

Pediatric Interventional Radiology Fellowship

Children's National Medical Center

Location: DC United States

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Description of Fellowship

The Interventional Radiology division at Children's National Medical Center in Washington, DC is a well established program staffed by three fellowship trained Interventional Radiologists with at least ten years of experience each in adult and pediatric intervention. In addition, the team consists of one nurse practitioner, dedicated nursing, technologists and scheduling staff. All on the service are dedicated to providing excellent patient care and teaching. Our IR suites have been completely renovated and are state of the art with dedicated anesthesia block time each day. The service is primarily run by attendings with very few rotating residents and pediatric radiology fellows. This well rounded program provides training for all possible types pediatric interventions. The interventional fellow is an integral part of Vascular Anomalies Clinic, Thrombosis clinic, Tumor Board, etc. Fellows will have elective time in the pediatric ICU as well as dedicated time performing adult intervention. Other electives are possible based upon individual needs. Opportunities for research are also available and encouraged.

Fellowship Details

Pediatric IR Section Chief or Division Chief: Karun Sharma

Pediatric IR Fellowship Director: Ranjith Vellody

Fellowships Available:

- Pediatric Interventional Radiology Only
- Combined Pediatric Radiology and Pediatric Interventional Radiology

Durations Available:

- One year
- Greater than one year

Number of 1 year or greater Fellowships: 1

Start Date: Negotiable

Approximate Call Frequency: Every fifth night

Elective Time offered during Fellowship: Yes, months of clinical pediatrics (ICU, oncology, etc), adult IR, diagnostic pediatric radiology, and neuro intervention are possible

Number of Pediatric Fellows trained here in the last 5 years: 1

Does a combined fellowship result in eligibility for a CAQ (such as in IR or pediatric radiology), or other accreditation: Yes, possibly. Trainee might be eligible for pediatric radiology CAQ.

Prerequisite requirements:

- Radiology Residency

- Medical Licensure in your country

Service Details

Number of pediatric IR attendings: 3 (All are adult and pediatric experienced)

Number of adult IR attendings with direct teaching responsibility for the PIR fellows: 3 (All are adult and pediatric experienced)

Number of neuroradiology or interventional neuroradiology attendings with direct teaching responsibility for the PIR fellows: 1-2

Approximate annual IR Pediatric case volume: 2000 - 3000

Approximate annual case volume by subspecialty:

Vascular Access> than 200 cases a year
Biopsy Drainage.....> than 200 cases a year
Body Angiography & Intervention.....Between 5 and 20 cases a year
Spine Interventions< 5 cases a year
Vascular AnomaliesBetween 20 and 200 cases a year
Venous InterventionsBetween 5 and 20 cases a year
Enteric access (G,GJ), CecostomyBetween 20 and 200 cases a year
Locoregional tumor therapyBetween 5 and 20 cases a year
Musculoskeletal InterventionsBetween 5 and 20 cases a year
Biliary Interventions.....< 5 cases a year
GU InterventionsBetween 5 and 20 cases a year
Diagnostic Cerebral AngiogramsBetween 5 and 20 cases a year