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Dear Dr. Parsons,

Thank you for your letter of September 8, 2022, expressing the Alliance for Academic Internal Medicine's concerns regarding the potential unintended consequences from the recent changes to the ACGME's program requirements for core faculty support of internal medicine subspecialty fellowship and residency programs. Your request was forwarded to the Review Committee for Internal Medicine for consideration at its September meeting.

As a result of your input, as well as that of others, the Review Committee revisited the requirements related to core subspecialty faculty member support and made the significant decision to revise those requirements as part of the major revision of the subspecialty Program Requirements the Review Committee is currently undertaking. The revisions should be available for public review and comment this winter. Additionally, the Review Committee decided that the current core faculty member FTE requirements for the subspecialties of internal medicine will not be enforced in 2023.

The ACGME and the Review Committee for Internal Medicine values your input and perspective, which allowed us to develop revisions to the Program Requirements. We invite you to provide additional input when the proposed revised Program Requirements are released for review and comment this winter.

Sincerely,

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