





July 17, 2013

We are now accepting applications for our **Global Pediatric Fellowship in Health Service Delivery** at Boston Children's Hospital for July 2014, with potential field placement with our collaborating partners in Rwanda and Haiti (Partners in Health) or with an affiliated partner in Liberia.

The fellowship aims to provide training in clinical care in low resource settings as well as in the training, development, management and evaluation of programs and projects aimed to improve child health in low resource settings.

Global Pediatric Fellows will rotate in 6 month blocks between their field placement with Partners in Health or with the affiliated Academic Collaborative to Support Medical Education in Liberia, and a clinical position in Boston over a 2 year period.

Partners In Health is a Boston-based not-for-profit organization that for more than two decades has focused on the health of the poor, now active in 10 countries, including Haiti, Rwanda, Malawi, and Lesotho. Many of these sites have a paucity of pediatric-trained physicians to lead capacity building. Partners in Health seeks fellows to help address the significant challenges facing these vulnerable populations. At the Liberia site fellows are placed into an academic teaching position to teach as part of the upcoming implementation of a pediatric residency. Clinical work includes clinical and didactic teaching to medical students, interns and residents while supplementing Liberia medically underserved pediatric workforce with just 2 pediatricians in the entire country.

The work in a field placement with Partners in Health or in Liberia would involve: developing strong productive relationships with national colleagues to identify core challenges to quality pediatric care and devising a collaborative plan for improvement; accompanying health care workers in developing their capacity to implement new program initiatives and quality care interventions; and sharing clinical expertise at the bedside and through didactic teaching.

While at Boston Children's Hospital, pediatricians will work clinically as hospitalists and will have the opportunity to attend regular lectures and seminars on relevant global health topics. In addition, fellows will attend a summer program in global health at Harvard School of Public Health.

We welcome candidates with interests in:

- Collaborative learning, teaching and mentorship
- Commitment to the improvement of healthcare within the public sector
- Community outreach, primary care, hospital based tertiary care
- Social justice

The ideal candidate would have the following qualifications:

- Board-certification or Board-eligibility in pediatrics or medicine-pediatrics
- A willingness to learn languages as needed (French for Rwanda/Haitii; none for Liberia)
- A desire to gain experience with health care delivery in low resource settings.
- A talent for teaching and an interest in medical education as well as monitoring and evaluation
- Excellent clinical pediatric skills in care of acute hospitalized pediatric patients

If you are interested in pursuing this opportunity, or know of someone interested in this work, please complete the application form in order to be contacted for an interview. If you have questions about this opportunity, please contact Tony Tran: ton.tran@childrens.harvard.edu

Sincerely,

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## **Global Pediatric Fellowship in Health Service Delivery**

## APPLICATION FORM

DEADLINE: October 15, 2013 for July 2014 entry

NAME:	PROFESSIONAL DEGREE:
CURRENT POSITION and INSTITUTION:	
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