



Food and Drug Administration

COMMISSIONER'S

Fellowship Program



*Protecting the Public Health
Through the Science of Regulation*

The FDA Commissioner's Fellowship Program

FDA is launching its new 2-year fellowship program in the fall of 2008 to provide an opportunity for health professionals and other scientists to receive training and experience at one of the world's most prestigious regulatory agencies.

You Can Make A difference

The FDA Commissioner's Fellowship Program is designed to attract top-notch physicians, microbiologists, chemists, statisticians, physicists, physiologists, pharmacists, pharmacologists, engineers, food scientists, nutritionists, veterinarians, social scientists, epidemiologists, and other scientific professionals. The fellows train minutes from the nation's Capital at FDA's new state-of-the-art campus in White Oak, Maryland or other FDA facilities. Fellows will be exposed to the regulatory processes necessary to ensure that our drugs, biologics, food, cosmetics and devices are safe for use.

Coursework & Preceptorship

The coursework is designed to provide an in-depth review of the sciences behind regulatory review, encompassing the activities of the FDA across foods, drugs, devices and cosmetics. Coursework during the two years includes public policy, FDA law, leadership skills, epidemiology, clinical trials, statistics as well as devices and radiological health.

Under the guidance of a FDA senior scientist preceptor committed to mentoring, fellows will identify a specific aspect of FDA regulatory science to explore. Through coursework and extensive hands-on experimentation, fellows will gain in-depth knowledge of the science behind FDA regulation.

Benefits

We offer an excellent benefits package including health insurance. Candidates must have U.S. citizenship, be a non-citizen national of the U.S. or have permanent residence.

How To Apply

To apply for the FDA Commissioner's Fellowship Program, submit your curriculum vitae (CV) and three letters of reference to fdacommissionersfellows@fda.hhs.gov by August 29, 2008.

For further information about the FDA Commissioner's Fellowship Program please visit www.fda.gov/commissionersfellowships/ or call 888-332-4473.

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