



# Train New Trainers

## Primary Care – Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship

*Optimizing the Pediatric Workforce*

**The Train New Trainers (TNT) Primary Care – Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (PC-CAP) Fellowship is a year-long clinical education program for pediatricians and primary care-oriented providers who wish to receive advanced training in primary care-based child and adolescent psychiatry.**

### **Who Benefits?**

The program is designed for primary care providers working in Pediatrics, Internal Medicine, and Family Medicine. Past fellows have included DOs, MDs, NPs, and PAs.

### **Curriculum**

The following is an outline of the curriculum, developed by the UCI faculty. It includes more than 45 required hours of training, resulting in a certificate of completion from UCI School of Medicine:

- Two weekend in-person teaching sessions (approximately 25 CME hours)
- Live, case-based discussions with a focus on integrated child and adolescent psychiatry and general practice twice a month (at least 20 CME hours)
- One hour per month of small group mentoring sessions with a PC-CAP fellowship faculty mentor
- Complimentary lifelong learning for alumni

### **Goals of TNT PC-CAP Fellowship**

Trainees will learn:

- How to complete an evidence-informed & efficient psychiatric interview in the busy primary care/medical setting
- How to effectively diagnose and treat commonly encountered psychiatric conditions such as mood, anxiety, psychotic, and substance misuse disorders
- How to teach these principles to their primary care colleagues

This is not a traditional or Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) approved fellowship.

## Tuition

- \$15,500 per fellow OR applicant may be eligible for a full scholarship. Upon acceptance to the TNT Program, please submit a separate application for the scholarship at the Tennessee Primary Care Association (TPCA)'s website. Scholarship applications will open on June 1. Please visit the following link to learn more and submit your application once the portal opens: <https://www.tnpca.org/resources/tntfellowships>.

## Tennessee Primary Care Association (TPCA) Scholarship

You must meet the minimum requirements to be considered:

- Be currently employed or have accepted employment as a primary care provider (MD, DO, NP, PA) in the following specialties: family medicine, internal medicine, OB/GYN, or pediatrics
- Scholarship applicants must be employed as a primary care provider at a nonprofit community-based primary care health clinic that accepts all patients regardless of the patient's ability to pay for services
- Eligible provider clinics should accept a wide variety of insurance plans including TennCare, Medicare, and have allowances for uninsured patients to pay for services on a sliding fee based on their income. Primary care providers employed at a charity clinic that accepts only uninsured patients are eligible
- Currently serve or plan on serving children and youth 25 years of age or younger



*"I had a great learning opportunity, during residency my training in adolescent mental health was very limited. Now working as faculty, I am able to apply what I learned from this fellowship and I am able to teach my residents as well."*

-Diana Howard, MD, AAHIVS, 2023 Cohort

*"UCI TNT Fellowship program provides the knowledge and builds my confidence to bring back in my practice. My patients have better assessment and prompt initial necessary treatment until being seen by mental health specialists. Moreover, I become a helpful resource for my peers when they encounter patients with common mental health conditions in family practice. UCI provides a great Fellowship Program."*

-Linh Dang, NP, 2022 Cohort



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