

AFRICAN PAEDIATRIC FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

UKZN DEPARTMENT OF PAEDIATRICS AND CHILD HEALTH


Call for 2021 scholarship applications



ENQUIRIES:

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ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

The APFP builds capacity on the African continent by providing in depth paediatric specialisation and subspecialisation training. Training takes place at the UKZN Department of Paediatrics and Child Health affiliated teaching hospitals in Durban. Upon completion graduates will acquire an MMed or MMed Sci degree as well as FCPaed and will be part of a rich and diverse African paediatric network. This is a fully funded scholarship equivalent to current registrar remuneration

REQUIREMENTS:

- MBCHB or equivalent and FCPaed Part 1
- Current registration with HPCSA.
- 6 months post community service experience as a medical officer in paediatrics.
- Must be willing to work in the public sector after training.
- This opportunity is open to South African female applicants only.
- Persons living with disabilities will be given preference.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBSPECIALTY TRAINING:

- MBCHB or equivalent and FCPaed or MMed
- Registration with as a paediatrician with HPCSA
- 2 years experience as a paediatrician

KEY PERFORMANCE AREAS:

- Participation in academic and teaching programmes and meetings in the respective departments.
- Responsibility for care of patients at designated hospital and units.
- Management of patients under supervision.
- Attendance at ward rounds and/or tutorials.
- Supervision and teaching of undergraduates.
- Provision of after-hours care for emergency services.
- Clerking and keeping of comprehensive records of patients in the hospital file.
- Outreach activities as planned by the Clinical Supervisor.
- All administration related to training as per CMSA and UKZN requirements.

SPECIALISATION TRAINING:

- General Paediatrics (4 years)

SUBSPECIALISATION TRAINING:

- Cardiology (3 years)
- Neurology (2 years)
- Nephrology (2 years)
- Haematology and Oncology (2 years)
- Pulmonology (2 years)
- Critical Care (2 years)
- Neonatology (2 years)
- Infectious Diseases (2 years)

APPLICATIONS:

To apply, submit the following to mabothat@ukzn.ac.za

- Letter of Motivation
- Curriculum Vitae
- Educational certificates and certified ID copy
- Proof of HPCSA registration

Closing date: 26 February 2021

