

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Completion of an accredited family medicine residency program in the US.
- Board eligible or board certified in FM
- Selected fellows must obtain medical licensure in the State of Rhode Island.
- The Fellowship typically extends from August 1st to July 31st.

TO APPLY FOR THE FELLOWSHIP

- Please send a CV, a personal statement, and three letters of recommendation (one from your Program/Residency Director).
- Fellows will complete a Masters in Public Health from Brown University with a concentration in global health. Application to the program is a separate process and is the responsibility of the incoming fellow
- Selected applicants will be invited for an on-site interview or virtual interview

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OVERVIEW

This unique 2-year fellowship program is a joint project of the Department of Family Medicine at the Alpert Medical School of Brown University/Kent Hospital of Rhode Island and a leading federally-funded Community Health Center in Rhode Island (Blackstone Valley Community Health Care). Family physicians pursuing careers in global health are often called upon to provide direct clinical care, teaching and leadership in underserved communities, this fellowship is specifically designed to equip family physicians with the additional skills necessary to meet these needs.

PROGRAM GOALS

This fellowship prepares family physicians for careers in global health by providing:

- 3 months/year of on-the-ground experience in a global setting (AMPATH Kenya is our main site) needed to better meet the needs of patients in underserved communities globally
- 17 patient facing hours per week at an FQHC
- Training and mentoring in teaching skills for a variety of settings and learners
- Training and mentoring in curriculum design and educational scholarship
- Two weeks of inpatient family medicine per year
- FMOB opportunities available for fellows with prior adequate training

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GLOBAL HEALTH FACULTY DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIP



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FAMILY MEDICINE DEPARTMENT GLOBAL HEALTH INITIATIVES

KENYA: Academic Model Providing Access to Healthcare (AMPATH) & Moi University FM Program

Through a bidirectional collaboration FM Departments at Brown and Moi engage in collaborative education, research, and clinical care in Webuye Kenya and Pawtucket, Rhode Island. The AMPATH consortium is one of the largest global health collaborations in the world. Fellows are provided the opportunity to collaborate with Kenyan FM faculty and residents through clinical, educational, and research experiences.

<http://brownmedicine.org/kenya/>

Faculty: Daria Szkwarko, DO, MPH, Odinaka Anyanwu, MD, Carolyn Pearce, MD, MPH, Julia Teck, MD, MPH, Fadya El Rayess, MD, MPH, and Chelsea Graham, DO.

ESSENTIAL FEATURES OF THE TWO-YEAR PROGRAM

Primary Care of Underserved and Immigrant Communities at Blackstone Valley Community Health Care (FQHC)

Faculty Development includes resident and medical student teaching in a variety of settings including precepting in the FM resident/faculty clinic, inpatient or FM OB attending rounds, small group teaching, lecture and curriculum design. This experience is observed and mentored by experienced faculty.

Advanced Clinical Skills for global underserved settings. Training builds on fellows' existing skills and includes: tropical medicine; HIV; TB; basic radiology & ultrasound; outpatient orthopedic, reproductive health & minor surgical procedures.

Seminar Series covering core global health topics including communicable & non-communicable diseases; decolonization of global health and



anti-racism training; teaching methods; curriculum development & evaluation; scholarly skills; and leadership skills. Fellows also collaborate with residents, fellows and faculty of the Brown Residency International/Global Pathway Health Training (BRIGHT) Program.

www.brown.edu/academics/medical/bright/

Research: Opportunities for research locally and globally include grant writing, implementation science, data analysis, and dissemination. Fellows will complete and present a scholarly project at a national or international conference during their fellowship.

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SALARY, BENEFITS, AND CLINICAL SITES

Annual salary: PGY4 or PGY5 salary, approximately \$80,000.

Benefits: medical, disability, malpractice and life insurance. Includes 4 weeks paid time off and 1 week of CME.

CLINICAL SITES

BROWN FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY

<https://www.brown.edu/academics/medical/about/departments/family-medicine/education/residency-program>



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