FELLOWSHIP IN WOMEN’S MENTAL HEALTH

at Brigham and Women’s Hospital | a teaching affiliate of Harvard Medical School

A one-year, established Partners HealthCare-accredited fellowship dedicated to comprehensive women’s mental health subspecialty training

The Department of Psychiatry at Brigham and Women’s Hospital provides a unique and robust setting for women’s mental health training with rich and varied clinical exposure across a variety of settings including subspecialty ambulatory, consultation liaison, and co-located clinics in obstetrics, primary care and NICU settings as well as exposure to multiples areas of subspecialty within women’s mental health including reproductive psychiatry, mental health at midlife and beyond, perinatal addiction psychiatry, women’s mental health at the intersection of forensics/ethics as well as elective rotations through the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute Women’s Psychosocial Oncology Services and Mclean Hospital, where the fellow will be exposed to diagnosis and treatment of personality disorders, eating disorders, and post-traumatic stress disorder across varied settings.

The program provides exciting subspecialty training opportunities for potential applicants interested in the ways sex and gender can exert a major influence on the course, expression and treatment of psychiatric disorders. Fellows will develop expertise in the psychiatric care of women, and in the assessment and treatment of psychiatric symptoms linked with female reproductive cycle transitions. The fellowship emphasizes clinical experience, but also includes a scholarly project, the nature and scope of which depends on the fellow’s interests. For those who are interested, there may be opportunities to expand the academic project to include a larger amount of protected research time throughout the course of the fellowship.

About BWH: Our fellow will be trained in an extraordinarily rich clinical, educational, and research environment. BWH has 8,000 deliveries per year and is world-renowned for expertise in psychiatry, gynecology, and neurology care, and ranks consistently as one the nation’s top ten hospitals according to US News and World Report. The BWH Research Institute is the second largest recipient of National Institutes of Health funding among independent hospitals in the United States, and is home to the landmark Nurses’ Health Study and Women’s Health Initiative, two of the largest studies of women ever conducted.

Now accepting applications for the 2019-2020 academic year!

Application Process

- Applications are accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis.
- Interested applicants are encouraged to contact us as soon as possible.
- As applications are received and reviewed, qualified candidates will be invited for an interview day.

Eligibility Requirements

- Potential applicants who do not have US citizenship or permanent residency in the US should contact us before submitting their application.
- Applicants must have completed an ACGME-accredited psychiatry residency before the fellowship begins and can be licensed to practice medicine in Massachusetts.

For more information about the fellowship and the application requirements, visit our website: www.brighamandwomens.org/wmhf

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