

CLINICAL FELLOWSHIPS

Managing more than 3 million patient visits each year, Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC) is one of the largest academic medical centers in the Southeast and is the primary resource for specialty and primary care in hundreds of adult and pediatric specialties for patients throughout Tennessee and the Mid-South. Our programs have a well-deserved national reputation for training superb graduates who are in great demand for positions in both academia and private practice.



Clinical fellowship programs at VUMC feature a diverse and abundant case mix, mentorship from nationally regarded faculty members, and opportunities for clinical research. Fellowship training occurs in state-of-the-art facilities at Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC) and Vanderbilt Medical Laboratories (VML) located in the heart of Nashville, Tennessee.

Vanderbilt University Medical Center (VUMC):

- Part of the 330-acre Vanderbilt University campus in a sophisticated, diverse residential community about 1.5 miles from downtown Nashville
- The capability to run more than 130 tests on campus supports inpatient care, surgeries (including intraoperative consultation), and the adult and pediatric emergency departments.
- Numerous shops and restaurants within easy walking distance
- Summer farmer's market with local and gourmet wares
- Proximity to Vanderbilt University - arboretum, football and basketball stadiums
- Major teaching facility with diverse patient populations, state-of-the art technology, cutting-edge research, and outstanding faculty
- Trainees are learning partners in an organization focused on high quality, compassionate and innovative patient care

Vanderbilt Medical Laboratories (VML) located in Metro Center:

- Vanderbilt's newest, state of the art diagnostic laboratory, comprised of 18 different diagnostic disciplines, where automation is changing the face of the laboratory, reducing errors, and decreasing time to result
- A 110,000-square-foot diagnostic core laboratory equipped with the latest technology and the capacity to support future expansions, that can perform more than 550 tests under one roof
- Located five miles north of the VUMC campus, VML provides clinical, office and collaboration space for faculty, fellows, and residents
- Thoughtful building design including a Wellness room, access to nearby greenway, and abundant natural lighting

As a VUMC Fellow, you will receive access to the following benefits:

- Professional Development funds
- Financial support for travel to present at one meeting
- VUMC provided work laptop and iPhone
- 403 (b) retirement plan with a match (of up to 5%) from VUMC after your first year of employment
- Wellness and personal days
- Sick leave donation program
- Up to 6 weeks of parental leave for birth/adoption (beginning day 1 of employment)
- Tuition benefit for employees
- Guaranteed ride home program
- Supplemental short and long-term disability
- Will prep services (available if you elect Supplemental Life Insurance)
- Personal no-interest loans through Fidelity(available if you contribute voluntary money to your 403(b))
- Interim health insurance before start date
- License exemption while in training
- Back up childcare (through Care.com)
- No state individual income tax in Tennessee and ranked second overall as the state with the lowest tax burden on individual

The Department of Pathology, Microbiology and Immunology offers a variety of post-residency clinical fellowship opportunities. Most fellowships require ACGME-accredited residency training in pathology; however, fellowships in Clinical Microbiology, Clinical Chemistry, and Laboratory Genetics and Genomics (LGG) are available for suitably trained candidates with Ph.D. degrees.

[VIEW A COMPLETE LISTING OF FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS HERE](https://www.vumc.org/pmi-residents/department-pathology-microbiology-and-immunology-clinical-fellowships)



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