Gynecologic Oncology URM Visiting Resident Rotation

Location: Program in Women’s Oncology
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PROGRAM BACKGROUND

The Program in Women’s Oncology, within the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at Women & Infants Hospital/Brown University, is privileged to have a Gynecologic Oncology Fellowship. Indeed, of the many wonderful aspects of our comprehensive women’s cancer program, it is the fellowship program, and more specifically our incredible trainees, of which we are most proud.

Gynecologic Oncology fellows promote excellence and vibrancy everywhere they go. While students in their own right, they nevertheless bring improvement and vital energy to patients. They provide inspiration to colleagues and institutions. They bring passion to caring and optimism to the future. And we, the ostensible teachers, are privileged to be in witness. With this passion and optimism in mind, we are pleased to offer a visiting elective opportunity for third year ObGyn residents from groups underrepresented in medicine (URM), to join our Program for a one-month gynecologic oncology rotation at Women & Infants Hospital of Rhode Island/Brown University.

SUMMARY DESCRIPTION

This competitive position is for current Ob/Gyn residents who meet the following eligibility criteria:

- Underrepresented in medicine (URM) student
- Participant in a fully accredited Ob/Gyn residency program.
- Currently in good academic and professionalism standing
- Must be in year 3 or year 4 during month of proposed URM rotation.
- Considering a career in Gynecologic Oncology

Selected residents will spend one month on the Gynecologic Oncology service participating in an extensive range of clinical opportunities including management of a busy inpatient service, operative cases, and ambulatory experiences. Through both didactic and practical teaching, participants will gain exposure to radical surgery, radiotherapy, chemotherapy, Tumor Board, cancer risk assessment, cancer rehabilitation, and the Women’s Intimacy and Sexual Health clinic, providing a true multidisciplinary educational experience. Additionally, visiting residents will be paired with a fellow and a faculty mentor within the Gynecologic Oncology Division as well as an additional mentor from the Department’s Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee.
Interested applicants must meet eligibility requirements and submit a complete application that includes the following:

1. A letter of recommendation and approval from the parent institution’s Ob/Gyn residency program director.
2. Proof of professional liability coverage provided by the parent institution.
3. RI Limited Medical License.
4. Personal statement detailing specific interest in a Gynecologic Oncology elective rotation.
5. Curriculum vitae.
6. Complete immunization record (including Covid-19 vaccine series and booster)

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Each visiting resident will be provided with a $750 stipend to assist with travel and/or other incidental expenses. Additional funding, health insurance and professional liability coverage will be provided by the parent training program.