



# PEDIATRIC TRAINING PROGRAM

## RESIDENCY

Children's Hospital Boston is the nation's leading research and pediatric training institution, dedicated to providing exceptional care to children with complex medical problems. Each year, 450 postgraduate students from leading national and international medical schools select Children's as their top choice for residency.

In 1995, Children's pediatric medicine residency program merged with the pediatric residency program at Boston Medical Center to form Boston Combined Residency Program (BCRP) in Pediatrics. The first joint pediatric training program between two medical schools, the BCRP offers one of the best pediatric educations in the country, and the best opportunity for those embarking on a career in pediatrics.

## WHAT DOES CHILDREN'S LOOK FOR IN RESIDENTS?

Children's seeks residents who are intelligent, curious, creative, energetic, personable and accomplished. We are especially interested in those who will become leaders in academic pediatrics: medical care, laboratory or clinical research, teaching, patient advocacy, public policy or international health. We also seek residents who come from all parts of the country and the world, with a wide variety of backgrounds, interests and talents.

## FACTS & FIGURES

### Children's Hospital Boston

- 397 licensed beds
- 21,800 inpatient admissions
- 18,000 surgical procedures
- 450,000 outpatient visits
- 52,000 emergency department visits
- 900 medical and dental staff
- 1,100 nurses

### Current Residents Represent

- 30 states
- 20 countries
- 75 colleges
- 66 medical schools
- 38 PhDs
- 14 MBAs, MPH, MPhil or EdM
- 25 languages



“We strive for a very diverse class. Not just geographically and ethnically, but also in terms of interests — sub-specialty pediatrics, primary care, international health, research, etc. We want people who really have a passion for learning how to be good doctors and for carrying medicine to the next level. Who you choose as residents is tremendously important because they often go on to fellowships and stay on as faculty.”

- Frederick Lovejoy, MD,  
residency program director



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## FELLOWSHIPS

Fellowships are open to qualified physicians who have completed residency training. Fellowships provide additional training in a clinical subspecialty or preparation for research and academic careers.

## AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:

- Adolescent Medicine
- Allergy/Immunology
- Anesthesia
- Cardiovascular Program
- Critical Care Medicine
- Dentistry
- Dermatology
- Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics
- Developmental Disabilities
- Emergency Medicine
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology/Nutrition
- General Pediatrics
- Genetics
- Gynecology
- Hematology/Oncology
- Infectious Diseases
- Nephrology
- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- Newborn Medicine
- Nuclear Medicine
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopedics
- Otolaryngology and Communication Disorders
- Psychiatry
- Radiology
- Respiratory Diseases
- Rheumatology
- Sports Medicine
- Surgery
- Urology



## RESEARCH

With more than \$177 million annually in research funding and more than 800,000 square feet of state-of-the-art laboratory space, Children's is home to the world's largest and most active research enterprise at a pediatric center. Our investigators are Harvard Medical School faculty, accelerating the pace of medical discovery from brainstorm to bench to bedside. And, we train leaders: nearly 20% of chiefs at pediatric hospitals across the country trained at Children's.

## ABOUT BOSTON

Boston is a medical center like no other, with three major medical schools and nearly 30 hospitals. Immensely diverse and vibrant, Boston is a city of more than twenty neighborhoods, persons of color comprise more than 40% of the city's population and more than 1/3 of all students enrolled in Boston Public Schools speak a language other than English at home.

Boston is blessed with excellent public transportation. The MBTA subway system (or just "the T") extends through Boston, Brookline, Cambridge, Newton and to the north and south shore suburbs. The Longwood Medical area is centered within 2-3 blocks of two different subway routes, with an extensive bus system that includes shuttles from Harvard University to the Medical School.