

The Pediatric Residency Program of the Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University, based at Nemours Children's Hospital Delaware in Wilmington, Delaware is proud to offer a **Visiting Scholars Clerkship Program for students under-represented in medicine (URiM)**. Our residency program, faculty, and administration acknowledge the importance of a diverse community. Our program strives to support and promote an inclusive environment that embraces and celebrates the diversity of our people – residents, faculty members, patients, and communities.

We have established a visiting scholars program for URiM medical students who are pursuing a career in pediatrics.

Benefits of the Program:

- One month rotation at Nemours Children's Hospital Delaware; the only children's hospital in Delaware
- Experiences tailored to the specific interest of each student
- Inclusion in residency conferences and activities
- Personal meeting with Pediatric Residency Program Directors
- \$2000 stipend for applicants outside the tri-state area (PA, DE, NJ) to cover travel and living expenses
- \$1000 stipend for applicants inside the tri-state area to cover travel expenses

Application Requirements:

- Must be in good standing at an LCME-accredited US allopathic/osteopathic medical school
- Member of a group under-represented in medicine
 (AAMC definition of URiM is "Underrepresented in medicine means those racial and ethnic populations that are
 underrepresented in the medical profession relative to their numbers in the general population.")
- Must be a fourth year medical student

Application Process:

- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Board Scores Report (USMLE and/or COMLEX)
- Personal statement of no more than 1500 words describing your interest/experience in working with diverse communities and anticipated career plans

Email all materials to <u>cindy.chuidian@nemours.org</u>. Contact same with questions.