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## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

### *Transfusion Medicine Fellowship*

**Description:** The UCLA Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine offers an ACGME-approved one-year fellowship program with training in all areas of Transfusion Medicine and Blood Banking. The UCLA Blood Bank transfuses 75,000 blood products per year and provides specialized clinical consultation services in support of the many complex medical and surgical services at the UCLA Medical Center. Experience in blood center administration will be gained at the UCLA Blood & Platelet Center, which collects approximately 30,000 donations per year. In addition, trainees participate in Transfusion Medicine-based research and develop expertise in evaluating and implementing new techniques and laboratory procedures. The program includes integrated rotations in the Transfusion Service, UCLA Blood & Platelet Center, and therapeutic hemapheresis as well as elective rotations designed to meet the needs and interests of individual fellows and which generally include the American Red Cross Reference Laboratory, UCLA Immunogenetics (HLA) Center and UCLA's hematopoietic stem cell units. Clinical interaction, management decisions and teaching occur throughout the training period.

**Requirements:** Candidate must qualify for California medical licensure and be Board-certified/eligible in clinical pathology, or other qualifying clinical field.

**Types and Numbers of Appointments:** One fellow per academic year.

**Stipends:** Support is commensurate with the candidate's level of training.

**Applications:** Please contact the Fellowship Coordinator for the application and a list of materials required for fellowship. In addition, submit a curriculum vitae, Personal Statement and three letters of references to: Alyssa Ziman, MD, Program Director, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, 10833 Le Conte Avenue, Room A7-149 CHS, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1732. Address inquiries to: Annetta Pierro, Education Coordinator, David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, 10833 Le Conte Ave, Room: 13-145G CHS, Los Angeles, CA 90025

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