

FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY NETWORK FACULTY DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIP

Introduction & Overview

The Department of Family Medicine and its affiliated Residency Network at the University of Washington believe that fellowship training is critical to the evolution of family medicine. The current Faculty Development Fellowship program is designed to prepare family physicians for full-time teaching careers in medical schools and family practice residencies. The goal of our program is to graduate fellows who will develop a successful career as full-time teachers in family medicine. The Fellowship provides the resources, experiences and guidance fellows need to assume demanding roles in academic medicine.

Nomination & Selection Process

Program Directors nominate the applicants. Then, we select participants based on which programs have had recent participants. Our goal is to achieve equal access for all affiliated residency programs. Participation in the Hybrid Course (formerly Certificate Program) does not prevent that same faculty member from participating in our Fellowship in the future. However, past participants of the Fellowship are ineligible to participate in the Hybrid Course, unless they spent significant time away from teaching and then returned to residency teaching.

Structure

The Fellowship takes place over the course of the academic year with one-week long sessions in July, October, January, March and May. Sessions are held in Seattle near the University of Washington campus. Fellows can expect some pre-work in between sessions.

Content

Core Faculty Development Topics:

- Teaching and Learning
- Career Guidance
- Residency Requirements
- Residents in Difficulty
- Scholarly Writing Project
- Fellowship Project
- Topics also generated from needs assessment of participants.

**CME for the Fellowship Program will be offered, which is typically around 120 prescribed credits by the AAFP*



Our onsite location in Seattle at the University of Washington's Center for Urban Horticulture



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