Round Table Notes

Breakout Group Five: Funding

Funding

What ways can we provide sustainable funding to drive students towards a radiology career (e.g., tuition, stipends, and apprenticeships)?

\$10K tuition assistance – 2 year retention 4 months-14 months

Tuition "forgiveness" – reimbursement with a max

Scholarships

Vested sign on bonus

Apprenticeship funding – scholarship/stipend/ grant (Set stipend/month)



What are the risks or barriers on this issue?

- JCERT does not allow for apprenticeships (no earn and learn)
- No regulatory space to provide employer funded training



What are your ideas for solutions or action items?

- Reach out to Bloomberg or another philanthropic source
- Internal Healthcare Provider Programs
- Equipment Providers
- Public awareness
- Healthcare providers assisting educational institutions with funding –shift away from temp to investment
- Collective funding/joint venture
- MHA hospital bond funding got capital and infrastructure money
- State funding for education
- Programs streamed to rural areas



What can be done immediately (3-6 months)?

- Building awareness
- Education other allied health disciplines
- Coalition for State funding



What can be done in 1-3 years?

Restarting hospital based programs

