

TOP 10

Reasons to Hire an Outside GME Consultant

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Hiring an outside consultant usually occurs as a response to a desire to move into a new direction, in an effort to accomplish an important goal, or to correct a perceived issue.

It's an expense that requires thought and choice. The following 10 reasons may help you prioritize your reasons for wanting to utilize outside consulting services.

Reason #1: A Clear Perspective

Acquire an unbiased analysis of your current GME situation from an experienced outsider. Learn how the situation is being perceived internally and externally.

Reason #2: Proven Recommendations

Gain advice from an expert who has the experience to offer recommendations that they have seen produce positive results.

Reason #3: Accurate Interpretation

Obtain accurate explanations of the accreditation process from people who have worked with hundreds of GME professionals like you. Find out what is really expected and how it's expected to be presented.

Reason #4: Save Time

Temporarily "hire" an expert to spend the time that you don't have to get organized and establish solid policies that can be systemically followed for years to come.

Reason #5: Validate Accurate Opinions

Sometimes an outside perspective is needed to weigh and affirm internal opinions.

Reason #6: Save Money

Expert advice is an investment that is well worth it in the long run. It could take someone without the same experience a lot longer to do the job that an experienced expert can do faster. Or a less experienced person may do it incorrectly with dire ramifications.

Reason #7: Protect Your Accreditation

Your accreditation status is just too important. Not only financially, for the institution, but more importantly for the educational development of the residents.

Reason #8: Stay on Top

The GME world is constantly changing. Staying abreast of the current developments takes too much of your

time. Consultants must constantly be on top of their game, giving you access to a "go to" person who can give you proven answers to your pressing questions.

Reason #9: Learn from Others

Consultants work with many clients with problems similar to what you may face. Let an expert tell you how others were successful and what pitfalls to avoid. Learn from others' mistakes and achievements.

Reason #10: Go Above and Beyond

In your position, you can accomplish more with less of your time with outside expert assistance. Together, you and your consultant can reach the goals set forth for your position and your department.

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