The Medical Physics Workforce Study
-Looking Ahead-

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Medical Physics Future Demand Estimates

125/yr → 400/yr
A New Role for the Medical Physicist?

Dogbert the CEO:

We’re paying too much taxes. Bring me a physicist and a tax attorney.

Physicist: I want to incorporate in another dimension. Make it happen.

CEO: Somewhere in the multiverse it’s already done.

Lawyer: I like you. The lawyer guy is fired.

Physics Rules!
The Big Question

- Will the supply of Qualified Medical Physicists available over the next decade be sufficient to meet anticipated demand?
Collaborative Research Agreement

2009 - 2010
Meeting Agenda

Presentations

- Jean Moore - Director, CHWS
- Margaret Langelier - Senior Research Associate and Project Analyst
- Gaetano Forte - Director of Information Management

Q&A Session