



Call for Applications!

The Academic General Pediatrics Fellowship Program at the University of Minnesota participates in the National Resident Match Program (NRMP)

**Applications from physicians due by October 18th, 2019.
Interviews offered on a rolling basis from September - November 2019.**

The **overall purpose** of the University of Minnesota's Academic General Pediatrics Fellowship - Interdisciplinary Research Training in Child & Adolescent Primary Care (IRT-CAPC) - is to improve the health and health care of children and adolescents, at both individual and population levels, by equipping a diverse, interdisciplinary cadre of health professionals with the skills to assume leadership roles in primary health care research.

This fellowship prepares postdoctoral (MD/DO post-residency; DDS/DMD; PhD; comparable doctoral degree) scholars committed to a career in primary care research with skills for conducting determinant, intervention, and health services research focused on current and emerging health and health care issues of children and adolescents. The interdisciplinary training program brings together trainees and faculty from diverse disciplines including Medicine, Public Health, Nursing, Psychology, Nutrition, Social Work, Family Social Science, and Education.

Curriculum: The fellowship is two years, with a curriculum that integrates educational offerings through the School of Public Health and the School of Nursing with weekly seminars based within the Division of General Pediatrics and Adolescent Health. Core curricular areas include child and adolescent health issues and their determinants, research and science translation, policy and advocacy, academic leadership skills, and development of a focal area of expertise. Trainees without an MPH or similar degree have the option of completing MPH degrees, choosing from several areas of concentration, including Epidemiology, Maternal and Child Health, Community Health Education, and Public Health Administration and Policy; or other degrees of interest, such as the Master of Human Rights (MHR) degree program.

Trainees work with identified mentors on primary care research projects in areas of their interest. Areas of expertise developed by past trainees include identification and management of psychosocial problems in primary care, advancing health equity among vulnerable youth and under-resourced populations, prevention of adolescent risk behaviors, including violence involvement, bullying, substance abuse, and unsafe sexual activity, overweight prevention and management, primary care for children with chronic conditions, health care for incarcerated youth, and foster care health.

The fellowship is grounded in a Division with an extensive research and publication record as well as over 40 years of experience in fellowship training. IRT-CAPC is accredited by the Academic Pediatric Association.

Additional information and an application can be found [here](#). If you would like more information about the fellowship or are interested in applying, please contact the Fellowship Director:

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