1 Year Fellowship in Pediatric Neurometabolic and Movement Disorder Program, Edmonton, Canada.

The Program at the Glenrose Rehabilitation Hospital and the Stollery Children’s Hospital (both affiliated to the University of Alberta) is offering a 1 year fellowship (staring on 1 July 2021). This is a clinical and scholarly fellowship (clinical-research).

Our program offers a diverse training environment at one of the largest Pediatric Neurometabolic and Movement disorder centers related to Pediatric Neurology and Rehabilitation in Canada. We utilize diverse and comprehensive diagnostic and treatment modalities including Deep Brain Stimulation. Optional neurometabolic rotation can be arranged at BC Children’s metabolic unit.

Program Overview: the program provides the framework for acquiring competencies and ability to function effectively and collaboratively as a consultant in the acute and outpatient care, integrating all of the CanMEDS roles to provide optimal, ethical and patient-centered care to a diverse population. In a growing area of genetic and metabolic advancement the fellow will be a part of well-established clinics related to developmental regression, atypical CP, Movement disorders, pediatric brain injury related to inborn errors of metabolism, neurotransmitter disorders. The trainee will learn the pathophysiology and classification of pediatric metabolic conditions, diagnosis and differential diagnosis, management and current treatment. Fellows will participate in the Tone Management service as well as in Pediatric Rehabilitation Medicine Consultation Clinics related to Dyskinetic Cerebral Palsy and spasticity. Trainees will participate in weekly multidisciplinary rounds at the Glenrose and Stollery Children’s Hospitals. As a part of the scholarly objectives, trainees will be required to undertake some research responsibilities.

Eligibility: Completion or board eligibility to write the Royal College Examination (or American Board) in Pediatric Neurology.

Applications: Please send electronic versions of your CV, a letter of intent (must include career goals and training expectations), three letters of reference (if international candidate has support from an institution as to experience needed for this training, this should be in one of the letters of reference) to Dr. Helly Goez, Director of the Pediatric Neurometabolic and Movement Disorder Program: goez@ualberta.ca by May 1, 2020 to allow for an interview and compilation of additional information.