University of Rochester Visiting Clerkship Program

Good morning Colleagues,

Three funded visiting clerkship positions are available at the University of Rochester Medical Center from August through November of 2016 for select applicants from backgrounds underrepresented in medicine (URiM) or who have a demonstrated vision and commitment to improving the health status of diverse patient populations via patient care, research and/or teaching.

- Funding includes up to \$1,000 for reimbursement for travel and housing.
- Each student will be paired with a faculty member that will serve as a mentor and advisor.
- Each student will be given the opportunity to meet with the Residency Program Director.
- Each student will be paired with a URM resident and 4<sup>th</sup> year medical student who will introduce them to the medical center, its resources and the Rochester community.

## **Program Description**

The visiting clerkship program is designed to give students an opportunity to experience training at URMC and to connect with faculty, residents, and 4<sup>th</sup> year medical students.

## **Eligibility**

Must be a registered student in good standing at their home school while participating in the externship Full-time, final year medical student attending a LCME-accredited U.S. medical school and have completed 3<sup>rd</sup> year core clerkships

Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident

Interested students should have a demonstrated vision and commitment to improving the health status of diverse patient populations via patient care, research and/or teaching.

## **Requirements for Participation**

A completed and signed visiting clerkship program application

Official transcript

USMLE Step I score

A one-page personal statement describing career goals and interest in pursuing a clerkship at the URMC Copy of curriculum vitae

A letter of support from a Student Affairs Dean sent directly to adrienne\_morgan@urmc.rochester.edu Completed Criminal Background Check

Application Deadline is May 1, 2016

## **Application Process**

Students should complete the application and supporting documentation and e-mail to adrienne\_morgan@urmc.rochester.edu

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