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**Health & Insurance**  
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**DEVELOPMENT BY STORM: HOW TO TURN POST-MARÍA RECOVERY  
AS THE OPPORTUNITY TO FIX HEALTHCARE IN PUERTO RICO**

**How can the School of Medicine help in  
the Physicians Exodus  
Omar A. Candelas Morales, CPA**

- Critical Need for Certain Specialist and Sub-Specialist:
  - Neurologists
  - Endocrinologist
  - Cardiologist
  - Rheumatologists
  - Ophthalmologists
  - Pediatricians
- Act. No. 14-2017– The Incentives Act for the Retention and Return of Medical Professionals. 1,600 applications / 1,000 approved

**Avg. Medical  
 School Debt After  
 Residency  
 \$ 225,855\*\***

PHYSICIANS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4
25	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500
25 (50)	\$ -	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500
25 (75)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,412,500	\$ 1,412,500
25 (100)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,412,500
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>\$ 1,412,500</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 2,825,000</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 4,237,500</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 5,650,000</u></b>

\*\* Source Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) Avg. Medical School debt for 2017



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