

The MGH Global Medicine Fellowship and Faculty Development Program



The Global Medicine Fellowship at the Massachusetts General Hospital trains physicians to be leaders in global health and improves the health of vulnerable, underserved populations around the world. Fellows develop clinical and analytical skills, a deep understanding of public health principles, a systems-based approach, and advocacy tools to advance health equity and improve the health of communities.

The fellowship provides physicians with the expertise and flexibility to cultivate their individualized career path in global health. The key components of the 1-year program are:

❖ **In depth field experiences in global health**

Fellows spend approximately 5 months participating in field experiences in resource limited settings developing clinical, leadership, research, management, and medical education skills. Our primary international site is in southwestern Uganda where MGH has full-time on-site faculty, and a longstanding institutional relationship with the Mbarara University of Science and Technology (MUST) and Bugoye Health Center. *(Alternative sites may be considered based on mentorship and supervision.)*

❖ **Intentional and structured mentorship focused on individualized career goals**

With access to a broad community of global health mentors and practitioners at MGH, Harvard, and in the greater Boston community, fellows receive the support and coaching to advance their global health careers.

❖ **Care for vulnerable patients and populations across a variety of settings**

Fellows focus on health disparities through clinical care to vulnerable communities in Boston and around the world.

❖ **Practical, career-oriented global health didactics and conferences**

Fellows participate in a clinical skills series as well as monthly global health didactics including a “nut-and-bolts” seminar series, leadership breakfasts, and a global health journal club.

❖ **Longitudinal scholarly project in global health**

Fellows will gain experience and skills through mentored project implementation in collaboration with local partners.

❖ **Application Requirements**

1-2 Global Medicine Fellows are chosen annually. Applicants must be board eligible or board certified in internal medicine when they begin the fellowship. Please submit questions and applications to: mghglobalmedicine@partners.org by **Monday, October 31, 2016**. Complete applications include all of the following:

- Brief letter of interest outlining past experiences in global health, long-term career goals, and reasons for interest in the fellowship
- Curriculum Vitae
- Two letters of recommendations (including one from the residency program director or current chairman)

For more information including frequently asked questions, please see www.mghcqh.org/gpc