



Dalhousie University

PEDIATRIC

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	IWK Health Centre Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada
Duration	1-2 years
Deadline for Applications	2 years before the expected start date
Number of Fellowship Positions	1-2 total
Fellowship Website	http://medicine.dal.ca/departments/department-sites/radiology/programs/fellowship/pediatric.html
Contact Information	<p>Fellowship Director: Dr. M. Naeem Khan</p> <p>Fellowship Coordinator/Administrator: Melissa MacLeod Tel: 902-470-8139 melissa.macleod@iwk.nshealth.ca</p>

WORKFLOW

General structure	<p>Month Rotations Block (all IWK based) Blocks Include Plain Film/Fluoro, CT/MR, US, interventional radiology, Nuclear medicine, elective and research</p> <p>Monday-Friday, 8:00 am- 5:00 pm. Evenings shift (5-9pm), 1st on call work day night and weekends and public holidays according to departmental schedule.</p>
Are there times when fellows overlap and share work?	No
How many rounds are you expected to attend? Contribute to?	<p>Attend: 4 - 6 one hour rounds per week</p> <p>Contribute to: 2 - 3 one hour rounds per week (depending on rotation)</p>

Other than rounds, are there teaching responsibilities?	Yes, fellow will have 1-2 hours teaching responsibilities per week. Depending on rotation, there may be 3-4 one hour lectures per academic year
How procedure focused is the fellowship?	Moderate focus
Which procedures are you responsible for?	Fluoroscopy (GI, Urographic) and basic IR procedures
Additional Comments about Workflow:	Work flow fluctuates during the year
RESEARCH	
What are the Research Expectations?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General comments: Research based • Number of projects: minimum of 1 per year • Number of presentations: minimum of 1 per year • Number of submissions: minimum of 1 per year
How much protected time is given for research (per week)?	20%
CALL	
General	<p>Frequency: approximately 7-10 per month (which including 1 weekend or public holiday)</p> <p>Monday-Friday 5:00 pm – 8 am; Saturday/Sunday/public holiday 8 am—8 am the next day</p> <p>Primarily Home call and in-hospital as required by patient need</p>
Responsibilities on Call:	<p>General comments: consultation about organizing imaging</p> <p>2nd opinion on pediatric exams done elsewhere</p> <p>Performing ultrasound/ fluoroscopy and IR exams</p> <p>Supervising CT and MRI exams</p> <p>Communicating reports to the clinical team</p> <p>Producing preliminary report on PACS</p> <p>Following trauma activation protocol</p> <p>Reporting Non-Accidental trauma to social services</p> <p>Comply with request for imaging for medical examiner's office</p> <p>Average number of studies completed per call shift: Plain film (25 - 50), US (1-10), CT (1-10), MR (1-10)</p>
Is there a call stipend?	No (integrated in regular compensation)

Additional comments about call	As per residents union
HOLIDAYS AND PAY	
Number of paid holidays (in weeks):	4 weeks (discretion of department to grant religious holidays as permitted by departmental schedule)
Sick and Caregiver time (in days):	discretion of department as permitted by departmental schedule
Extra time off (in days):	1 week off from clinical duties for CME/conferences (additional time can be given if presenting at the conference)
Income before tax (CAD):	According to Dalhousie PGY 6 or PGY7 levels (\$ 87,392.00 (PGY-6), \$92,657 (PGY-7))
Opportunities for additional income (directly related to the fellowship):	Locum on weekend if not committed in IWK (Approval required from training program)
Additional Comments about Holidays and Pay:	N/A