

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO AT ANSCHUTZ MEDICAL CAMPUS

SCHOOL/DEPARTMENT: **School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics**
HIRING UNIT: **Barbara Davis Center for Diabetes**

POSITION TITLE: **POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW**
POSITION CLASSIFICATION: **CLINICAL RESEARCH**
POSITION JOB CODE: **1438**
HRMS POSITION NUMBER: **00790871**

Overall Description of Responsibility or Nature of Work

A clinical and research postdoctoral fellow position in the field of pediatric diabetes is available in the Barbara Davis Center for Diabetes (Pediatric Division), at the University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus. This 2-year long position is funded by a **NIH T32 Institutional National Research Award (NRSA)**. The fellow will receive systematic training in the specialized knowledge and skills related to the management of type 1 diabetes with a specific emphasis on the implementation of adherence, integrated behavioral health, and other behavioral (e.g., fear of hypoglycemia) interventions. The fellow will receive four core training experiences: research, clinical care, research program development, and teaching and consultation. Approximately 75% of the fellow's time will be spent on research through participation on existing NIH-funded grants and through development of new research projects, with the other 25% spent in direct clinical care. The fellow's training includes study design and execution, implementing behavioral interventions, working with a multidisciplinary care team, manuscript writing, and grant preparation. Fellows will have the opportunity to receive additional mentorship via team collaborations within the Barbara Davis Center. Educational opportunities will be tailored to the fellow's individual training needs and career goals include grand rounds, didactics, and seminars within the Barbara Davis Center and the University of Colorado. This is a two-year position. The salary structure is both attractive and nationally competitive. Other benefits include health/dental insurance, vacation/sick leave and access to all University facilities. During the course of the fellowship the fellow will accrue enough clinical hours for licensure.

For questions about research projects, the nature of the position and duties, or any other inquiries or interest, please contact Dr. Robert Slover: Robert.slover@cuanschutz.edu

Training Philosophy

Our training philosophy is based on the scientist-practitioner model: the fellow will be trained in advanced skills in the practice of psychology and in the integration of research and clinical services in a center dedicated to the medical and psychological treatment of children, adolescents, and young adults with type 1 diabetes and their families. Following the completion of training, the fellow will be prepared to function independently at the assistant professor level within a medical school or other professional setting with the goal of becoming a licensed psychologist by the end of the fellowship.

Qualifications:

All candidates should be from an [American Psychological Association \(APA\)](#) approved doctoral graduate program in clinical psychology, and will have completed (or be about to complete) an APA-approved internship program. Experience with children and adolescents is required. Experience with type 1 diabetes is preferred. If there has not been any training in type 1 diabetes, experience with another pediatric chronic illness is required.

Salary & Benefits: Salary will be based on the current NIH postdoctoral pay scale guidelines, and is commensurate with skills and experience. The University of Colorado offers a full benefits package. Information on University benefits programs, including eligibility, is located at www.cusys.edu/pbs.

APPLICATION:

- Applicants **must apply** through <https://gs.ucdenver.edu/postdocjobs/>
- Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until position is filled with an anticipated start date of July 2022 (or later depending on date of internship completion).
- Required application materials:
 - 1) Cover letter
 - 2) Curriculum vitae
 - 3) Contact information for 3 professional work references

Special Notices to Applicants:

The University of Colorado at Denver is committed to providing a safe and productive learning and living community. To achieve that goal, we conduct background investigations for all final applicants being considered for employment. Background investigations include a criminal history record check, and when appropriate, a financial and/or motor vehicle history.

The Immigration Reform and Control Act require that verification of employment eligibility be documented for all new employees by the end of the third day of work. The University of Colorado strongly supports the principle of diversity. We encourage applications from women, ethnic minorities, persons with disabilities and all veterans. Alternative formats of this ad are available upon request for persons with disabilities.

Please be advised that the University does check references as part of the employment process, and selection committee members may choose to contact work references during the search process other than those listed in your application.

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