

## VISITING CLERKSHIP PROGRAM

### Diversity and Inclusion at URM

URMC cultivates a diverse and inclusive environment that guides and transforms our approaches to healthcare, education, research and community partnerships.



Three funded visiting clerkship positions are available at the University of Rochester Medical Center from August through November of 2017 for select applicants from backgrounds underrepresented in medicine (URM) or who have a demonstrated vision and commitment to improving the health status of diverse patient populations via patient care, research and/or teaching.

- Funding includes up to \$1,000 for travel and housing reimbursement.
- Each student will be paired with a faculty member that will serve as a mentor and advisor.
- Each student will be given the opportunity to meet with the Residency Program Director.
- Each student will be paired with a URM resident and 4<sup>th</sup> year medical student who will introduce them to the medical center, its resources and the Rochester community.

### Program Description

The visiting clerkship program is designed to give students an opportunity to experience training at URM and to connect with faculty, residents, and 4<sup>th</sup> year medical students.

### Eligibility

- Must be a registered student in good standing at their home school while participating in the externship
- Full-time, final year medical student attending a LCME-accredited U.S. medical school and have completed 3<sup>rd</sup> year core clerkships
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Interested students should have a demonstrated vision and commitment to improving the health status of diverse patient populations via patient care, research and/or teaching

### Requirements

- Completed visiting clerkship program application
- Official transcript
- USMLE Step I score
- One-page personal statement describing career goals and interest in pursuing a clerkship at the URM
- Curriculum Vitae
- Letter of support from a Student Affairs Dean sent directly to [OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu)
- Completed Criminal Background Check valid within one year of start of elective rotation

### Application Process

**The application deadline is April 15, 2017.** All materials must be submitted to the CACHED office via e-mail: [OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu)

**Visiting Clerkship Program for Students Underrepresented in Medicine  
Information Sheet 2017**

Name:

Last

First

M.I.

Address:

Street

Apt. #

City

State

Zip Code

Phone:

Email:

Medical School:

Race/Ethnicity Self-Description:

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

USMLE Step 1 Score:

Department of Interest:

☐ Medicine

☐ Medicine/Pediatrics

☐ Anesthesiology

☐ Emergency Medicine

☐ Pediatrics

☐ Otolaryngology

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Psychiatry

☐ Cardiothoracic Surgery

☐ Neurosurgery

☐ Neurology

☐ Obstetrics and Gynecology

Elective Dates of Interest:

to

Start Date

End Date

Please also send the *following*:

☐ Official transcript

☐ USMLE Step I score

☐ One-page personal statement describing career goals and interest in pursuing a clerkship at URM

☐ Curriculum vitae

☐ Letter of support from a Student Affairs Dean sent directly to [OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu)

☐ Completed Criminal Background Check valid within one year of start of elective rotation

E-mail completed application and supporting documentation to [OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:OMECached@urmc.rochester.edu)

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