

University of Ottawa

NUCLEAR MEDICINE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	The Ottawa Hospital Ottawa, Canada
Duration	2 years
Deadline for Applications	Early PGY4 Admission Prerequisite: Applicants must be successfully enrolled in and planning on completing a recognized residency program in diagnostic radiology.
Number of Fellowship Positions	One per year
Fellowship Website	Nuclear Medicine program
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WORKFLOW	
General structure	The two-year subspecialty training in nuclear medicine provides extensive training in the full spectrum of nuclear medicine, including physics, radiopharmacy, radionuclide therapy, SPECT/CT, PET/CT and nuclear cardiology (at the renowned University of Ottawa Heart Institute). Upon completion of the training program the trainee will be thoroughly proficient in all aspects of
	clinical Nuclear Medicine and will be able to function independently as a Nuclear Medicine

	consultant. After completing of the two-year subspecialty training, the trainee will be eligible to sit for the RCPSC examination in Nuclear Medicine.
Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?	Approximately two fellows are enrolled in the program. Given the multiple training sites and away rotations there is usually minimal overlap.
How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?	 Weekly didactic lectures Weekly interesting case conference Monthly journal club Monthly city wide grand rounds Monthly chief rounds Occasional morbidity and mortality rounds
Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?	N/A
How procedure focused is the fellowship?	Minor component
Which procedures are you responsible for?	Lymphoscintigraphy and shunt injections
Additional Comments about Workflow:	N/A
RESEARCH	
What are the Research Expectations?	Trainees are encouraged to pursue at least one research project during their training
How much protected time is given for research (per week)?	Elective research rotations are available
CALL	
General	Approximately one weekend (day call) per month
Responsibilities on Call:	Initial contact person, staff physician available for backup
Is there a call stipend?	As per PARO agreement
Additional comments about call	No calls the two months preceding the trainee's Royal College examination?

HOLIDAYS AND PAY	
Number of paid holiday's (in weeks):	As per PARO agreement
Sick and Caregiver time (in days):	As per University policy
Extra time off (in days):	As per PARO agreement
Income before tax (CAD):	PGY6/7 level
Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):	N/A
Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:	N/A