

ABFM Emblem



The Emblem of the American Board of Family Medicine embodies the story of the Specialty of Family Medicine.

The upper half of the Emblem pictures a palm tree. The lower half is divided into two parts: on the left-hand side is a representation of the mythological bird, the Phoenix, rising out of its nest of fire; on the right-hand side of the lower half is the standard of medicine, the Staff of Aesculapius.

The palm tree is the Phoenix Dactylifera, the Latin name for the date palm, so called because of the ancient idea that if this tree is burned down or if it falls through old age, it will rejuvenate itself and spring up fairer than ever. This symbolizes our specialty arising directly from its general practice heritage.

The Phoenix, the fabulous Arabian mythological bird, lives a certain number of years, at the close of which it makes a nest of spices, sings a melodious dirge, flaps its wings to set fire to the pile and burns itself to ashes and comes forth with new life. This, of course, symbolizes our periodic recertification.

Immediately below the Emblem are the Latin words, "Palnam Qui Meruit Ferat"--"Let him bear the palm who has earned it". This refers to the Roman custom to give the victorious gladiator a branch of the palm tree, the palm leaf being a sign of attainment of victory--symbolizing for us the attainment of Diplomate status by examination.

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Print Classified Advertising Deadlines

Issue Date	Closing Date
January-February	December 10
March-April	February 10
May-June	April 10
July-August	June 10
September-October	August 10
November-December	October 10



A Family Medicine Residency Program sponsored by Mayo School of Graduate Medical Education and located at Mayo Clinic Health System in **Eau Claire, Wisconsin** is seeking a **Program Director** to lead the development and implementation of a new 15 resident Family Medicine Residency Program in northwest Wisconsin.

- BC by the American Board of Family Medicine required.
- 5 years of clinical experience in Family Medicine.
- 2 years as a full-time faculty member in an ACGME-accredited Family Medicine Residency Program.
- Position will include teaching, clinical care and research.
- Provide direction and leadership necessary to obtain/maintain the Family Medicine Residency Program with full ACGME Accreditation.

Eau Claire, a university community of 161,000, is located 90 minutes from Minneapolis/St. Paul.

To learn more about this opportunity go to www.mayoclinichealthsystem.org Physician Careers and visit job #36709BR or contact Cyndi Edwards, Physician Recruiter at 800-573-2580 or edwards.cyndi@mayo.edu

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The American Board of Family Medicine invites you to visit its Web site at

<http://www.theabfm.org>

The site includes the following topics:

- Requirements for residency training
- Requirements for certification
- Requirements for recertification
- Requirements for Certificates of Added Qualifications in Geriatric Medicine and Sports Medicine
- Future examination dates
- Information on ABFM publications including the *Journal of the American Board of Family Medicine* and ABFM Reference Guides
- A listing of current and past Boards of Directors
- A staff listing and telephone directory
- The meaning of the ABFM emblem
- Official definitions and policies
- A brief history of the specialty
- Access by city and state to names of ABFM-Certified Family Physicians

We welcome your comments and suggestions.

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