

ADVANCING DIVERSITY IN ACADEMIC PEDIATRICS



From Previous Scholars

"This program helped me to get a sense of what academic medicine is...and what it is like to train at a large children's hospital....[I realized] that I want to do residency at an academic center. "

"...I believe that [ADAP] gave me an opportunity to become a more competitive...candidate for a residency...through the strong mentorship provided by their faculty members and residents. "

"From my experience...I have gained more confidence in my abilities to excel in other rotations...This experience has broadened my horizon in the sense that I am more receptive to the countless possibilities for a career in pediatrics, not only in terms of different [subspecialty] choices but other way to influence...pediatrics."

Why Advancing Diversity in Academic Pediatrics (ADAP)?

Physician racial and ethnic diversity is an important method of addressing child health disparities, cultural sensitivity, and institutional excellence.

ADAP addresses this need through early exposure of senior medical students from groups underrepresented in medicine (UIM) to careers in academic pediatrics. We aim to support students in enhancing and achieving their visions for their careers.

ADAP is focused on enhancing provider diversity of the following groups based on U.S. and local population demographics: Black/African-American; Asian of Filipino,

Hmong or Vietnamese descent only; Hispanic/Latino; Native American/Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander.



About Our Program

Students from UIM backgrounds from around the country join us for a month of career-building opportunities including:

- Immersion in a pediatric clinical experience
- Special sessions preparing students to address their career goals
- Faculty and resident mentors
- Networking

How to apply?

Online: <https://cri-datacap.org/surveys/?s=TP33CMCADEM3PCL8>

Please complete application by 11:59pm (EST) on Friday, April 29, 2022.

Applicants must be in good standing at their medical school and have completed core clinical clerkships with passing grades by the time they participate in ADAP.

About Us

Children's National is a quaternary care, free-standing children's hospital in the nation's capital serving Washington, DC, the surrounding area, and many international patients.

Our pediatric residency program provides world-class training to over 100 residents each year with diverse backgrounds, interests, and career goals. We are proud of our track record of educational innovation and community involvement.

For more information

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