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Teaching and Tomorrow: Children's Mercy Hospital Pediatric Gastroenterology Fellowship Program

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Pediatric Gastroenterology Fellowship Program

Career Training

Our division wants you to succeed. We have supportive attendings with expertise in IBD, motility, intestinal rehab, feeding, liver transplant, pancreatitis, polyposis, and more. Fellows receive excellent endoscopic training and can participate in advanced procedures, including ERCP, double balloon endoscopy, and motility procedures. Well-rounded curriculum, plus conferences with pathology, surgery, radiology, journal clubs, and M&M. All of this plus a large fellows' office, free parking, and a physician's lounge with free food.



Unique Schedule

Our fellows' time on service is spread out over all three years. This allows our fellows to have dedicated endoscopy, pathology, outpatient, and research blocks—beginning in their first year. Each block is 2 weeks, and call is only scheduled during inpatient blocks. This simplicity makes life easier to plan, while also providing more flexibility for fellows when not on inpatient rotations.

Large, Urban Hospital

The Children's Mercy system has a large catchment area, with patients coming from Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Arkansas, and more. Its flagship hospital—CMKC—is a free-standing, 390 bed academic pediatric hospital in Kansas City, MO with more than 40 subspecialty areas and the only Level 1 pediatric trauma center in the region. In addition to a large residency program and a plethora of fellowships, CMKC is also the primary pediatric teaching hospital for the University of Missouri-Kansas City and University of Kansas Medical Center.



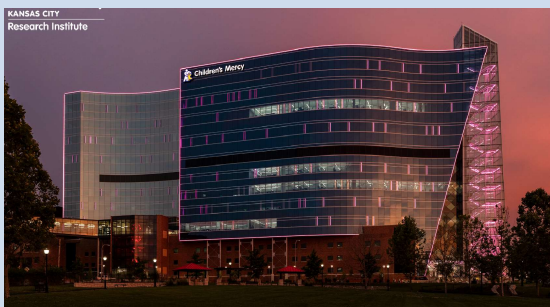
Awesome City

Kansas City is a bustling, urban center with big city amenities—famous museums, fantastic arts (ballet, symphony, musicals, street art), champion-caliber professional men's and women's sports teams (including reigning Super Bowl champions—the Kansas City Chiefs), and excellent restaurants (not JUST great BBQ). With so much to offer, it's no wonder KC was named a National Geographic Top Travel Destination, but it's an even better place to live!



Research Institute

The Children's Mercy Research Institute is a free-standing, 9 story building next to CMKC that opened in 2020. This state-of-the-art space contains wet and dry lab space, auditoriums, and conference rooms. Research is focused on four major areas—Genomic Medicine, Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutic Innovation, Health Services and Outcomes, and Innovation in Healthcare delivery. Our GI division has NIH, foundation, and philanthropically funded researchers with a national presence.



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