

# THE UCLA SPINE CENTER PHYSICAL MEDICINE AND REHABILITATION SPINE MEDICINE TRAINING PROGRAM

The UCLA Spine Center PMR Spine Medicine Fellowship is designed to train physicians with an emphasis on an interdisciplinary approach to spinal disorders and their management. Each fellow completing the Spine Medicine Fellowship will have worked alongside a multidisciplinary team that includes Physiatrists, Anesthesiologists, Neurologists, Pediatricians, Psychiatrists, Neurosurgeons, Orthopedic Spine Surgeons, Physical Therapists, and Psychologists in obtaining expertise in Spine Medicine. This will include the prescription of physical therapy/modalities, use of opioid and adjuvant medications, electrodiagnostic medicine, and bracing. Substantial training in interventional spine procedures at all spinal levels and minor surgical procedures (Kyphoplasty, Vertebroplasty, and Spinal Cord and Peripheral Stimulators) will also be emphasized. In addition to general musculoskeletal and spine disorders, there will be exposure to cervicogenic headaches, facial pain, cancer pain, vertebral compression fractures, and scoliosis. The spine fellow will also be responsible for the coordination of patient care between various services and assist in the education of PM&R residents and medical students from the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA.

The goals and objectives of the Spine Management Fellow are:

- 1. To gain the fundamental knowledge base required for the practice of comprehensive Spine Medicine.
- 2. To acquire the skills of patient assessment necessary for the provision of optimal treatment plans.
- 3. To gain sufficient skill and judgment on the appropriate use and application of various spine management interventions considered standard-of-care.
- 4. To gain an understanding of the multidisciplinary nature of spine management, and to be able to coordinate and function in a collaborative fashion with other healthcare professionals.
- 5. To gain competency in the management of medications, modalities, therapies, and psychological support relating to spinal disorders.

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# INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING THE FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

All pages of the Application for PM&R Spine Medicine Fellowship form, with original signature, should be submitted along with the following supplementary documents to the email at the bottom of this page.

### REQUIRED

- CURRENT CV
- PERSONAL STATEMENT (include information regarding your future medical goals, both short and long term)
- LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION (3) one must be from your Program Direct
- MEDICAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS (copy)
- MEDICAL SCHOOL DIPLOMA (copy)
- USMLE / NBOME SCORE REPORTS (Steps 1, 2, & 3)

### **OPTIONAL**

- SAE-R SCORE REPORTS (copy)
- PHOTOGRAPH (passport size, head & shoulders only, recent)

<u>COMPLETE</u> applications will be forwarded to the Selection Committee for review and consideration of an interview.

### **DEADLINE**

Application due by June 1st.

### **QUESTIONS**

PLEASE DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS VIA EMAIL. pmrspinefellowship@mednet.ucla.edu