



Penn Visiting Clerkships for Students Underrepresented in Medicine



**The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia | The University of Pennsylvania Health Systems
The Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania**

The Visiting Clerkship Programs for Underrepresented Minority Medical Students encompass numerous opportunities for 4th year medical students to explore rotations at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP), The Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania (HUP), Penn Presbyterian Hospital (Presby), and Pennsylvania Hospital (Pennsy) in a number of subspecialties. The clerkships include both sub-internship and elective experiences in top-ranked residency programs. Students not only have the opportunity to spend time learning first-hand what it is like to be a resident at these institutions, but they are paired with resident and faculty mentors and meet with Residency Program Directors to aid in their recruitment and preparation for the interview season and Match Process. Funding is given to all accepted clerkship students and includes up to \$1,500 for reimbursement of housing and travel.

Program Highlights

- Each student is paired with a Faculty mentor in an area of their interest
- Each student will be given the opportunity to have a personal meeting with the Residency Program Director in the program of their interest
- Funding up to \$1,500 for reimbursement of travel and housing
- Opportunity to interact with current UIM residents, fellows, and faculty at social events

Clerkship Programs include the following:

- Emergency Medicine Sub-internship
- Family Medicine Sub-internship
- Family Medicine Electives
- General Surgery Sub-internship
- Internal Medicine Subspecialty and Ambulatory Electives
- Obstetrics & Gynecology Sub-internship
- Orthopedic Surgery Sub-internship
- Pediatric Sub-internship
- Pediatric Subspecialty Electives
- Plastic Surgery Sub-internship
- Psychiatry Sub-internship
- Radiology Sub-internship
- Urology Sub-internship

Application Requirements and Information

The application for our Clerkship opens in February and will be available on the UPHS-CHOP Alliance of Minority Physicians website: www.allianceofminorityphysicians.org (under the Recruitment link). All applicants must be rising 4th year medical students and should apply for the clerkship program that correlates to the subspecialty they are pursuing in the match. We ask for your general information, curriculum vitae, a medical school transcript, a personal statement/letter of interest, a photograph, and one letter of recommendation. **Applications deadline is Friday, May 4th (with the exception of Emergency Medicine applications which are due Monday, April 9th)**, and acceptance notifications are given by early June.

2018 Rotation Dates (rotation availability varies by specialty)

- July 2 – July 27
- July 30 – August 24
- August 27 – September 21
- September 24 – October 19
- October 22 – November 16

Clerkship Coordinators

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