

## Residency Program Evaluation Checklist

Date visited \_\_\_\_\_

Program \_\_\_\_\_

Program Director \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Residents \_\_\_\_\_

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Interviewers \_\_\_\_\_

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	weak point		strong point
1. Is the program education oriented?	1	2	3
2. Is service-oriented work—scut work—avoided?	1	2	3
3. Is the patient population varied, with	1	2	3
- enough primary care problems?	1	2	3
- enough tertiary care, referral problems?	1	2	3
4. Are the residents pleased with their program overall?	1	2	3
- Are they supported by faculty?	1	2	3
- Is their workload limited to what they can handle?	1	2	3
- Are they a cohesive, helpful group?	1	2	3
5. Is there a good night float system?	1	2	3
6. Are the didactic conferences resident-oriented?	1	2	3
7. Do the residents care for a group of patients for whom they have a primary decision-making role?	1	2	3
8. Do the residents also have substantial responsibility when they take care of private patients?	1	2	3

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9. Does the region provide:			
- cultural opportunities?	1	2	3
- a good climate?	1	2	3
- varied recreation activities?	1	2	3
- religious affiliations?	1	2	3
- access to city/countryside?	1	2	3
10. Will the program make an honest effort to address my spouse's/partner's/family's needs?	1	2	3
11. Is ambulatory medicine emphasized in specialities and primary care?	1	2	3
12. Does serious education—not just patient care—occur in the clinics?	1	2	3
13. Rate the quality of residents:			
- as teachers	1	2	3
- as colleagues	1	2	3
- as physicians	1	2	3
14. Is the hospital actively involved in medical student education?	1	2	3
15. Do graduates get good fellowships	1	2	3
16. Are full-time faculty actively involved in resident education?	1	2	3
17. Compensation:			
- competitive salary	1	2	3
- good fringes	1	2	3
- moonlighting opportunities	1	2	3
18. Are there good practice opportunities in the region?	1	2	3
19. Does the program provide career guidance?	1	2	3