Who We Are

CAMH is Canada's largest mental health and addiction teaching hospital. CAMH combines clinical care, research, education, policy development and health promotion to help transform the lives of people affected by mental health and addiction issues.

The Addictions Division is part of the Acute Care Program at CAMH, and is one of CAMH's eight academic divisions, with an affiliation with the Division of Brain and Therapeutics, Department of Psychiatry at the University of Toronto. Scientists in the Division hold funding from CIHR, NIH, Health Canada and the Canada Foundation for Innovation (CFI). The Division faculty collectively publishes over 100 peer-reviewed papers yearly, and serve in leadership roles within University of Toronto, the hospitals and nationally and internationally.

Fellowship Description

The Addictions Fellowship Program is a 1-year program with 2 streams:

1. AFC in Addictions: where all those eligible for RCPSC certification can apply;

2. Enhanced Skills In Addiction Program: for PGY2s in family medicine.

Each fellow's clinical training program will include general exposure to the broad range of addictions . Our hospital sites offer clinical exposure to the full continuum of care for patients with addictions including:

- Initial screening including medical and psychiatric assessment
- Withdrawal management (ambulatory and inpatient)
- Brief interventions (e.g. Motivational Interviewing)
- Structured psychotherapies (e.g. CBT, coping skills)
- Day treatment
- Residential treatment

Training is also offered in specialty areas of youth, women, concurrent mental health and addictions, older adults, LGBTQ, stimulants, cannabis, opioids, gambling.

Fellows have a 1-month elective block during which they can pursue areas of interest in the field of addictions.



Education

Fellows will have access to a broad range of multidisciplinary educational events within the Departments of Psychiatry, and Family and Community Medicine at the University of Toronto (U of T), and fellowship experiences are based at U of T teaching hospitals including CAMH, St. Michael's, Toronto Western, Women's College and St. Joseph's. Fellows would also contribute to teaching of residents, medical students and other advanced students of all disciplines.

Research

Each Fellow will have research training that is individually tailored to meet his or her needs. Some fellows choose to be involved in a larger study being conducted by one of the Program's faculty, while others utilize the fellowship period to design and conduct an independent research project.

Application for 2023-2024 Program

September 1st to October 1st 2022

For all applicants:

- Updated CV

- Letter of Interest

- -2 letters of recommendation from physicians in supervisor role
- Letter from residency program director

International applicants please add:

- Copy of medical diploma and residency diploma
- Residency transcripts
- MCCQE scores if available

Submit documents to Nasline.Djilani@camh.ca

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