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Blood Banking & Transfusion Medicine Fellowship

The University of Minnesota Medical School Blood Banking & Transfusion Medicine Fellowship integrates the best aspects of several transfusion services and blood centers in Minneapolis/Saint Paul, MN into an exceptionally balanced, yet diversified transfusion medicine experience. The fellowship is designed to prepare physicians for a career in transfusion medicine in academics, community practice, a regional blood center, or biotech.

Substantial clinical involvement and extensive experience with laboratory problem solving and clinical consultation is provided. Advanced training in related areas such as cell therapy, HLA/immunology and coagulation is also available. As the fellow gains experience, more clinical duties and special projects are assigned. A second year of predominantly research is available for exceptional trainees.

Curriculum:

While rotations vary with individual trainee interests, the standard program curriculum includes:

- University of Minnesota Medical Center (Blood Bank/Apheresis) – 6 months
- University of Minnesota Medical Center (Cell Therapy) – 1 month
- University of Minnesota Medical Center (Special Coagulation) – 1 month
- American Red Cross/Memorial Blood Center – 1 month
- Veterans' Affairs Medical Center – 1 month
- Elective (HLA, pediatric transfusion medicine, etc.) – 2 months

Salary & Benefits:

- Pay is commensurate with level of training
- Medical, dental, disability & life insurance
- 15 days of vacation, 10 days of sick time, 10 professional development days
- Book/study materials fund

For more information on requirements and how to apply, visit:

<http://z.umn.edu/pathfellowapply>

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