

Bridging the Gap: Resident Advocacy for Skin of Color Education



PHASE 1: Identify and Supplement Gaps



Audit Educational Materials

Identify deficiencies in faculty lectures and textbooks that lack diverse clinical photography.



Integrate, Don't Isolate

Ensure SOC education is embedded within the standard curriculum rather than treated as a separate topic.



Leverage Existing Resources

Incorporate the American Academy of Dermatology (AAD) Skin of Color curriculum into existing training frameworks.

PHASE 2: Clinical Action and Lasting Change



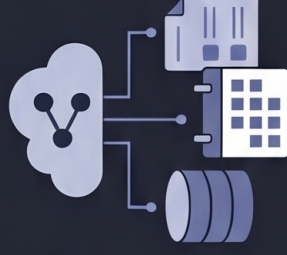
Diversify Case Conferences

Bring skin of color cases to Grand Rounds to promote awareness of disease morphology in various skin types.



Refine Descriptive Language

Adopt inclusive morphology language to describe texture, pigmentary changes, and scale across all skin types.



Build a Sustainable Legacy

Collaborate with faculty to create shared image banks and recurring conference sessions for future residents.