c. Describe the process of evaluating history skills, physical examination skills, informed decision making, counseling, and clinical/surgical skills;
- d. Develop a plan to implement direct observation techniques at participant's institution;
- e. Explore assessment tools for evaluation through observation;
- f. Identify the upcoming modifications to the PM&S Residency Training model;
- g. Understand and identify the integration of podiatry into the hospital's procedures and the legal implications;
- h. Identify the importance of self-reflection and self-assessment as part of the overall assessment of the program;
- i. Understand the status of residency program development in meeting the needs of our upcoming graduates;
- j. Define diversity in podiatric procedures;
- k. Establish a forum for collegial exchange.

### **By the conclusion of this Conference, Program Coordinators and Medical Education Directors will**

- a. Identify the changes and adjustments required to adapt a residency program to the revised PM&S model;
- b. Identify ways to recruit the rotation sites and establish affiliation agreements required to provide the breadth of experiences needed by the program;
- c. Identify effective methods of dealing with residents problems;
- d. Understand graduate medical education funding through Medicare;
- e. Provide support to one another through the sharing of common problems and solutions.