2015 - 2016

UAB Pediatric Emergency Medicine

Fellowship Program

Information Booklet
Welcome!

- We’re very glad you’re here! Thank you for your interest in our Fellowship Program.

- Throughout this booklet, we hope you’ll find beneficial information that will help in your fellowship decision.

- If there is something you would like to know that is not included, please email or call us:
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    205-638-6557
    (Contact person)
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13,676 — Inpatient Admissions in 2014 (COA)
380 — Licensed beds (COA)
48 — NICU bassinets
230 — Daily Average Census 2014 (COA)
203 — Pediatric Medical Faculty Members
20 — Pediatric Emergency Medicine Faculty Members
10 — Pediatric Emergency Medicine Fellows
66 — Pediatric House Staff
28 — Scheduled Vacation Days
Top 50 — 2015 U.S. News & World Report Ranking
16 — Med/Peds House Staff
Top 20 — Pediatric Departments in funding by NIH
760,000 sf — The largest single medical facility expansion project in the history of Alabama
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Where Fellows Live
Birmingham Attractions

- SEC Headquarters
- Civil Rights Institute
- DeSoto Caverns
- Oak Mountain State Park
- Barber Motorsports Park
- Workplay Music Theater
- Alabama Sports Hall of Fame
- Birmingham Museum of Art
- McWane Center
- IMAX Theater
- Old Car Heaven
- Birmingham Zoo & Botanical Gardens
- Pepper Place Farmers Market
- Sidewalk Moving Picture Festival
- Birmingham Business Alliance
- Greater Birmingham Convention & Visitors Bureau
- Regions Field (Birmingham Baseball Stadium)
- Iron City Music Venue and Grill
- Alabama Adventure
- Regions Tradition Golf Tournament
- Do Dah Day Festival
- Railroad Park
- Birmingham Barons Baseball Team-Chicago White Sox AA minor league affiliate
- Birmingham Broadway Series
- The Alabama Theater
- Stardome Comedy Club
- Vulcan - Roman mythical god of the forge (tallest cast iron statue in the world)
- Vulcan Aftertunes
- Verizon Wireless Music Center
- Rickwood Field - world's oldest ballpark
- Talladega Super Speedway
**Birmingham Websites**

[http://birminghamal.org/](http://birminghamal.org/) - Website of Greater Birmingham Tourism & Conventions with links to area attractions, events and much more. Also has an app called INBirmingham

[http://www.thingstodoinbirminghamal.com/](http://www.thingstodoinbirminghamal.com/) - This website has everything to do in Birmingham on any given day.

[http://www.birmingham365.org/](http://www.birmingham365.org/) - Everything there is to do in Birmingham including festivals, theatre, music, classes, and sports.

[http://www.alabamatheatre.com/](http://www.alabamatheatre.com/) - Historic Alabama theatre where many performances and movies are shown throughout the year including *Rocky Horror Picture Show* Movie and Costume Party and several Holiday movies shown such as *It’s a Wonderful Life* and *Miracle on 34th Street*.

[http://www.uab.edu/uabmagazine/](http://www.uab.edu/uabmagazine/) - UAB magazine, also has an app for your IPAD called UAB magazine

[http://www.uab.edu/medicine/magazine/](http://www.uab.edu/medicine/magazine/) - UAB’s School of Medicine, a magazine devoted to UAB research in the medical community.

www.artsbma.org - Birmingham Museum of Art- great events like Art on the Rocks and exhibitions including *Warhol and Cars* and *Who Shot Rock and Roll*.

www.bcri.org - Birmingham Civil Rights Institute

[http://www.workplay.com/](http://www.workplay.com/) - Cool venue for several bands


**http://alysstephens.uab.edu/** - Alys Stephens Performing Art Center with several performances throughout the year. This year’s schedule included Anthony Bourdain, Mass Collective, Ledisi, Eric Benet, Martin Short, and the Alabama Orchestra Symphony.

**http://www.mcwane.org/** - McWane Science Center - local science museum with an IMAX theater offers several hands on activities and camps for children.

**http://www.alabamaballet.org/** - Alabama Ballet Company - local ballet with several performances throughout the year including *The Sleeping Beauty* and George Balanchine’s *The Nutcracker.*

**http://railroadpark.org/** - Railroad Park, located on 1st Avenue South between 14th and 18th Streets, is venue that offers recreation and several activities.

**www.barons.com** Birmingham Barons, our minor league baseball team which is an AA affiliate of the Chicago White Sox.

**www.bjcc.org** Birmingham Jefferson Convention Complex holds several events and concerts including Jay-Z, Disney on Ice, Chris Tomlin, Birmingham Home and Garden Show, and America’s Got Talent Live tour.

**http://www.southernuseumofflight.org/** Southern Museum of Flight is one of the largest aviation museums in the Southeast, is dedicated to presenting civilian, military, and experimental aircraft and memorabilia from the earliest history of powered flight.

**http://ashof.org** Alabama Sports Hall of Fame and Museum holds over 5,000 sports artifacts

**www.rickwood.com** Rickwood Field is America’s oldest ballpark. Portions of the movie ‘42’, was filmed here.

**www.visitvulcan.com** Vulcan Park and Museum. Vulcan is the world’s largest cast iron statute.
Johanna Hall, MD – I was born and raised outside Atlanta, Ga and headed to UGA following high school. I am a HUGE Georgia Bulldog fan and attend as many games as possible. I spent several years teaching middle school in Georgia before following my childhood dream to become a “baby doctor.” In my spare time, I travel as far as I can to see the world. Recently, I was able to attend a wedding in Santorini, Greece and spend my birthday exploring Germany.

Shea Duerring, MD – I was born and raised in West Virginia. Before medical school I was a paramedic. I continue to be involved in EMS even to this day. My wife’s name is Emily. We have been together for over 10 years now. We do not have any kids but we have a dog, Jeb, who is spoiled rotten. In my free time I enjoy cooking, eating, running, fishing, shooting, and watching movies. I like country music and my favorite movies are Casablanca and Shooter.

Kim Massey, MD - I am of 1 of 4 children all of which are females. My family has been blessed with 3 amazing nephews that I absolutely adore spending time with. I enjoy reading and spending time with my family. I am an ex-athlete so I enjoy playing softball and basketball although recently, I found a new interest in cycling. You will often find me at a sporting event. I love SEC football, especially the Georgia Bulldogs. Go Dawgs!!

Christine Campbell, MD - I was born and raised in Alabama, but I’ve travelled a good bit. I attended college at Dartmouth, New Hampshire where I learned to love outdoors activities including hiking, kayaking, and skiing. I completed a residency in pediatrics at UAB and am very excited to continue working here as a PEM fellow! I have a son with whom I enjoy weekends at the lake and playing ultimate, among other things.

J. Langston Lee, MD – I was born and raised in Dallas, TX! My wife tells me I can be that annoying Texas guy. My wife and I met at Hendrix College in Conway, AR. This year will be nearly 10 years together. Our son Callahan will be 2 years old this October and we are expecting again. We enjoy exercising, eating Texas BBQ and southern food, baseball, country music, hanging out as a family, and many outdoor things including horseback riding, biking, hiking, and skiing. I love photography and Britney likes cooking/baking for
**Jon Buice, MD** — I was born way down south in Bogota, Colombia; adopted at birth by my awesome parents who brought me up to Georgia when I was just a couple months old. I attended Emory University for undergrad and the Medical College of Georgia for med school. I then moved up to Charlotte, NC for my pediatric residency. I recently married my best friend Becky and we can’t wait to move to Birmingham and try out everything the city has to offer. We’re pretty active and love sports (Go Dawgs!), good food, traveling, live music, and going on adventures!

**Megan Brennard, MD** — I grew up in Gadsden, AL playing softball and cheerleading. I have been in Birmingham since college at Samford University, where I completed a pre-med/music. I played the piano back then, and hope to pick it back up during fellowship :) I attended UAB for medical school and pediatrics residency and am now excited to continue as a fellow here. I met my husband, Josh, in college and we love watching football, going on trail runs with our weimaraner, Benson, and travelling to our family's lake house when we have some free time.

**Kathleen Richard, MD** — I was born and raised in New York, but over the last 10+ years, I have made a slow migration to better weather! While most of my family is still in the Northeast, when I met my husband, Glen in med school at Wake Forest, I agreed to marry him on the condition that he not take me back to a location where several feet of snow is the norm. We had our first child, a son, in June. When I’m not working, I love to run, cook, or do anything outdoors with my husband and our springer spaniel, Gibson.

**Josh Haupt, MD** — I was born in Chicago, but grew up in Ft. Myers, FL. I went to UCF for undergrad where I met my wife, and we continued on together where she completed vet school and I med school at St. George’s. We have one son, Connor, and have been having a ball with him while learning the side of pediatric that is not in the textbooks. We enjoy anything outdoors: hiking, kayaking, camping, hockey, cooking, restaurant hopping and live music.

**Todd Fleenor, MD** — I’m originally from the hills of Franklin, TN where I grew up the oldest of 4. For the first 2 years of med school, I lived on the island of St. Martin before spending my 3rd and 4th years of med school in Long Island, NY and Detroit, MI before coming to UAB for Peds residency where I fell in love with Peds EM. I love traveling to new places and discovering new people and cultures, so when I’m not working, you’ll find me traveling (my favorite places are Northern Ireland and Austria.) I also enjoy hiking, working in my garden, and taste testing Birmingham’s food and craft beer.
The Pediatric Emergency Medicine (PEM) fellowship program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) began its thirty-first year in 2015. Our PEM program was accredited through the American Board of Pediatrics in the fall of 1999. We were last accredited in 2011 and our next visit is set for 2019. Since 1995, we have been dedicated to educating our fellows based on a three year model. The aims of our fellowship program are:

1. To provide a three year curriculum that trains individuals in all aspects of pediatric emergency medicine, including key procedures.
2. Gain broad knowledge and skills in common and uncommon pediatric emergencies as well as gain exposure to adult emergencies.
3. To produce physicians with skills in research and quality improvement strategies to allow them to support ongoing efforts in the field.

To achieve these aims, we emphasize the six core competencies (patient care, medical knowledge, practice based learning, interpersonal skills, professionalism, and systems based practice) and their accompanying 23 PEM specific sub-competencies and milestones. These will be addressed through a variety of activities as described in each of the above sections.

We are a division of the UAB Department of Pediatrics. Currently, there are over 170 full-time faculty in general pediatrics and the subspecialty divisions. The Department of Pediatrics is responsible for more than 160,000 outpatient visits, including over 69,000 emergency department visits. General pediatric and subspecialty faculty manage more than 9,800 inpatient admissions per year. Total inpatient days are in excess of 78,000. The Department of Pediatrics has a major commitment to research and consistently ranks in the top 20 among all departments of pediatrics in the country in NIH funding. The Pediatric Residency Program consistently has a pass rate near 100% for both pediatrics and med peds. Only 16 of 200 (8%) US Pediatric Residency Training Programs have pass rates of 95% or higher. Seven of Children’s of Alabama’s pediatric specialty services were placed among the top programs in the United States by U.S. News and World Report in their 2015 ranking of The Best Children’s Hospitals. The goals of our fellowship program emphasize the six core competencies, patient care, medical knowledge, practice based learning, interpersonal skills, professionalism, and systems based practice. They will be accomplished through a variety of activities as described in each section − Clinical, Teaching, Research and Administrative.

http://medicine.uab.edu/Peds/em/
Below is a skeleton outline of the monthly rotations required for our Pediatric Emergency Medicine fellowship (arranged in no particular order). We strive to be flexible with our scheduling so that we can meet the interests and needs of our fellows.

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ED/research: 75% ED; 25% research *Elective/Research: 50% Research
Note: A significant number of electives in the second and third years should be dedicated to research.

*No Pediatric ED call

! Concentrated ED time 16 shifts/month

Must complete one orthopedics month and two weeks each of Abuse and EMS.

**Suggested Electives:**

(Electives may be taken during ED months or rotations may be arranged for two to four weeks during elective months.)

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<td>PEM Reports</td>
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### Other Pediatric Fellowship Program at UAB:

- Adolescent Medicine
- Cardiology
- Critical Care Medicine
- CVICU
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology
- Hematology/Oncology
- Hospital Medicine
- Infectious Diseases
- Internal Medicine/Pediatrics
- Neonatal-Perinatal Pediatrics
- Nephrology
- Pulmonary
- Rheumatology
- Sleep Medicine
# Conference Schedule Example

**Fellow Conference Schedule**  
**July 2015**  
*(Scheduler: Langston Lee)*

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<td>David Bernard</td>
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<td>Valerie Davis</td>
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<td>Ann Klasner</td>
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<td>Terri Coco</td>
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<td>E. Liebelt, Shea</td>
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<td>Mark Buckmaster</td>
<td>Combined PICU/ED/PHM – Airway Management*</td>
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<td>Dr. Nancy Reichman</td>
<td>Grand Rounds - <em>A Portrait of Child Health in the U.S.</em></td>
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*Residents to attend.  
*PICU conference room  
**Trauma/Resus Bay  
All resident lectures in ED conference room unless otherwise specified  
All book review chapters refer to Fleischer and Ludwig 6th Edition  
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*Off service: Kathleen Richard (Maternity Leave)  
Josh Haupt (Late Start Date)*
Conferences to Attend:
Dedicated Fellows’ Education Day: Thursdays 0800 - 1200
Includes:
  ▪ Guest Lectures (invited speakers) (1-2 times per month)
  ▪ Evidence Based Medicine Conference (2 times per month)
  ▪ Book Review (weekly)
  ▪ Fellows’ Meeting (monthly)
  ▪ Interesting Case Conference (monthly)
  ▪ Toxicology (monthly)
  ▪ Fellows’ Research (four times a year)
  ▪ Radiology Conference (monthly)
  ▪ PICU/PEM Conference (monthly)
  ▪ PEM Journal Club (monthly)
  ▪ Board Prep (monthly)
  ▪ PEM/PHM Conference (six times a year)
  ▪ Patient Safety Series (three times a year)
  ▪ US Conference (three times a year)

Other Available Conferences to Attend:
  ▪ Trauma Conference: Scheduled on Wednesdays at 0800 (morbidity/mortality conference)
  ▪ Morning Resident Conference: Thursdays at 0700
  ▪ Resident Noon Conference: Monday – Wednesday at 1200
  ▪ Pediatric Grand Rounds: Thursdays at 1200 Noon
  ▪ Combined Physiology Conference: Thursdays at 0730.

Required Conferences to Teach
  ▪ Morning PEM Resident Conference - every other month (new conference every six months)
  ▪ Pediatric Emergency Medicine Journal Club
  ▪ Combined PHM/PEM Conference (as a second year fellow)
  ▪ Toxicology Conference - (prepared during toxicology month)
  ▪ EBM (once a year)

[Additional conferences may be requested as needed]

Required Courses:
  ▪ Pediatric Advanced Life Support (provider, instructor)
  ▪ Advanced Trauma Life Support
  ▪ Basic Life Support
  ▪ Medical Director’s Course
  ▪ Mini-Quality Academy

Other Available Courses:
  ▪ Advanced Cardiac Life Support
  ▪ Neonatal Resuscitation Program (neonatal)
  ▪ Advanced Pediatric Life Support

Academic Courses:
  ▪ UAB School of Public Health courses: Clinical Research Training Program (20 hrs.)
A Few of Our Recent and Ongoing Pediatric Research Projects

- **Sunallah R:** Methods of C-spine immobilization and patient positioning during endotracheal intubation of a simulation manikin
- **Smith D:** Efficacy of topical lidocaine to decrease discomfort with intranasal midazolam administration: a double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled trial
- **Ghuge P:** Unintentional Opioid Ingestions Presenting in Pediatric Emergency Department
- **Campbell C:** Evaluating potential variations in triage based on ethnic origin
- **Massey K:** Evaluation of distracted driving behaviors in parents in children in suburban, urban and rural areas in Alabama
- **Duerring S:** Using an Established Simulation Curriculum for EMS
- **Hall J:** Does Utilizing Child Life in the Emergency Department Improve Emotional Responses of Children Undergoing Laceration Repair?
- **Davis V:** Pediatric Emergency Medicine Department Asthma Pathway Effect on Length of Stay
- **Klasner A:** Febrile Sickle Cell Patients, ED Time to Antibiotics
- **Pruitt C:** Herpes Simplex Virus (HSV) Infection in Young Infants
  Concordance of C-Reactive Protein (CRP) and Erythrocyte Sedimentation Rate (ESR) in the Pediatric Emergency Department

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The National Resident Matching Program (NRMP) recommends all applicants review the policies and procedures manual of any institution they are considering listing on their certified rank order list. We have included a copy of our Initial Resident Agreement for 2015-2016 that all incoming residents are required to sign. If you are interested in checking out a complete list of our policies and procedures, please check out the UAB Graduate Medical Education website at:

http://medicine.uab.edu/medicine/home/residents-fellows/future
INITIAL RESIDENT AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into the ___ day of ___ between the Board of Trustees of the University of Alabama on behalf of The University of Alabama Hospital ("Hospital"), and _______ ("Resident"). The Hospital wishes to appoint the Resident as a postgraduate year resident in the _______ Program and Resident wishes to accept such appointment.

Therefore, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Term of Agreement. Unless earlier terminated in accordance with this agreement, the term of the Resident’s appointment is one year commencing on _____ and terminating on ______.

2. Graduate Medical Education Policies and Procedures. Resident has been provided a copy of the UAB Hospital Graduate Medical Education Policies and Procedures. Resident acknowledges receipt of said document as well as having read and understood it. Resident acknowledges and comprehends the guidelines and/or the processes outlined in the GME Policies and Procedures, including, without limitations, those sections regarding resident eligibility and requirements for residency training (Section III.A), resident responsibilities and conditions of appointment (Section V), educational program and faculty responsibilities (Section VII), financial support and benefits (Section IV), ancillary and support services (Section VI), disciplinary procedures (Section X), grievance procedures and due process (Section XI), professional liability insurance (Section IV.F), health and disability insurance (Section IV.E), annual leave (Section IV.G), supervision of residents (Section VIII.C.), duty hours (Section VIII.H), moonlighting (Section VIII.L), counseling services (Section VI.G), physician impairment (Section IX), residency closure/reduction (Section IV.B), restrictive covenants (Section III.C.), and University of Alabama at Birmingham policies on harassment (Appendix 9).

3. ACGME Accreditation Related Activities. In programs accredited by the Accreditation Council for GME (ACGME), resident acknowledges and agrees to maintain compliance with activities related to program accreditation in the time prescribed. These activities include, but are not limited to, completing the ACGME Resident Survey, logging duty hours and completing case logs as requested by the Program Director.

4. Salaries. Salaries are determined each year based on the budget of the Hospital with approval by the Dean’s Council for Graduate Medical Education. Resident shall be paid the salary approved for the appointed postgraduate year, as specified in Section 1 of this agreement, and in accordance with the GME Policies and Procedures, Section IV.D.

5. Physical Examination. Resident understands that failure to complete a health screening examination performed by the Hospital, as outlined in Section V.D. of the GME Policies and Procedures will result in suspension or termination of his/her appointment as a resident.

6. Tobacco-Free Hiring Policy. Resident understands that he/she will not be hired if found to test positive for nicotine use on the pre-employment drug screen performed by the Hospital, as outlined in Section V.E of the GME Policies and Procedures.

7. USMLE/COMLEX Examinations and Alabama Licensure. Resident understands that failure to pass the USMLE or COMLEX examinations and obtain licensure in the State of Alabama, as outlined in Sections V.K, V.L, and V.M of the GME Policies and Procedures, will result in suspension or termination of his/her appointment as a resident.

8. Renewal of Agreement. Resident understands and acknowledges that this agreement expires on the date set forth in Section 1 and that Hospital makes no commitment to renew this agreement. Reappointment and advancement of the Resident is at the discretion of the Program Director in accordance with Section III.F. of the GME Policies and Procedures. If a decision is made by the Hospital not to renew this agreement at the end of its one year term, notice of such nonrenewal shall be made in writing four months in advance of the end of the term in accordance with section III.D of the GME Policies and Procedures. However, if the primary reason for the non-renewal occurs within the four months prior to the end of the agreement, the notice of non-renewal may be sent less than four months in advance of the non-renewal. Any resident receiving notice of intent to not renew his/her contract may request a hearing as outlined in Grievance Procedures, Section XI.C. Any resident receiving notice of intent of non-promotion to the next level of training may request informal adjudication as outlined in Grievance Procedures, Section XI.B. Each Resident who is offered a renewal of this agreement must accept such offer in writing within thirty (30) days of the date shown in the first paragraph of the renewal contract. Likewise, if a decision is made by the Resident not to renew this agreement at the end of its one year term, the resident shall submit notice of such nonrenewal in writing to the Graduate Medical Education Department four months in advance of ______.

9. Termination of Agreement. Hospital may terminate the Resident Agreement, as set forth in the GME Policies and Procedures. If the resident leaves the program, thereby terminating this agreement, the resident will have breached this agreement. In the event of such breach, resident understands and agrees to the following: 1) the Hospital will report the resident’s breach of the agreement to the National Resident Matching Program, if applicable, and, 2) the Program Director and the Hospital will include the fact of the resident’s breach in any reference letters.

10. Acceptance. This agreement shall not be effective and shall not bind either party unless it is submitted to Hospital within sixty (60) days of the date shown in the first paragraph of this agreement and accepted by the Hospital by signature below.

THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA HOSPITAL:

By: ________________________________
Gustavo Heudemert, MD-Designated Institutional Official
Date: ______________________, 20____

By: ________________________________
Program Director
Date: ______________________, 20____

Resident:

By: ________________________________
Date: ______________________, 20____
### Salary

- PGY-4 $54,590
- PGY-5 $55,273
- PGY-6 $57,173

* Stipends are reviewed annually in accordance with those of the Council of Teaching Hospitals.

### Benefits

- **At no cost:**
  - Professional liability insurance
  - Group term life insurance
  - Long-term disability insurance
  - Accidental death and dismemberment insurance
  - Pagers
  - Photocopying/faxing privileges
  - Medline database
  - Counseling services through the UAB Faculty and Staff Assistance Program
  - Three weeks off/year
  - Family leave

### Miscellaneous

- Financial support for presentation at a scientific meeting
- Conference travel allowance
- Financial support for travel to fellows meeting
- Financial support for international rotation
- On-site Medical Library
- Medical license reimbursement
- PALS, ATLS Courses
- Yearly in-service exam

### Other benefits:

- Health insurance plans for residents, spouses and dependent children provided at favorable rates
- Dental insurance at favorable rates
- Hospital Parking at favorable rates
- Campus Recreation Center
- Onsite Childcare
UNIVERSITY PAID INSURANCE

1. Group Term Life Insurance
   Coverage varies with salary as indicated.
   No cost to employee.
   ANNUAL SALARY: $24,000-29,999 COVERAGE: $37,500
   $30,000-39,999 COVERAGE: $50,000
   $40,000 and above, 125% of salary with a maximum insurance coverage of $300,000.

2. Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance
   No cost to employee.
   $22,500 for accidental death

3. Long-Term Disability Insurance (Salary Continuation)
   After a 90-day waiting period, 66 2/3% month salary (not to exceed $10,000 per month) for the first 90 days.
   The benefit is then reduced to 60%. No cost to employee.

HEALTH CARE PLANS:
Some form of health insurance coverage is mandatory. Proof of insurance is required if the University's VivaUAB, VivaAccess, or Blue Cross are not elected.

VivaUAB, VivaAccess, or Blue Cross monthly deductions:

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Coverage under UAB's group health care plans must begin on either the date of employment or the first day of the month following date of employment.

VOLUNTARY BENEFITS:

1. MetLife Dental Plans
   Basic Option: Single Coverage - $18.08 month, Family Coverage - $46.26/month
   Comprehensive Option: Single Coverage - $34.42, Family Coverage - $87.84
   (See UAB Employee Handbook for more information)

2. UAB Select: Flexible Spending Accounts - Pretax reimbursement for eligible medical and dependent care
   Up to $2500 per year in a health care account. For dependent care accounts, you can set aside $5000 or $2500 for married taxpayers filing separate returns.

3. Voluntary Life Insurance
   Maximum Coverage: Up to 5 times your salary, not to exceed $1.4 million.
   Guaranteed Issue: 3 times your salary or $500,000; elected during the first 60 days of employment without evidence of insurability.

4. Voluntary Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance
   Maximum Coverage: $500,000

OTHER BENEFITS:

1. Social Security taxes and benefits established by the U.S. Government.
2. Unemployment Compensation Insurance paid entirely by the University.
3. On-the-Job Injury/Illness Program paid entirely by the University.

This information is a brief summary of benefits for general purposes only.
Please refer to the UAB School of Medicine website for additional information (http://medicine/home/)
Graduating Fellows’
Favorite Things about UAB Pediatric Fellowship Training Program

- Dr. Glaeser – very supportive Division Director
- Faculty very approachable, dedicated
- Large volume and patient diversity
- Patient workload (enough volume, not too much scutwork)
- Fellow residents
- Support and ancillary staff
- Quality of Attending Physicians
- Simulation
- Active, involved mentors
- Excellent, comprehensive clinical experience
- Moonlighting opportunities
- Nursing/RT/Pharmacy Staff
- Affordability of living in Birmingham
- Support from Mackenzie, Virginia, Megan, & Jackie (coordinators)
- Vacation/Program Perks/Benefits
- Wonderful and supportive Program Director
- Prepares fellows to handle emergencies well
- Willingness of administration to alter program to meet fellows’ needs
- Dedication to giving the best care
- Phenomenal teaching staff
- Prepares fellows to recognize a sick child quickly
- Wireless technology for all fellows
- Social Events
- Support from other fellows, Division Director, and attending's
- Team-oriented, supportive culture, and overall positive work environment
- The people, the people, the people
- Autonomy
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