

Chief Resident Guide: Supporting Fellowship Application – PGY1

Meet with your program director (PD) to discuss how you can support your residency team to fellowship success.



(1) While constructing their PGY2 schedules, remind residents to start thinking about potential fellowship choices.
(2) If residents are seeking audition rotations at the end of PGY2 year, start discussions with them now.

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(1) Identify which PGY1s are pursuing fellowship and which ones are pursuing employment.
(2) Conduct a research fair to match PGY1s with research opportunities.

Research Fair Recommendations:

(1) Review research opportunities both in and outside of the hospital.
(2) Include research-focused faculty and PDs, information on the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) Human Subjects Research course, and information from the hospital or health system institutional review board (IRB). This should be continued in a residency research curriculum.
(3) Include PGY2s and 3s with active projects that a newer PGY1 can join. Some intentional "matchmaking" by chiefs between PGY1s looking for projects and PGY2s and 3s (and faculty) looking for help with projects should happen at the fair.