The Stanford Infectious Diseases Fellowship

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What Makes Stanford ID Special?

• People, people, people
• Rich university environment
• Research and collaborative opportunities abound
• Supportive environment, receptive to feedback
• ID division in terrific growth / expansion phase
• Awesome clinical experience
ID Fellowship Tracks

• **Research / Traditional Track**
  - Y1: Clinical year (+ one half-day weekly general ID clinic)
  - Y2: Research year (+ one half-day weekly HIV clinic)
  - Y3+: Research years, few clinical responsibilities

• **Clinician Educator Track**
  - Y1: Identical clinical year (+ one half-day weekly general ID clinic)
  - Y2: Less intense clinical year (same one half-day weekly HIV clinic) + several months tailored to fellow’s interest (e.g., scholarship, education, research, IC/ASP)

• Number of fellows in each track can vary year-to-year; likely 2 and 3 (respectively) for 2022 entering class
ID Fellowship Tracks

- Antimicrobial Stewardship Track
  - Y1: Identical clinical year (+ one half-day weekly general ID clinic)
  - Y2: 75-80% time ASP; rest clinical rotations, vacation, etc. (same one half-day weekly HIV clinic)
    - Likely 1 fellow for 2022 entering class

- Hospital Epidemiology / Infection Prevention & Control Track
  - Y1: Identical clinical year (+ one half-day weekly general ID clinic)
  - Y2: 75-80% time HE/IPC; rest clinical rotations, vacation, etc. (same one half-day weekly HIV clinic)
    - Likely 1 fellow for 2022 entering class
Clinical Experience

- Stanford
  - General ID
  - ICU-ID (relatively new)
  - “Superfellow”
  - ICHS rotation now two services: Heme/BMT and SOT

- VA ID

- Santa Clara Valley Medical Center ID
- ID Outpatient rotation
- ASP program at Stanford outstanding: national and intl. leaders

- Y1 fellows: 1.5-2 mo each inpt rotation + 1 mo micro/ASP + 1 mo ID outpt rotation

- Y2 CE fellows: 2-4 weeks each inpt rotation + 2 weeks ASP + 2 weeks ID outpt rotation; rest elective time
Clinical Experience

• General ID and HIV clinics: 1-3 fellows per year at each site (Stanford, VA, SCVMC)
Parallel Fellowships

• 1 year Transplant ID Fellowship (non-ACGME accredited). Two fellows per year
• 1 year Clinical Microbiology Fellowship (ACGME accredited)
• 2 year Clinical Informatics Fellowship (ACGME accredited)
Robust Didactic Sessions

- Weekly fellow lecture series (Tues AM)
- Monthly journal club (Tues PM)
- Weekly clinical conference (Tues PM)
- Weekly microbiology rounds (Thurs AM)
- Weekly ID grand rounds (Thurs PM)
- Weekly ICHS-ID meeting (Mon PM)
- Twice-monthly epi meeting (Mon Noon)
Chief Fellows

- Two chief fellows, primary role to meet and talk regularly with all fellows, help with problems, advocate for any needed changes, spearhead social events, etc.
- Our program is very responsive to concerns, has made many changes to better the fellow experience
**Competitive Salary/Benefits**

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**Allowances:**
- 1% of salary paid in June for participation in the Chief Residents Quality Improvement Project
- $1,000 paid in July to cover cell phone use
- $3,000 moving allowance paid in September for new residents/fellows.
- $2,000 educational allowance paid in January *(subject to completion of annual Healthstream modules)*
- $7,200 housing allowance.

Cost of initial CA MD license and renewals.

Cost of initial DEA and renewals.
Research Experience

• Stanford has outstanding research mentors, projects
  • Fellows who graduated our program from 2011-2020 have published approximately 300 peer-reviewed journal articles in the last 5 years
  • Fellows have an excellent track record obtaining grants

• For Research Track fellows, we can support salary for yrs 2, 3, & 4 when needed **(three years of guaranteed research salary support)**. Salary / benefits also provided for all Y1/Y2 CE / ASP / HE&IPC fellows (GME)
  • Fellows are expected to meet basic milestones for research progress, and apply for salary support
Fellow Graduates

• Excellent record of obtaining highly competitive jobs in academia, industry, public health, and private practice

• Our own division has hired numerous recent graduates into CE and Research Track faculty positions