



Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics is for YOU!

**We have 43 ACGME-accredited fellowship training
programs all around the country from which to choose.**

What do Developmental Behavioral Pediatricians Do?

Excerpt from the Society of Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics (<https://sdbp.org>)

- Have a range of career options within academics, research, education, and clinical practice - often in multidisciplinary settings and involving close collaboration with other professional disciplines.
- Evaluate, treat and manage infants, children, and adolescents with a wide range of developmental and behavioral concerns and conditions, as well as physical complaints that are best addressed via a biobehavioral approach.
- Research the causes and treatments of such conditions; strive to promote an understanding of the social, educational, and cultural influences on children.
- Through training and continuing medical education, help to shape the work of general pediatricians and other pediatric subspecialists to provide collaborative community leadership, and inform public policy to promote the optimal development and behavioral health of all children.

Check us out: “Defining Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics”, C Weitzman et. al., Pediatrics 149(4), April 2022. PMID: 35260884.

Baylor College of Medicine/Texas Children's Hospital Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship



DBP FACULTY

Robert Voigt, MD
Division Chief, Program Director



Holly Harris, MD
Associate Program Director



Sonia Monteiro, MD
Associate Program Director



Clinical Mentors

JB Swanson-Zamora, MD
Renee Rodrigues-D'Souza, MD
Lisa Pham, DO
Noel Mensah-Bonsu, MD
Kathryn Ostermaier, MD



CLINICAL TRAINING HIGHLIGHTS

→ Core Longitudinal experiences

- Autism Center
- School-aged Clinic
- NICU follow up
- Community Health Center
- Psychopharmacology



→ **Core Rotations:** Neurology, Genetics, Cerebral Palsy, PM&R, Down Syndrome, Fragile X, Foster Care, Community Advocacy, Spina Bifida, Psychology

→ **Elective opportunities:** Cardiac Developmental Outcomes, Sleep Medicine, Neurogenetics (e.g. Angelman, Rett), Movement Disorders, Traumatic Brain Injury, Muscular Dystrophy, Child Abuse



Other Key Faculty

Diane Treadwell-Deering, Psychiatry
Leandra Berry, Psychology/Autism Center
Sarah Risen, Neurodevelopmental Disabilities
Dinah Godwin, Medical Social Work
Jennifer Cervantes, Medical Social Work

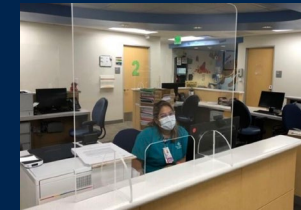


EDUCATION HIGHLIGHTS

→ Weekly half day of education

- Case staffing and board prep
- Local or guest lecturers

→ LEND (Leadership in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities)
Program alongside UT Houston
→ iCOR (International Collaborative Office Rounds)
→ Fellow teaching roles in resident primary care clinic and community health clinic



RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS

→ Faculty working in diverse areas

- Fragile X
- Clinical trials in rare genetic disorders
- Cardiac Developmental Outcomes
- Epidemiology of Developmental Disorders

→ One of 14 IDDRC sites (Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Centers)
→ Kochel Lab for Autism Research
→ Member of DBPNet

<https://www.bcm.edu/departments/pediatrics/divisions-and-centers/developmental-pediatrics/education/developmental-behavioral-pediatrics>

Contact: Holly.Harris@bcm.edu if questions or for more information!



Program Highlights:

- We were among the first DBP fellowship programs accredited by ACGME in 2003. Since that time, 28 fellows have completed our program and practice across the country and the globe, primarily in academic settings.
- We are among the 12 MCHB/HRSA sponsored DBP fellowship programs, continuously funded since 2007.
- Our 2nd year fellows join RI LEND which recruits and prepares graduate-level, parent and self-advocate trainees from diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds to become future clinical, academic and community leaders with a goal of increasing the health and wellbeing of children with autism and other related developmental disabilities.

Clinical Training

- Our primary clinical service is imbedded in the Children's Neurodevelopment Center where we practice shoulder to shoulder with colleagues in Genetics, Child Neurology, Psychology, Nursing, Social Work, Care Coordination and our Parent Consultants.
- Fellows first learn clinical skill through close observation of faculty providing care. They gradually increase their assessment including astute child-focused behavioral observation, direct testing including ADOS administration and development of a plan that is strength-based and sensitive to the family's perspective.

Education

- Our strong core curriculum includes weekly seminars (Literature Seminars, Research Symposia, QI, case discussions and didactic sessions) with full participation by faculty and fellows.
- Our fellows typically attend and often present at 2 national meetings each year.
- Our 1st year fellows take Biostatistics courses in Brown's School of Public Health and may apply for the Hassenfeld Scholarship to complete a Certificate in Clinical and Translational Research.
- Fellows rotate through NICU follow-up, Genetics, Child Neurology, a Med-Psych Partial Hospital Program, Children's Rehabilitation Services with Speech, OT, PT and spasticity management, Downs Syndrome, Sleep and Fussy Baby clinics and have opportunities to select to rotate in Child Psychiatry day programs or psychopharmacology practice.

Recent Fellow's Scholarly Themes/Research

- All fellows complete a scholarly project with faculty mentorship. Themes of recent projects include:
 - Adverse Childhood Experiences and Protective Factors Associated with Behavior Problems, Developmental Delay, and Learning Concerns in Preschool Age U.S. Children
 - The Association between Race and Ethnicity and Autism Diagnosis before Age 5 among Children 6-17 years old with ASD in the United States
 - Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and Unmet Special Service Use Among US Children with Developmental-Behavioral (DB) Needs
 - Association between food insecurity and the diagnosis of developmental delay and behavioral problems in American preschool age children
 - Associations of Adverse Childhood Experiences and Protective Factors with School Engagement



Pam High MD, Program Director
Yvette Yatchmink MD PhD, Assoc.. PD
Viren D'Sa, MD, Division director
Carrie Kelly MD, Director Resident Ed
Pei Chi Wu MD, Director ADOS/ASD Ed
Natalia Lukankina MD, Directs ADHD/LD



Yearly Fellowship
Graduation and Yearly
Brown Reunion at SDBP

Rainbow Babies & Children's Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Faculty

Nancy Roizen, MD (PD)

Charron Lewis, MD (APD)

Denise Bothe, MD

Kim Burkhart, PhD

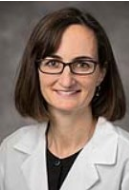
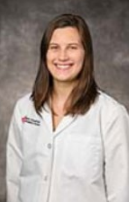
Beth Diekroger, MD

Rebecca Hazen, PhD
(Division Chief)

Shanna Kralovic, DO

Catherine Lipman, MD

Catherine Scherer, DO

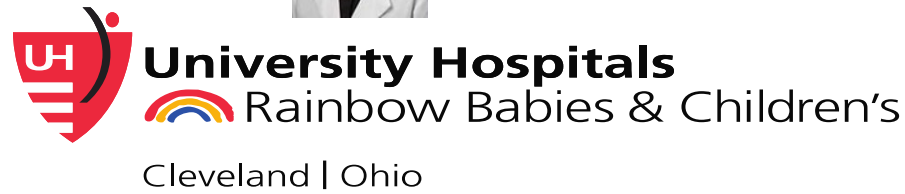


Program Highlights

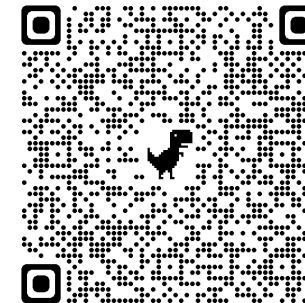
- ❑ Clinical Experiences
 - ❑ Down Syndrome, NICU f/u, Sleep medicine, Trauma
 - ❑ Multidisciplinary Clinics - ACES, ADHD, Autism, FASD, Substance Exposure
 - ❑ Rotations at Cleveland Clinic and MetroHealth
 - ❑ Embedded DBP care at Ahuja Women's & Children's Center
- ❑ Educational Opportunities
 - ❑ Med Ed Track
 - ❑ Advocacy
 - ❑ Psychopharmacology
 - ❑ International Collaborative Office Rounds
 - ❑ Board review
- ❑ Research
 - ❑ CATCH grant recipient
 - ❑ Fellows Research Award Program in Pediatrics (FRAP)
 - ❑ Research course
 - ❑ Tailored to trainees interests



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Children's Mercy Kansas City DBP Fellowship Program Highlights

- **Educational activities:**
 - Core Curriculum Didactic Series, Fellowship Common Curriculum, Fellowship Enhancement Activities, Biostatistics Course/Research, Grant writing course, Psychology Didactics, Journal Club, Regional and National Meetings: SDBP, PAS, AAP, CAPS.
- **Clinical training:**
- Continuity Clinic Experiences
- Rotations during the first year of fellowship:
 - Overview of Developmental and Behavioral Health
 - Learning and Cognition in Psychology
 - Genetics
 - ADHD Clinic, ADHD Summer Treatment Program (STP)
 - Psychiatry
 - Pediatric Rehabilitative Medicine
 - Neurology
 - Occupational Therapy/Physical Therapy/Speech & Language/Audiology
 - Feeding
 - Community Services
- Rotations during the second year of fellowship:
 - Interdisciplinary clinics: Developmental Assessment of the Young Child, Developmental Diagnostic Team and Dyad, Behavioral Change in the Older Child and Teen, Inpatient Consultation, Elimination Disorders, Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT), Down Syndrome Clinic
- **Elective experiences:**
 - Child abuse and neglect, Advocacy, Eating disorders, Failure to thrive, Family therapy, Genetics with primary focus on dysmorphology, Genetics with primary focus on metabolic disorders, Individualized therapeutics, Integrative pain management, International Medicine Elective (taken as one full-month), Neonatal follow-up, Ophthalmology, Psychopharmacology, Sleep disorders, Substance abuse, Tourette, Weight management



Our division includes over 40 Psychologists, 8 Psychiatrists and 3 Psychometricians in addition to our Developmental Pediatricians!!!

For more information visit <https://www.childrensmercy.org/professional-education/training-programs/fellowship/developmental-and-behavioral-pediatrics/>

Current fellows:



Whitney Rolling, DO (PGY-6), Jean Paek, MD(PGY-4) and Rachel Goodson, DO (PGY-6)

Our DBP faculty:



July Jean Cuevas, MD (PD)



Elizabeth Hastings, MD (APD)
DBP Section Chief



Sarah Nyp, MD



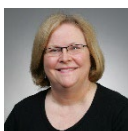
Hanein Edrees, MD



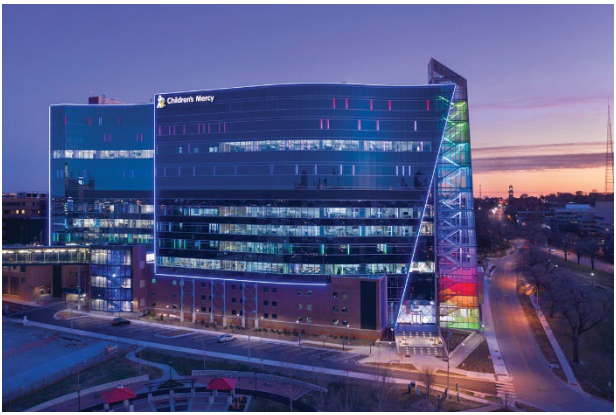
Libby Milkovich, MD



Sarah Soden, MD
D&B Division Chief



Lisa Campbell, MD
Medical Director, ADHD Clinic



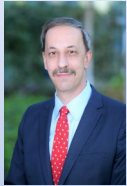
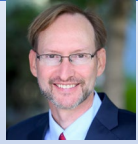
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Children's Hospital Los Angeles Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship



Keck School of
Medicine of USC

Our DBP Faculty



Douglas Vanderbilt

David Schonfeld

Josh Kallman

Karen Kay Imagawa

Larry Yin

Sai Kumar

Karen Koser



Program Opportunities

1. Fellows as Care Providers

- Autism Team, Private Practice, Primary Care Consultation, NICU Follow up, Early Childhood, Psychopharm
- Public and Private insurance
- Collaboration with multiple hospital divisions and a federally qualified health center (AltaMed)

2. Fellows as Scholars

- Autism Care Network and DBPNet projects
- Support for biostats and manuscript submissions

3. Fellows as Advocates

- Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities training
- Diverse patient population, diverse workforce

4. Fellows as Educators

- Pipeline of learners (Medical Students, Residents, Fellows)
- Over 15 disciplines beyond the many pediatric subspecialties



Our DBP Fellows

Jennifer Han

Peter Hong

Nicole Nghiem

Jasmine Ke

Come train to be a DBP in a
dynamic environment as you
say goodbye to winter...



For more details and our video see the website:

www.chla.org/fellowship/developmental-behavioral-fellowship

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Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



Akron Children's Hospital

DBP Faculty

Jessica E. A. Foster, MD, MPH

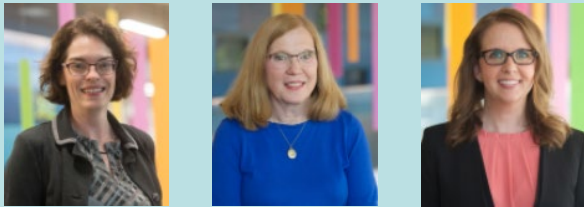
Division Director

Diane L. Langkamp, MD, MPH - PD

Kristen Stefanski, MD - APD

Jackie Branch, MD

Dan Smith, MD



Website for Fellowship Information & Video:

<https://tinyurl.com/39np7jd9>

Newsweek ranks Akron Children's 16th among pediatric hospitals in the world, 2021

Anna M. Dusseau

Program Coordinator

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Located within the NeuroDevelopmental Science Center, an interprofessional department, that also includes pediatric neurology, neurosurgery, physical medicine & rehabilitation (PM&R)/physiatry, psychology, and neurobehavioral health

Clinical Training

- Experiences in multidisciplinary clinics: Down Syndrome, Neonatal Follow-Up, Autism Diagnostic, School Success, Myelodysplasia, Neurofibromatosis and Single Ventricle LIFT, among others
- Triple P® Certification for all fellows
- Fellows have their own patient population in twice weekly continuity clinics, one-on-one supervision; incorporating telehealth practices with a diverse patient population
- Fellowship wellness resources/events throughout the year

Education

- Biostatistics and Epidemiology Courses through Northeast Ohio Medical University through the CEOMPH program, for those without a MPH
- Faculty and research mentors for each fellow along the way
- Support for fellow scholarly activities is augmented with monthly didactics and assistance from our own Research Institute, with funding support
- Electives and focused learning opportunities are included
- Attend at least one national conference per year

Scholarly Themes

- Health services in Down Syndrome
- Application of technology in Medical Education
- Outcomes after prematurity



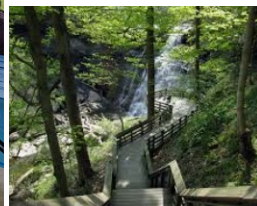
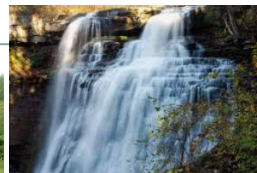
Welcome to our backyard! Situated on The Towpath Trail Bridge, our local area offers beautiful walking spaces and lush green right outside, and next to the Rubber Ducks baseball stadium. We're a short distance from the Cuyahoga Valley National Park.

www.CuyahogaValleyNatlPark

www.downtownakron.com/explore



DBP Graduation Get-Together during COVID



The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



Program Leadership

Ali Downes, MD – PD
Carissa Jackel, MD – APD
Bernadette Burton – PC

12 Attending Physicians
6 Psychologists/Researchers
5 Advanced Practice Nurses
6 DBP Fellows

Highlights

- MCHB/HRSA funded since 1991
- LEND program (Leadership in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities)
- IDDRC (Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center)



Education

Weekly DBP Fellows Seminars
Monthly Journal Club and Case Conference
Collaborative office rounds
Didactic and Clinical teaching of residents

Clinical

- DBP Continuity clinic
- Combined new patient evaluations with Speech Therapy
- Rotations: NDD/Rehab, Neurology, Genetics, Psychiatry, Community programs
- Inpatient consults
- Multi-disciplinary teams: Trisomy 21 Program, Autism Integrated Care Program, Center for Management of ADHD
- Electives: Cardiac Kids Developmental Program, Neonatal follow-up, Feeding Clinic, Neurogenetics, Sleep, Disorder-specific clinics (NF, CDLS, 22q, Rett, CP)

Research

Participatory Action Research Project through LEND
Divisional QI Project in 2nd year
PENN Translational Research Certificate Program
CHOP Center for Autism Research (CAR)
DBPNet Site
Autism Care Network Site



CHOP Main Campus



CHOP King of Prussia



Roberts Research Center



UPENN Campus



Eagles Autism Challenge



Annual Buddy Walk



DBP Holiday Party



Bday Party COVID-style



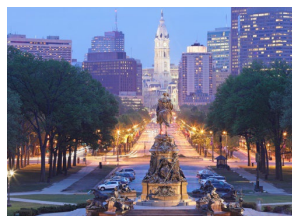
CHOP Fellow Alums at SDBP



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DBP Fellows 2021-2022



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Boston Children's Hospital

Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Faculty: 16 DBP Attendings and 8 Psychologists

Jennifer Aites, MD
William Barbaresi, MD
Ronald Becker, MD
Nicole Baumer, MD
Julie Bickel, MD, MPH
Eugenia Chan, MD, MPH
Emily Davidson, MD,
MPH
Katherine Driscoll, PhD
Susan Faja, PhD
Jason Fogler, PhD

Elizabeth Harstad, MD, MPH
Kida Ingram, PhD
Kate Linnea, PhD
Demetra Pappas, MD, MPH
Lisa Prock, MD, MPH
Leonard Rappaport, MD, MS
Marie Reilly, MD
Sabrina Sargado, MD
Cara Soccorso, PsyD
Dasha Solomon, PsyD
Nancy Sullivan, PhD
Laura Weissman, MD
Carol Weitzman, MD
Carol Wilkinson, MD, PhD

Program Highlights

- MCHB/HRSA funded
- 3 year ACGME accredited program
- Clinical training
 - Trainees participate in 1-3 interdisciplinary teams per week with psychology, social work, and/or educators.
 - Specialty clinics: ASD Spoke, ADHD Spoke, Adoption Program, Down Syndrome Program, Sleep Clinic, Pains and Incontinence Program, Adolescent Substance Abuse Program, and Advocating Success for Kids (ASK Program).
- Education
 - Comprehensive Weekly Didactics
 - Substance Abuse Seminar
 - Teaching Skills Seminar
 - Didactic QI curriculum
 - Summer teaching opportunities
 - Multiple teaching opportunities to observers, medical students, residents, and fellows in other disciplines
- Scholarly Projects
 - Each trainee develops his or her own scholarly project.
 - Informal and formal feedback is provided by research faculty, SOC members, and peers.
- EDI Mission
 - Committed to promoting equity, diversity, and inclusivity through the development of a thoughtful, deliberate, systematic approach that is comprehensive and meaningful and that can be incorporated into the fabric of our Division to produce long-lasting change.

Our Fellows



Fellow Celebrations:



Website:

<https://www.childrenshospital.org/departments/developmental-medicine/clinician-resources/dbp-fellowship>

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Boston Medical Center

Developmental Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Over 65 passionate, committed and kind professionals from a wide variety of programs!

Programs in DBP:

Autism Program
Comprehensive Care Program
Good Grief Program
Child Witness to Violence
Baby Steps (NICU Follow up)
Child Protection
Supporting Our Families through
Addiction and Recovery (SOFAR)
Grow Clinic
The Massachusetts Center For
Sudden and Unexpected Infant and
Child Death

DBP Faculty

Marilyn Augustyn, MD	Alyssa King PhD
Audrey Christiansen, MD	Jocelyn Kuhn PhD
Arathi Reddy, DO	Mary Ellen Killion, NP
Mei Elansary, MD MPhil	Christina Lazdowsky NP
Deborah A Frank, MD	Rachel Amgott NP
Naomi Steiner, MD	Neena McConnico, PhD
Sue Minear, MD	

Program Highlights

- Emphasis on health equity and diversity
- MCHB/HRSA funded
 - 3 DBP fellows: Sarah Canale, MD; Britany Weisman, MD and Christine McGivney, DO
 - 2 short term “minifellows”: Emault Louis, MD and Meaghan Hamilton, CNP
- Clinical training
 - Emphasis on clinical excellence and administration of developmental testing
 - Rotations in Neurology, psychiatry, baby steps, SOFAR, feeding clinic, Grow clinic, Genetics
- Education
 - Weekly chief rounds and literature seminars
 - Advocacy; Quality improvement
 - Participation in -LEND certificate program
 - Formal and informal teaching of residents and medical students
 - Presentation at CME conference in 3rd year
- Research
 - Monthly research seminars
 - Scholar Oversight 1-2 times per year
 - Optional research month in 2nd or 3rd year
 - Fellow Lead QI project



View our recruitment video at the following link! <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KisjSV9-WcLPy8e61SPZ1SdWHpRQD-Gf/view?usp=sharing>

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BMC is the largest safety-net hospital in New England and has a long-standing commitment to providing accessible, community-oriented health services to all in need regardless of their status or ability to pay.

Cincinnati Children's Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



PROGRAM LEADERSHIP

Susan Wiley, MD, Division Director
Jayna Schumacher, MD, Program Director
Tanya Froehlich, MD, MS, Associate Program Director
Jennifer Smith, PsyD, BCBA-D, LEND Program Director
Stephanie Weber, PsyD, LEND Training Director
Tori Webb, Program Coordinator

FACULTY PHYSICIANS

Julia Anixt, MD
Cassandra Conrad, MD
Jennifer Ehrhardt, MD, MPH
Kelly Kamimura-Nishimura, MD
Lisa Kuan, MD
Patricia Manning, MD
Karen Mason, MD
Manoj Nair, MD
Sara Williams, MD, MPH
Pamela Williams-Arya, MD
Jason Woodward, MD, MS



KEY PSYCHOLOGY MENTORS

Robin Adams, PhD
Rebekah Ridgeway, PsyD
Teresa Smith, PhD
Megan Stone-Heaberlin, PsyD

INTERDISCIPLINARY SUPPORT

APNs, Psychology, SLP, OT/PT, Nutrition, Educators,
Social Work, Child Life, Family Support Professionals

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- U.S. News & World Report's No. 2 Department of Pediatrics (2022)
- Rich exposure to wide range of DBP conditions from birth to age 21 years, rural and urban populations
- Experience in diagnostic evaluations and follow up, including medication management
- Practice with various care delivery models including single discipline evaluations, interdisciplinary team evaluations, and training in and administration of developmental assessments
- Weekly continuity clinic with telemedicine opportunities and dedicated Nursing/Social Work support
- Engaged faculty committed to fellow success and wellbeing
- Strong research mentorship and opportunities for scholarly work in the fellow's area of interest
- Opportunities to pursue advanced degrees in public health and medical education in collaboration with University of Cincinnati



SPECIALTY PROGRAMS / INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAMS

- Aaron W. Perlman Center (CP, Physical Disabilities)
- Center for ADHD
- Center for Spina Bifida Care
- Comprehensive Health Evaluations for Cincinnati's Kids (CHECK) Foster Care Center
- Developmental Assessment Team for Infants and Toddlers (DATIT)
- Hearing Deafness and Research Center
- Heart Institute Neurodevelopmental and Educational Clinic (NDEC)
- Kelly O'Leary Center (TKOC) for Autism Spectrum Disorder
- MD/Psychology Fellow Arenas
- MD/SLP Arenas for < 3 yo
- Rett Syndrome Program
- Rubinstein-Taybi Syndrome Program
- Thomas Center for Down Syndrome
- TrYAD Transition Clinic

ELECTIVES

Fellows also have the opportunity for meaningful experiences in DBP related subspecialties and programs, including Behavioral Medicine and Clinical Psychology, Child Abuse, Complex Care Center, Fragile X Syndrome Clinic, GI, Genetics, Neurology, Neurobehavioral Psychiatry, NICU Follow-up Clinic, International Adoption Center, PMR, Reading and Literacy Discovery Center, Transgender Health Clinic, and Sleep Medicine.

EDUCATION

- Weekly core didactics (ABP DBP Content)
- Weekly psychopathology/psychopharmacology seminar with Child and Adolescent Psychiatry trainees
- Monthly case conference with core preceptors
- Monthly psychopharmacology case conference
- Monthly DBP Board preparation
- Monthly research curriculum including QI didactics
- Monthly divisional DEI seminar
- Bimonthly DBPs as Educators seminar
- Quarterly book club
- Quarterly journal club
- Over 300 hours instruction/field experience in leadership, advocacy and interdisciplinary teaming through the University of Cincinnati Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and related Disabilities (UCCEDD LEND) program
- ADOS®-2 Training
- Mind Brain Behavior consortium grand rounds
- Fellow teaching roles in clinic and residency rotation
- Fellow presentation opportunities to other trainees, faculty, community, and at regional and national conferences

FACULTY RESEARCH

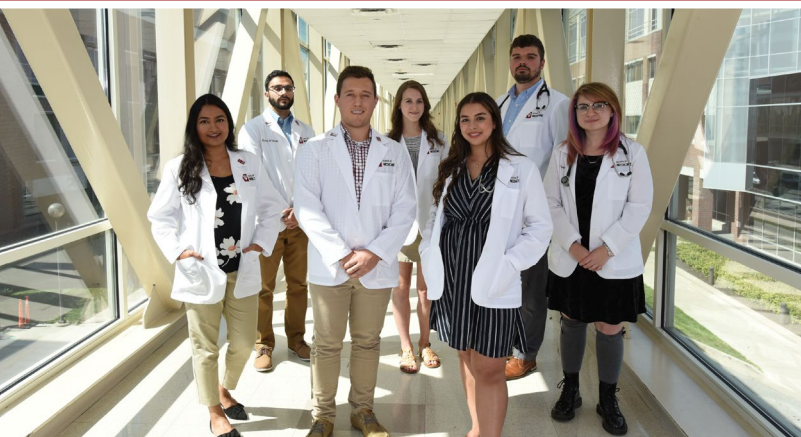
ADHD, ASD, Down syndrome, Fragile X syndrome, Deafness/Hearing impairment, peer victimization, shared-decision making, transition to adulthood. Participation in national autism treatment network, DBPNet, and CDC-funded Spina Bifida registry.

Cincinnati Children's is dedicated to ensuring every employee, patient, family and visitor feels welcome and safe by advancing diversity, equity, and inclusion and standing against racism. We are focused on cultivating, retaining and recruiting diverse talent, and ensuring all employees have an equitable path to achieve their full potential.

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Take the next step in your journey with Indiana University!



The Indiana University Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship is located on the **largest medical school campus in the United States**, training graduates at Riley Hospital for Children in Indianapolis. This program provides an interdisciplinary training experience in the **spirit of the developmental-behavioral pediatrics community**, offering a breadth and depth of developmental experiences.

Child Development/Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics fellows **work as physician members of interdisciplinary service-line teams**. While fellows remain under faculty supervision for all patient care, they gain increased autonomy in patient care throughout their fellowship training. Physician and psychology faculty are available at all times to assist the fellow.

For their core options, fellows will work with patients with a wide variety of diagnoses, including developmental delay evaluations, autism evaluations, newborn follow-up, behavioral disorders and learning disorders. Elective options include community/child advocacy experiences, **LEND program didactics**, and options in 15 areas of specialty at Riley.



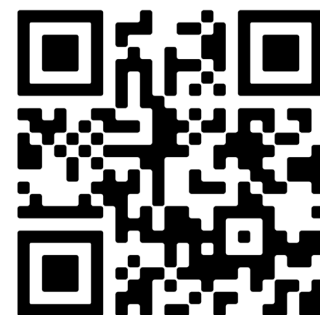
Fellowship Leadership



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Medical University of South Carolina Developmental - Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship

Our Team

Program Leadership

- Michelle Macias, MD (PD)
- Angela LaRosa, MD, MSCR
Medical Director and APD

DBP Faculty

- Dale Gertz, MD
- Michelle Lally, MD
- Silvia Pereira-Smith, MD

Epidemiology/Biostatistics Faculty

- Andrea Boan, PhD, MSCR, PA

Psychology Faculty and Staff

- Catherine Bradley, Ph.D
- Laura Carpenter, Ph.D
- Kasey Hamlin-Smith, Ph.D
- Margaret Hudepohl, Ph.D
- Pam Ingram, EdS
- Jordan Klein, Ph.D
- Mary Catherine Kral, PhD
- Rosmary Ros-Demarize, PhD

Social Workers

- Ashley Early, LISW-CP
- Karen van Bakergem, LISW-CP

Program Highlights



*** MCHB/HRSA Funded Fellowship and LEND program***

***Individualized Curriculum ***

***Training tomorrow's DBP Leaders ***

**** Contact****

Website: <https://medicine.musc.edu/dbp-fellowship>
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Recruitment Link Below



Research Opportunities

- Individualized research support and Biostatistics/Epidemiology Course Individual Faculty and research mentors for Scholarly Project
- Wide range of research opportunities

Recent Fellows' Projects

- Polypharmacy in ADHD and comparison of clinic populations
- Psychosocial Effects of Bullying in Pediatric Clinic Populations
- Predictors of Social-Emotional Functioning in High-Risk Neonates

Community Service

- Special Olympics
- Surfers' Healing
- Buddy Walk for Down Syndrome
- Outreach Clinics

Clinical Training Highlights

- **Weekly Continuity Clinic**
- **Core DBP Clinics:** 0-3, Preschool, School Age, ASD Evaluations, ADHD, Early ASD Dx, Medication Consultations, NICU Follow-up, Down Syndrome, Spina Bifida, International Adoption, Neurodevelopmental Cardiology, Behavioral Interventions, Cochlear Implant
- **Core External Outpatient Rotations:** Genetics, Adolescent/Foster Care, Neurology, Child Psychiatry
- **Electives:** Craniofacial, PM&R, Cerebral Palsy, Movement and Tic disorders, Sleep Medicine

Educational Experiences

- Weekly DBP Didactics and Board Review
- Monthly Collaborative Office Rounds and Journal Club
- MUSC Children's Fellowship Core Curriculum program
- Attendance at MCHB and SDBP annual conference
- Additional Conference Sponsorship available
- Optional Master's of Science in Clinical Research (MSCR) or Certificate in Clinical Research
- Tracks for Advocacy, Medical Education, Global Health
- STAT, RITA-T, ADOS certification



Faculty

Elisa Muñiz MD - PD

Blanche Benenson MD - APD

Lisa Shulman MD – Interim Division Director

Rosa Seijo MD

Ruth EK Stein MD

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Michele Laverdiere MD

Merryl Schechtman MD

Rosario Valicente MD

Oscar Purugganan MD

Yuka Lai MD

Jennifer Yoffe MD

Breck Borcharding MD



Program Highlights

- MCHB/HRSA funded, LEND, UCEDD, IDDRC
- Interdisciplinary team including Psychology, Social Work, Speech Pathology, Psychiatry, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy,
- Clinical training
 - Infant Preschool Team, Child & Adolescent Unit, Psychiatry, LEAP - the Low Birth Weight Infant Evaluation & Assessment Program/High risk infant follow up, Genetics, Neurology
- Education
 - Weekly Educational Meeting, Biweekly Research Seminar
 - Advocacy, DEI
 - Trauma-informed care
 - Quality improvement
- Scholarly themes
 - Foster fellow scholarly interests
 - Social Determinants of Health, Community Participatory Research, ACEs, Autism, COVID-19, Sleep, Language, DBPNet



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Nationwide Children's Hospital

Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship



A taste of the NCH DBP culture

Program highlights

- Interdisciplinary department and clinics
- Specialty team clinics and programs: Down Syndrome, Williams Syndrome, Spina Bifida, Cerebral Palsy, 22q, rural outreach, and more!
- The Ohio State University Nisonger Center & LEND Program (<https://nisonger.osu.edu/>)
- Recent fellow scholarly projects:
 - Co-sleeping in Autism Spectrum Disorder
 - Documentation time for DBP providers
 - An Educational Needs Assessment of Primary Care Providers Regarding Screening for Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Other scholarly pursuits:
 - 2022 graduate Elizabeth Barnhardt completed Masters in Biomedical Education
 - 2022 graduate Rohan Patel received certification as Epic Physician Power User
 - 2021 graduate Juan Lozano arranged virtual grand rounds for the Escuela de Medicina Tec de Monterrey on DBP topics
 - Involvement in SDBP committees and presentations at annual meetings



Fellow
Welcome
Picnic



Field trip to
North
Market



Superhero Day



Chocolate Fountain
Parties



Myelo Camp



View of downtown
Columbus, OH from
DBP offices

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Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



Core Faculty

Randall Phelps, MD, PhD – Program Director
Ami Bear, MD—DBP (& alumna)
Raegan Smith, PhD --Psychology
Kylee Miller, PhD--Psychology
Dianne Hrubec, DPT—Neurodevelopment
Kevin Senn, MD—DBP/ Neurodevelopment
Rhonda Epplesheimer, MSW—QI/ Scholarship
Sue Colasurdo, MD--Psychiatry
Joseph Pinter, MD—Down/ Rett/Spina Bifida
Katherine Zuckerman, MD, MPH--Scholarship
Wendy Machalicek, PhD, BCB-A—Scholarship

Additional Clinical Mentors

Jeffrey Frank, MD--Neurology
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Amy Yang, MD--Genetics
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Robert Nickel, MD—Toddler ASD/ Neurodev't

Fellow

Jamie Rabot, MD, PGY-5

Website: <https://www.ohsu.edu/doernbecher/developmental-behavioral-pediatrics-fellowship>

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Program Highlights

- Clinical training
 - Child Development Teams; Neurodevelopment Teams; DBP Continuity Clinic; Toddler Autism Clinic; Therapeutic Preschool Consultation; Feeding Clinic; Psychiatry; Psychology; Neurology; Genetics; Down Syndrome/ Rett Syndrome/ Spina Bifida; Rural Outreach; Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation; Transition to Adulthood
- Education
 - Monthly DBP core didactic
 - Monthly Journal Club/ Case Conference
 - Weekly Neuroscience Conference, PGY-4
 - Weekly LEND Conference, PGY-4
 - Monthly Scholarship mentoring
 - Monthly Quality Improvement mentoring
 - Scholarship Oversight Committee
 - Weekly Grand Rounds

Some Scholarly Themes:

Healthcare Services research e.g. for individuals with Autism, Down syndrome, Rett syndrome, Trauma and Stressor Related Disorders; Transition to Adulthood; Telehealth Delivery of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Insomnia

The Environment

*Our Program Director,
first 2 alumna, & current
Fellow, up in a tree....*



(Thanks to Kiana Cabuco
Lane Co Medical Society)

*And here we are being
A bit more grounded*



*Our program is based
in lovely lush, & livable
Eugene OR...*



*OHSU Mother Ship
In weird and hip
Portland, OR*



Developmental Behavioral Pediatric Fellowship Greenville, SC

- Endowment supported
- 8 DBPeds faculty
- Team of nurse practitioners, social workers, nurses, child life and even a facility dog!
- Wide range of clinical training (autism, ADHD, NICU follow up, psychopharmacology)
- Interdisciplinary collaboration (psychology, psychiatry, sleep medicine, genetics, neurology)
- LEND program
- Research training and support
- Educational sessions (didactics, Book Club, Board Review)
- Teaching opportunities with residents and students



Faculty

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Program Director
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Stanford University Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Program Leaders

Lynne Huffman MD - PD

Heidi Feldman MD PhD - APD

Lauren Goddi BA - PC

Program Highlights

MCHB-funded 3-year program; 1-2 fellows/year

Interdisciplinary, cross-university faculty

Strong departmental support

Diverse patient population

Program Aims

- Fellows taught to provide clinical care that is compassionate, comprehensive, and effective for diagnosis and treatment of developmental, behavioral, and mental health conditions
- Through research training, fellows develop fundamental skills in research design, methods, data collection/analysis, and communication
- Teaching skills cultivated through didactics as well as direct experience precepting residents and leading case-based learning discussions
- Fellows guided in pursuit of advocacy opportunities at patient, health care system, community, and regional levels



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Children's Hospital
Stanford

Website: <https://dbpeds.stanford.edu/education/dbp-fellowship.html>

Our Core UCLA Team:



Moira A. Szilagyi, MD, PhD, FAAP, Chief of UCLA DBP, voted president of the AAP 2022, she has devoted her career to caring for underserved and vulnerable children.



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Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician



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**UCLA Health,
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**UCLA Health,
Santa Monica Hospital**



**Kaiser Permanente,
Baldwin Hills-Crenshaw**

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Outdoor
Activities



Music



Scenery



Food



Nightlife

Our Program:

Our UCLA DBP Fellowship Program is an ACGME accredited 3-year training program, which aims to prepare fellows for academic leadership careers in the field of Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics.

Our comprehensive curriculum provides the flexibility and guidance to pursue careers within the broad spectrum of the field of Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics, and establishes a solid foundation in the current study and practice of this specialty.

- Interdisciplinary DBP Evaluations
- Wide variety of clinics e.g. Neuro-Genetics Sleep clinic Psychopharm FIT clinic NICU Follow-up LEND clinic
- DBP Core Lectures, Psychiatry Core Lecture Course
- Journal Club, DBP Book Club
- LEND Program - Leadership Education in Neurodiversity
- Advanced courses (e.g. BOSA, ADOS®-2, Bayley-4)
- Research support (e.g. statistician, research assistant)
- Community outreach (e.g. Early Intervention Program, Early Headstart Program)



UCLA DBP Fellowship Website

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Pediatric Developmental Behavioral Fellowship

Located in beautiful Tucson, Arizona

-Faculty:

- 3 Developmental Behavioral Pediatricians
- 2 Doctorate level BCBA's
- 1 Doctorate level research faculty

-Clinical- diverse clinical experience including autism, ADHD, hearing impairment, brain injury, spina bifida, CP, autoimmune encephalopathy, foster care, ABA, challenging behavior, Indian Health, Rural populations, neurology, genetics, NICU follow up, psychopharmacology

-Opportunity to work in Multispecialty Clinics and Autism Center of Excellence

-Spanish distinction track available

-Education- didactics, journal club, board review, participate in LEND (Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities), opportunity to obtain an MPH

-Research- mentors from multiple disciplines available to guide projects

<https://peds.arizona.edu/fellowship/pediatric-developmental-behavioral-fellowship>



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Faculty and Fellows

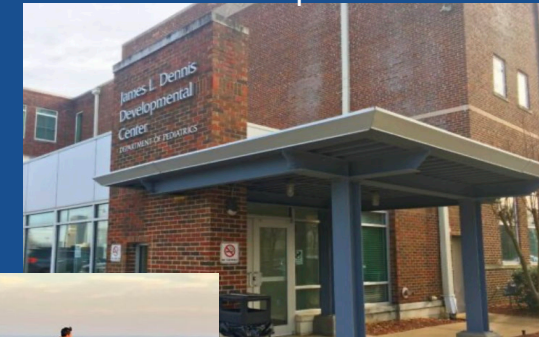
Program Highlights

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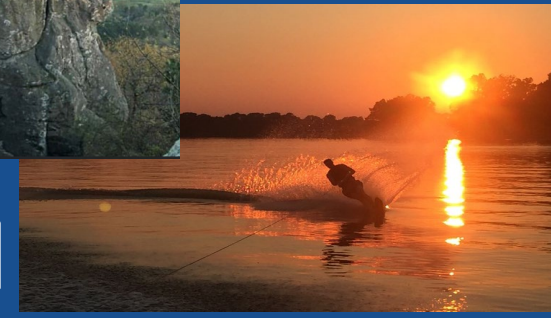
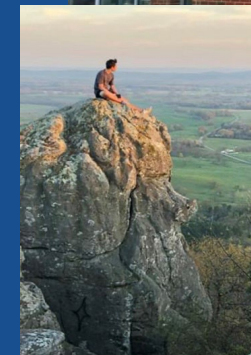
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Dennis Developmental Center



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Clinical training

- Diagnostic assessments for autism spectrum and other developmental concerns, NICU follow up, DBP management of medically complex patients
- Meaningful experiences in related subspecialties (genetics, neurology, psychology, physical medicine/Rehabilitation)

Education

- Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (federally-funded training grant)
- Weekly didactic experiences (as learner, and as facilitator), coordinated with psychology fellows
- Statistic course(s)/Clinical Translational Research certificate

Scholarly themes

- Autism (Site for CDC prevalence national study, site in DBPNet Research Network)
- Rural, underserved populations
- Medical Education
- We support fellows individualized research interests

[Click here to learn more on the UAMS DBP Fellowship website](#)

[Learn more About Little Rock](#)

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Angie Scott, MD, PhD



Program Director: Jill Fussell, MD

Jaimie Flor, MD

University of California San Diego

Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Program Highlights/Opportunities

Clinical Training in Multiple Systems of Care

- University – UCSD DBP Clinic
- Military – Naval Medical Center San Diego DBP Clinic
- HMO – Kaiser Permanente DBP Clinic
- Children's Hospital - Rady Children's Hospital San Diego
- Federally Qualified Health Center - San Ysidro Health Center DBP Clinic
- Govt Early Intervention/Developmental Disabilities - San Diego Regional Center
- Law - University of San Diego Education & Disability Law Clinic
- Rotations & Electives
 - Developmental Services
 - Neurology, Genetics, Down Syndrome Clinic
 - Child & Adolescent Psychiatry
 - High Risk Infant Follow Up
 - Sleep Medicine
 - Autism Discovery Institute

Education

- Weekly DBP Fellows Conference
- Joint conference with child psychiatry, neurology
- San Diego LEND program – Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities
- Journal Club
- Autism Series

Scholarly Work/Research

- Pediatric MD Fellow Research Seminar
- Clinical Research Enhancement through Supplemental Training (CREST) Program



Faculty

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Program Director

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To learn more about our UCSD DBP Fellowship Program

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UC San Diego
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Faculty

- Kathleen Angkustsiri, MD – Program Director
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- Bibiana Restrepo, MD
- Rosa Rodriguez, MD
- Carrie Silver, PhD
- Anisha Srinivasan, MD
- MaryBeth Steinfeld, MD
- Tanaporn Jasmine Wilaisakditipakorn, MD



MIND Institute

- Collaborative, international research center
 - autism spectrum disorder
 - fragile X syndrome
 - Down syndrome
 - attention deficit hyperactivity disorder
 - 22q11.2 deletion syndrome
 - other neurodevelopmental disabilities
- 58 faculty; 16 departments and schools

Program Highlights

- ACGME accredited fellowship; 4 positions total
- MCHB/HRSA Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Funded Fellowship
- Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Research Network (DBPNet) site
- Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental Disorders (LEND) Program
- Autism Research Training (ARTP) Program – NIH T32
- Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (CEDD)
- Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center (IDDRC)
- Autism Center of Excellence (NIH)

Clinical Experiences

- Baby Steps (NICU Follow-up) Clinic
- Autism Diagnostic Clinic
- Feeding Clinic
- Fragile X Clinic
- 22q Healthy Minds Clinic
- Transition to Adulthood Clinic
- Primary Care consultations at Sacramento County Health Center and UCD General Pediatrics
- CIRCLE clinic for foster children
- ECHO Autism
- Telehealth consultations with Northern Valley Indian Health Center
- PC-CARE training
- Interdisciplinary Clinical Evaluations (SW, PT, ST, OT, Nursing, psychology, etc.)

Other Resources: Department of Pediatrics, the MIND Institute, the Clinical Translational Science Center, the Center for Mind and Brain and the Center for Neuroscience



Sacramento

- Farm-to-Fork Capital
- 3 miles to the State Capital
- Concerts in the Park
- Year-long farmer's markets
- 1-2 hours to Napa Valley, Lake Tahoe, and SF Bay Area



Contact Us

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Colorado DBP Fellowship

Fellowship Leadership

Abigail Angulo, MD,MPH: Fellowship Director



Meghan Breheney, MD: Associate Fellowship Director

Judy Reaven, PhD: Director of Research



Clinical Team

23 Psychologists 7 Physicians, 2 APPs
2 Genetic Counselors 2 Social Workers
Integrated ST, OT, PT 1 Health Navigator
1 Child Life Specialist 9 MAs/RNs
1 Care Coordinator



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Program Highlights

Diagnostic and Treatment Clinics:

- Interdisciplinary clinics
- Single discipline evaluations
- Medication management
- Follow up clinics
- Transition Clinic

Infant to Adulthood Clinical Consultations

Primary Care Integrated Clinics

Strong Fellow Support for Research projects:

- Clinical: Quantitative and Qualitative
- Community engagement
- Implementation science
- Basic science

Community-Based Clinical Curriculum

MCHB/HRSA funded

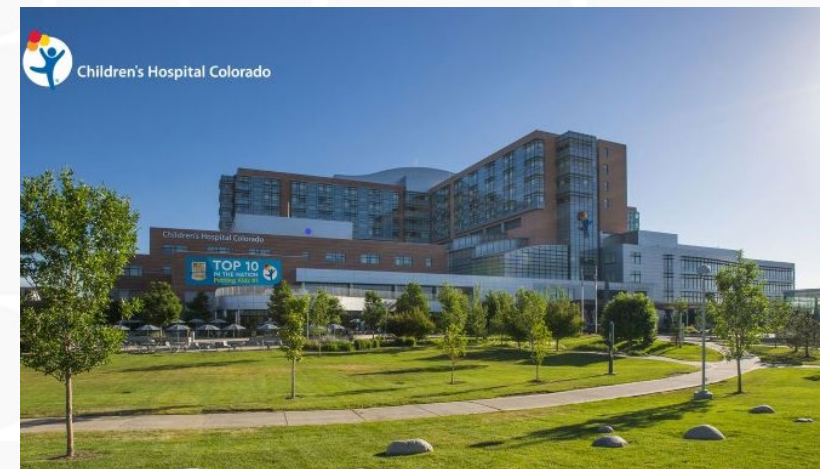
Education:

- LEND curriculum
- Education didactics
- Research curriculum
- Teaching Scholars Program

Fellow Graduation Party



The Hospital



University of Iowa Stead Family Department of Pediatrics

Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

ACGME-Accredited Program Highlights

- Long-standing record of excellence in both behavioral and physical disabilities
- Interdisciplinary training and fellowship with other fellows in pediatrics
- Emphasis on wellness and reflective practice learning
- 1:1 supervision and guidance throughout the three years as the only DBP fellow

Clinical Training

- Multiple autism teams, ADHD clinics, learning disorders, sleep disorders, Down syndrome, Fragile X and behavioral problems
- Neurodevelopmental clinics
- One half-day continuity clinic throughout the entire fellowship
- Interdisciplinary collaboration and teamwork with psychology, speech pathology, educational diagnostician, occupational and physical therapy, audiology, nursing
- Opportunity to teach/mentor rotating pediatric residents and students
- Rotations in pediatric neurology, child and adolescent psychiatry, medical genetics

Education

- Leadership in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) training with other advanced trainees and opportunities for advocacy activities
- Weekly didactic conference, consisting of core DBP board content, as well as journal clubs, case presentations, and guest lectures
- Pediatric Fellows Core Curriculum, which includes topics relevant to all pediatric fellows
- Opportunity to apply for concurrent Masters in Medical Education (MME) or Masters in Clinical Investigation (MCI) degree

Research/Scholarly Themes

- Flexibility to pursue up to 24 months of research
- SOC and mentor guidance for successful completion of a scholarly work product
- NIH-funded IDDRC (Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center), with focus on translational research

Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics Faculty



[Marcio Leyser, MD, MSc, PhD](#)



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The Hawkeye Wave

University of Michigan Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



Faculty

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Program Highlights

- MCHB/HRSA funded
- Clinical training
 - Autism Collaborative; CMV; Early-child and developmental clinic; Elimination disorders; FASD; School-age clinics; Sleep disorders.
 - Ypsilanti HC – embedded in primary care
 - 7 allied rotations
- Education
 - Weekly educational meetings
 - Trauma-informed care-Reflective practice
 - DEI; SDOH; Thrive while training
 - Advocacy; Quality improvement; Safety
 - MI-LEND Medium or Long-term training
- Scholarly themes
 - Biological-developmental-contextual determinants of early feeding practices; cCMV and developmental outcomes; curiosity, digital media, feeding, iron deficiency; mobile device use and attachment; obesity; outcomes after prematurity; research-policy and digital media use; sleep disorders.
 - We work to support fellow scholarly interests

The Environment

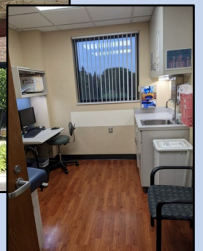
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The Ypsilanti Health Center



University of Minnesota Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship

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Assistant Dean for Curriculum - Medical School



Anjali Goel, MD, MPH
Associate Chair of Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion



Molly Sajady, DO
Faculty - Children's MN



Dan McLellan, MD
Faculty - Children's MN



Art Beisang, MD
Faculty - Gillette

- One of the longest-running DBP programs nationally
- The Masonic Institute of the Developing Brain (MIDB), opened in late 2021, has been fostering new collaborative relationships
- Training sites include the University of Minnesota Masonic Children's Hospital & Clinics (primary training site w/~4000 annual patient visits), Children's Minnesota, and Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare.
- ~Four, ½ day, DBP continuity clinics/week where the fellow follows ~60 pts for duration of training
- Interprofessional training in advocacy & policy through participation in LEND and LEAH activities including early intervention & transitions to adulthood
- 40-60% scholarly activity across 36 months, depending on trainees' individual needs and career development
- Clinical programs include Fragile X, Adoption, Birth to Three, Autism&NDD



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DEVELOPMENTAL-BEHAVIORAL PEDIATRICS FELLOWSHIP

The MU Department of Child Health offers a unique three-year Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics fellowship accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME). The program accepts one fellow each year.

CLINICAL OPPORTUNITIES

- More than 13,000 patient visits and 500 diagnostic evaluations performed every year.
- Specialized clinics including Down Syndrome, NICU follow up, and Cerebral Palsy.
- Learn to work with and lead multidisciplinary teams providing specialized assessment and care for children with a wide-range of neurodevelopmental disabilities.
- Applied Behavioral Analysis providers and clinics available on site.

SAMPLE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

- **Dr. Kerri Nowell** – Innovative evaluation of young children with neurodevelopmental disorders.
- **Dr. David Beversdorf** – Effects of pharmaceutical agents on cognition in autism and in stress.
- **Dr. Stephen Sheinkopf** – Identification of very early signs of autism in infancy.

WHAT SETS US APART

- Research grant available that is exclusively for DBP fellows at our program.
- Advanced training in administration of developmental assessments (including research reliability on the ADOS-2).
- Opportunity for special elective rotations, with travel stipend, at partnering locations across the country.

PROGRAM LEADERSHIP

Benjamin Black, MD – Board certified developmental-behavioral pediatrician

LEARN MORE AND APPLY

<https://medicine.missouri.edu/departments/child-health/fellowship>



Thompson Center

University of Missouri



All fellows have the opportunity to participate in and present at our yearly conference:

<https://tcautismconf.com/>

All fellows participate in the LEND program at the University of Missouri
[TIPS 4 Kids - Thompson Center](https://tips4kids.thompsoncenter.missouri.edu)
(missouri.edu)



Our facility includes outstanding exam rooms, dedicated testing rooms with cameras and recording ability, and ABA treatment rooms (including the state's only severe behavior ABA clinic)

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University of Nebraska Medical Center Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program



Clinical experience with UNMC faculty at Munroe Meyer Institute (MMI) for Genetics and Rehabilitation and Children's Hospital and Medical Center in addition to DBPeds rotations, rotations in other related subspecialties.

Educational experience through section didactics and journal club, Department of Peds Grand Rounds and other offerings, participation in MMI LEND program and Children's Hospital & Medical Center Research Institute educational programs.

Research opportunities are available from basic sciences to clinical research with mentoring from UNMC faculty.

Program Leadership



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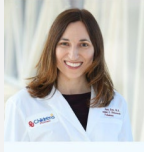
University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center

Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

Faculty:

Program Director, Section Chief

Ami Bax, M.D, M.S.

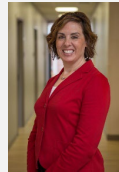


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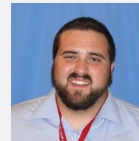
Demvihin Ihyembe, M.D.



Susan Redwine, M.D.



Matthew Deel, M.D.



Additional Faculty:

Tara Buck, M.D.- Child/Adolescent Psychiatry

Tricia Gardner, J.D.- ITP Child Abuse Training Director

Cheri Herren, M.D.- Child Neurology

Amy Middleman, M.D., MPH, MSED- Adolescent Medicine

Bonnie McBride, PhD, BCBA- Autism/Education

Kathryn Moore, PhD- Autism/Psychology

Elizabeth Risch, PhD- Trauma/Psychology

Megan Roberts, DSc, PT- LEND Training Director

Anne Tsai, M.D.- Genetics

Program Highlights

- Clinical training
 - DBP & Interdisciplinary ASD & FASD Clinics
 - 8 Elective rotations
- Education
 - Weekly DBP fellow didactics
 - Ped Dept fellow didactics
 - Oklahoma LEND Long-Term training
 - Child Abuse & Neglect, DEI, SDOH
- Optional tracks include:
 - Masters in Clinical & Translational Sciences
 - Masters in Health Administration & Policy
- Scholarship:
 - SOC & Faculty support tailored to fellows scholarly interests.
 - 1:1 weekly mentor meetings
 - Epi/Biostats courses

Life in Oklahoma City



With a host of entertainment, attractions, and amenities as well as a robust and diverse economy and one of the lowest costs of living in the nation, Oklahoma City is a great place to live.

- Home to the OKC Thunder & OKC Energy
- 13 different districts located near downtown OKC filled with art galleries, museums, performing art venues, specialty shops, and great local restaurants.
- Outdoor activities include rowing, golf, sailing, kayaking, hiking, & zip-lining. The Oklahoma River is the official Olympic training site & home to USA canoe and kayak.

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University of Rochester

Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship Program

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Laura Silverman, PhD
LEND Co-Director

Program Highlights

- LEND/HRSA long term training funding
- Endowed research support
- Optional pathways
 - Policy/Advocacy Pathway
 - Education Pathway
 - Research Pathway

Clinical Training

- Autism Collaborative: Physical Disabilities; NICU follow-up; FASD; Feeding Disorders
- Electives in Neurology/Neurogenetics, Sleep Disorders; Chronic Care Coordination

Education

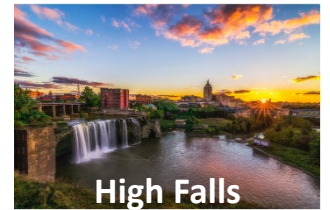
- Weekly didactic sessions
- Opportunities for concurrent Masters degrees
- Family Experience
- State/Federal Legislative Advocacy

Scholarly Themes

- Developmental-Behavioral Health disparities in under served populations (Deaf/Latinx/Refugee/Recreation & Obesity prevention)
- Sensory Perception in Autism Spectrum Disorder
- ASD diagnostic practices

The Environment

The Finger Lakes

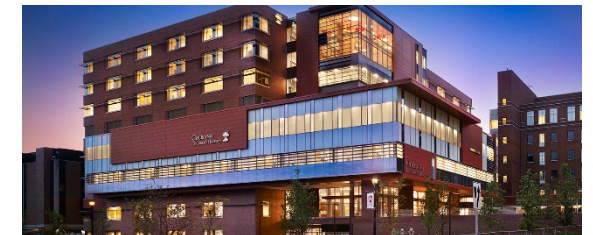


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URMC Trainee Experience



Golisano Children's Hospital



DBP Fellowship UT Southwestern Dallas, TX

Clinical Excellence

- Broad spectrum of clinics
 - Valued teachers
 - Nurturing learning environment

Research Achievement

- Fellow & Faculty publications and presentations
- Excellent mentorship

Advocacy & Leadership

- National leaders in AAP, SDBP
- Diversity & Inclusion
- Fellows as Teachers



Veronica Meneses, M.D. Program Director

For more information, see our website:



University of Virginia Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship



Website:

<https://med.virginia.edu/pediatrics/divisions/developmental-behavioral-pediatrics/fellowship-program/>
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Education

- Leadership in Neurodevelopmental Disabilities (LEND) Program
- Fellows Conference (weekly) with pharmacology & psychology series
- DBP Board Prep (weekly), JC (monthly)
- Child Psychiatry Lecture Series
- Case & Coffee Presentations
- Fellows Forum with Certificate in Statistics & QI curriculum
- SOM Faculty Development Courses

GME

- House-staff Council for Diversity & Inclusion
- Resident Well-being & Mindfulness Resources
- Core Lecture Series



Clinical Activities

- Interdisciplinary Clinics: ASD CARE, Early Child Development/NICU FU, Complex Care
- Multidisciplinary Clinics: CP, Spina Bifida, Down Syndrome, Neuromuscular, International Child Development, Foster Care, Feeding Disorder, Fitness
- Inpatient Consult Service
- Rotations with Child Psychiatry, Behavior Psychology, Child Neurology, Genetics, Advocacy
- Outreach clinic in Bristol, VA



Other

- Virginia Institute of Autism affiliation
- Kids Yoga, Social Skills Group, Parent Groups
- Education Consultants, Nutrition, Social Work
- UVA Educ. Center, Legal Aid Justice Center
- UVA Children's Health Research Center
- UVA Brain Institute
- Integrated Translational Health Research Institute

Blue Ridge Parkway



Research

- Opportunities: Autism Spectrum Disorders, Genetics of NDDs, Cerebral Palsy, Early Child Development, Down syndrome, Growth, Neuromuscular disease

- Autism Care Network
- Cerebral Palsy Research Network
- Down Syndrome Association
- Neonatal Research Network
- Fortify Children's Clinically Integrated Network of Virginia
- UVA Children's Health Research Center
- UVA Brain Institute
- Integrated Translational Health Research Institute

UVA Children's Hospital



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Seattle Children's Hospital and University of Washington Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics Fellowship

Mission Statement

To improve the wellbeing of children with developmental and behavioral disabilities, their families and communities, we train developmental and behavioral pediatricians in an inclusive environment with diverse clinical and academic experiences. Our program's training is built upon the following foundational commitments:

- To value and focus on the importance of **diverse interdisciplinary collaboration** in caring for children with developmental and behavioral disabilities
- To foster a **learning environment** for our fellows that promotes scientific inquiry, cultural humility, and both personal and professional well-being
- To provide **flexible training and mentorship** that develops excellent independent subspecialty physicians and researchers who are life-long learners, educators, and advocates



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Linda Ashford, PhD
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DBP Fellowship at Vanderbilt



Highlights

Specialized Clinics-NICU follow-up, Down Syndrome, Parenting and Behavior, Motor-Spasticity, Rapid Assessment, Behavior Analysis

Location-Nashville, TN

Weekly didactic sessions

LEND program

Core lectures with fellows from other subspecialties

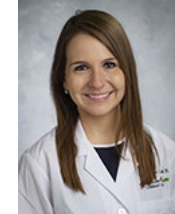
Opportunity to complete a Master's Degree during fellowship

Recent Research: underserved populations understanding of autism referrals; family satisfaction with telehealth; variations in TEIS services across states

We have lots of research support for scholarly activities of all kinds!!!!



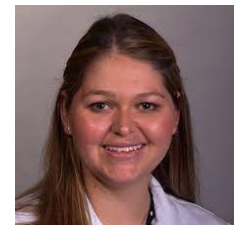
Current/Recent Fellows:
Dr. Kristen Uhland



Dr. Jenesis Yanez



Dr. Kristen Bird



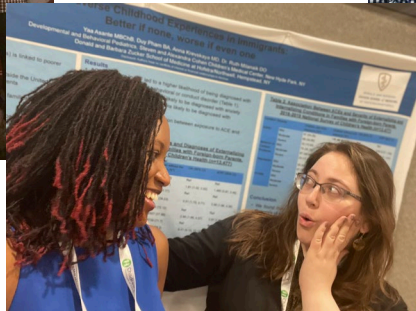


Our Mission:

- To provide comprehensive and supportive training that prepares our fellows for careers in clinical practice as well as academic medicine

We train our fellows to:

- Provide high-quality and evidence-based clinical care
- Become powerful advocates at the individual, local, and national level
- Teach medical students, residents, and other healthcare providers
- Develop a strong foundation in research and QI methods
- Prepare for leadership roles within DBP




Program highlights:

- Work at New York's #1 children's hospital
- One of the largest faculties of DB Pediatricians in the country
 - 10 DBPs, 1 Pediatric Neurologist
 - 3 Clinical Psychologists
 - 1 Nurse Practitioner, 2 Nurses
 - 1 Social Worker
 - Research Intern Program (they can help with your research!)
- Clinical experience mirrors that of attendings (same sociodemographic mix, your own private office and secretary, etc.)
- Robust NICU consult and NICU neurodevelopmental follow-up program
- Cardiac Neurodevelopmental Program
- Abundant research opportunities
 - Over 300 abstracts presented at PAS, SDBP, AAP since 2015!
- Diverse patients from NYC and Long Island – Queens is the most diverse place in America!
- Access to all NYC has to offer... with the option of city or suburban living
- Great benefits
 - Retirement contribution match, free parking, etc.

Additional DBP Fellowship Training Programs!

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**Thank you for your interest in
Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics!**

Remember, you can learn more about us at:

The Society for Developmental Behavioral
Pediatrics website: <https://sdbp.org> and
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