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# Health Services Research Training Program



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## PROGRAM

Physicians, with an interest in health services research, will enter the program after having completed residency and/or fellowship training in obstetrics and gynecology.

This training program will provide the experience and skills that are necessary to design and carryout rigorous health services research to answer questions relevant to the health care of women. Training will specifically include a mentored research program and work that will develop understanding and capabilities related to health care system leadership.

**Our goal is to train Obstetricians and Gynecologists for careers that focus on or include health service research or decision making. Training focuses experience on high-impact problems in obstetrics and gynecology and provides a state-of-the-art methodological foundation.**

This program is funded by the National Institutes of Health and integrated with four other University of Michigan training programs, including:

- Building interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (k12)
- Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program (RWJ)
- Pediatric Health Services Research Training Program (T32)
- School of Nursing Women's Health Disparities Postdoctoral Training Program (T32)

## HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS

Each trainee will be supported by a mentor team that will consist of a physician health services researcher, a health services researcher with a doctorate, and an obstetrician/gynecologist with expertise in health services research.

Trainees will complete one of three curriculum plans leading to a MPH in Health Management and Policy, MS in Clinical Research Design and Statistics, or a MS in Health and Healthcare Research.

## APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

Completion of MD or DO and an accredited residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

## THE SELECTION PROCESS

Trainees will be selected from the pool of applicants using criteria which includes:

- Research experience
- Academic record
- Clinical perspective
- Personal qualifications
- Commitment to health services research in women's health

Fellows will devote a minimum of 75% of their time in health services research and training.

## HOW TO APPLY

Letters of Interest and Curriculum Vitae should be sent to:

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