

# Georgia Board for Physician Workforce

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The Georgia Board for Physician Workforce co-sponsors “practice opportunity fairs” each year in conjunction with graduate medical education programs to link resident physicians with employment opportunities around the state. Invited participants are resident physicians of Georgia-based GME programs and any hospital or health system recruiting for practice opportunities in Georgia.

In FY 2019, two physician residency programs across the state teamed up with the GBPW to host fairs. Below are total figures and a breakdown of participation at each fair.

- **Total**  
**50 exhibitors**  
**89 residents**  
**1.8 resident-to-exhibitor ratio**
- Medical College of Georgia at Augusta University in Augusta (November 14, 2018)  
26 exhibitors  
53 residents  
2.0 resident-to-exhibitor ratio
- Memorial Health University Medical Center in Savannah (December 6, 2018)  
24 exhibitors  
36 residents  
1.5 resident-to-exhibitor ratio

The GBPW also held a large, statewide fair that attracted residents and physicians from all over the Southeast. Among the attendees of the 2018 Georgia Medical Fair were resident physicians from 12 different graduate medical education programs representing nine different specialties across three states and exhibitors from Georgia-based hospitals, large practices and community health centers.

29 exhibitors  
38 attendees (35 residents and three already-practicing physicians)  
1.3 attendee-to-exhibitor ratio