
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES
Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
Hematopathology Fellowship

Description: The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine offers a one-year accredited fellowship in Hematopathology that provides intensive training in all aspects of hematopathology, including morphologic analysis of blood smears and peripheral fluids; morphologic analysis of bone marrow, lymph nodes and other tissues; performance of bone marrow biopsies; interpretation of flow cytometry and immunohistochemistry; coagulation and hemostasis; chromosomal and molecular cytogenetics; and molecular diagnostics. The fellow will learn diagnostic skills during exposure to internal cases as well as a large number of referral cases sent to UCLA for consultations. The fellow interacts with Pathology and Laboratory Medicine residents, as well as residents, fellows and faculty in the adult and pediatric clinical services. The fellow participates in teaching, conferences and tumor boards, and fellows are encouraged to develop scholarly or research activities; additional years of training may be arranged to pursue research activities. Fellows spend the majority of their time at the Westwood campus, with some activities at affiliated hospitals in Santa Monica and the San Fernando Valley. Two fellowships positions are offered each year.

Requirements: Applicants must be BE/BC in anatomic and/or clinical pathology. A California medical license is required.

Types and Numbers of Appointments: There are two fellows per academic year.

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

Applications: Applications should be received by February 1 of the year preceding the fellowship, although applications are considered on a rolling basis. Please contact Fellowship Coordinator for list of requirements and application. Submit a curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Sheeja Pullarkat, MD, Program Director, Hematopathology Fellowship, 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. Applications should be received by February 1 of the year preceding the fellowship, although applications are considered on a rolling basis. Address inquiries to: Annetta Pierro, Fellowship 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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