Council of Pediatric Subspecialties
(CoPS)
Update

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CoPS Website
www.pedsubs.org

MISSION
The Council of Pediatric Subspecialties advances child health through communication and collaboration within its network of pediatric subspecialties and liaison organizations.

VISION
All pediatric subspecialties working together for optimal child health.

VALUES
As an organization, we embrace:
- Collaboration
- Responsiveness
- Diversity
- Transparency

RECENT NEWS

CoPS Update October 2014

Final Recommendations of the Fellowship Start Date Action Team 10-3-14

Fellowship Start Date Survey Data of Residents and Fellowship Program Directors 10-3-14

CoPS Activities 2013-2014

CoPS Update June 2014

CoPS Update March 2014

View Recording of Webinar "GCC and Milestones" held on February 18, 2014

Slides from CoPS Webinar "GCCs and Milestones" held on February 18, 2014

ACGME Finalizes List of Subcompetencies for Reporting of Milestones for the Pediatric Subspecialties 4 January 2014

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2013-14 Accomplishments

- CoPS is sustainable
  Thanks to support from AMSPDC, APPD, ABP, AAP, APA, APS, SPR

- Governance structure ensures organizational memory
  election and transition of E.C. members
2013-14 Accomplishments

• Subspecialty Clinical Training and Certification Initiative
  published in *Pediatrics* May 2014
  ABP acknowledged “essential partnership with CoPS” (AT)

• Pediatric Educational Excellence Across the Continuum
  October 2013; joint with APA, APPD, COMSEP, and CoPS

• Webinars
  “Understanding EPA’s” October 2013
  “CCC’s & Milestones” February 2014
  -in collaboration with ABP and ACGME
2013-14 Accomplishments

- **Unification:** Common Match Date
  - survey data collection
  - partnership with SOMSRFT and APPD
- **Preparation:** Fellowship Readiness
  - survey data collection
  - Action Team partnership with APPD
  - posters @ APPD and @ PAS
- **Matriculation:** Fellowship Start Date
  - partnership with the entire GME community
2013-14 Accomplishments

• **Website**
  - subspecialty descriptions
  - informational resource for Milestones and EPA’s Communications Action Team

• **EPA research project**
  - partnership with ABP, APPD FPD committee and APPD LEARN
  - creation of a research network

• **Social Media & Legislative Affairs AT’s**
2013-14 “Almost” Accomplishments

• Common Fall Match Date Update

Who are the holdouts?

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Pediatric Hospital Medicine participated in the 2014 Fall Match

2014 Fall Match moved into December
2015 Activities

• Hospitalist Medicine Petition to ABP
• Fellowship Start Date (Action Team)
• Journal of Pediatrics / AMSPDC Pages
• Fall Match results & Workforce issues
• MOC Part II Learning Platform: April 20th
• PEEAC 2015 : September 18-19, Atlanta following APPD
2015 Activities

• CoPS spring meeting: Sunday 7-9 AM
  Hilton Bayfront, Aqua 300A

• CoPS fall meeting: September 28-29
  Chicago