Acceptance depends on completion of all requirements and availability of space. Due to our limited space, applications should be received in our office, at least, nine to twelve months in advance. Our office will provide application deadlines.

An administrative fee is charged to all applicants accepted in the Program. Payment may be made by a United States Bank, money order, cashier’s check, or a check from a bank in the applicant’s country in US funds.

RECIPIENCY

It is recognized that there are many opportunities for the Faculty of the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine to learn from their Latin American colleagues. Exchanges have been of great value to the faculty here and have enhanced our knowledge and research productivity. We welcome reciprocity with medical schools in Latin America.

ASSISTANCE

Although we are unable to provide travel, housing or financial aid, our office staff will do everything possible to be of assistance in these and any other matters. Per diem support (e.g., for room, meals, laundry) has been provided, at times, by the physician’s academic institution or sponsoring organization. In some instances, travel expenses have been given by various agencies, such as Partners of the Americas, Fogarty International, the Kellogg Foundation or the governments of the respective countries.

The following Departments participate in our Elective and Medical Student Programs:

- Anesthesiology
- Oncology
- Dermatology
- Pathology
- Family Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Internal Medicine
- Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation
- Neurosurgery
- Psychiatry
- Radiology
- Nuclear Medicine
- Radiation Oncology
- Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Urology
- Ophthalmology
- Orthopedics

MEDICAL STUDENT PROGRAM

We accept medical students into our clinical electives in general medicine, its subspecialties and in other areas of medicine depending on availability of space. Most students come from three to six months and are assigned to our teaching units with our own students. Participation in our teaching units include attendance to morning rounds, clinics, case presentations, lectures and seminars. To be accommodated, the students are scheduled as to not to dilute the learning experiences of our own students. For a worthwhile experience, the specific program for each student is scheduled according to the availability of space in the area requested. Our faculty and staff evaluate the students at the end of each rotation to monitor their progress.

This Program is in effect twelve months of the year. Participants travel on a B1/B2 visa.

REQUIREMENTS

1. Proof of having passed the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with a minimum score of 79-89 in the iBT (Internet Based Test) or a minimum score of 550 in the paper written test. For information on TOEFL in your country, contact TOEFL at www.toefl.org. The day of the test request your scores to be sent to us directly.
2. Personal interview and recommendation, in writing, from one of our Voluntary Faculty in the applicant’s country.
3. Recommendation, in writing, from the Director of Medical Curriculum, Director of Clinical Rotations, or the Chairman of the Department of Medicine of the applicant’s medical school.
4. Recommendation, in writing, from the Dean of the applicant’s medical school. Letter must include approval of medical clerkship and length of time in each, as requested by the applicant.
5. Original medical school transcript from the beginning of the medical career to present date.
6. Curriculum Vitae, in English, including list of publications.
7. A 300 word essay, in English, describing the applicant’s long term plans in the medical profession. Where plans to train and where plans to practice medicine upon completion of training.
8. Submission of a completed application.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Send application to:

The William J. Harrington Medical Training Programs For Latin America and the Caribbean (R-36)
Miller School of Medicine
University of Miami
P.O. Box 130760
Miami, Florida 33101, USA

Telephone: 305-243-6826
Fax: 305-243-6830

Residency Program inquiries: barbaraeberto@miami.edu
O. Lina Navarro@miami.edu

Elective Program for Latin American Physicians
Medical Student Program
linanavarro@miami.edu
equipo1@mdmiami.edu

Streeter address
Jackson Medical Towers
1550 N.W. 12th Avenue
East Building – Room 800
Miami, Florida 33136

Use our street address for messenger/courier mail

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The WILLIAM J. HARRINGTON Medical Training Programs For Latin America and the Caribbean

MISSION STATEMENT

The William J. Harrington Medical Training Programs for Latin America at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine are an extension of the age-old tradition of providing state-of-the-art medical education to students and physicians from Latin American countries: Mexico, Central, South America and the Caribbean. Dr. William J. Harrington, Sr. felt a sense of responsibility to develop a program in which highly selected physicians and students from Latin America and the Caribbean would come to our institution for training, then return home to influence their medical communities through education and leadership.

Our Program comprises the Residency Program in Internal Medicine, Elective Program for Latin American Physicians and the Medical Student Program.

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The Department of Medicine is responsible for the educational program of residencies to Latin American and Caribbean medical graduates through our Program. Our residency training for Latin American physicians, is part of the Joint Program in General Medicine Residency Training in Internal Medicine. We offer twelve categorical positions to Latin American physicians who have a medical degree from a Latin American university. Completing a residency is a traditional three-year curriculum. Residents progressively assume more responsibility through training and, upon completion, are fully prepared for practice or subspecialty training.

Training in Internal Medicine is supervised by 253 full-time and many part-time physicians. Our faculty and subspecialty services are represented by full-time faculty members, subspecialty fellows, fellows, funded by the Department of Medicine. Faculty and fellows conduct regular ward rounds and conferences, and are available for consultation.

The PGY-2 program is designed to be a one-year stage of training. During this year, a PGY-3 resident will be assigned to General Medicine Intensive Care Unit, Emergency Room and/or Critical Care Unit, and interdepartmental consultations. Electives include all medical subspecialties (cardiology, neurology, dermatology, etc.). The PGY-3 resident typically will be the team leader on a ward team for two months and will have five months of total primary care and several months of electives. One month is spent on the Medical Consultation Service, Emergency Room, and continues rotations in the Medical Intensive Care Unit and Coronary Care Unit. One month of vacation is allowed each year.

Salary information may be obtained through the website: www.mmm.org./HJS/jackson.html

For opportunities in research, it is advisable to search through the University of Miami website www.miami.edu for the area of interest. Once the area is identified, the Program will be pleased to assist in the application process for acceptance.

Residency Program in Internal Medicine

**Training Year:** June 24 to June 23

Interns are provided with a comprehensive orientation to the practice of internal medicine. They participate in daily ward rounds, conferences, and other educational activities. The internship is designed to prepare interns for independent practice or further training.

**Requirements:**

1. Have an outstanding medical school record.
2. Speak fluent English
3. Be enrolled in the Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS), have submitted your application to the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, and indicate the Miami-Jackson Internal Medicine Residency Program.
5. Have a minimum 550 in the paper based rest. For information on the TOEFL, contact the TOEFL office at ETS.
6. The day of the interview will be a day on your schedule. It will be on a day of your choice.
7. Curriculum Vitae, in English, including list of publications.
8. Letter of recommendation from the Dean of the applicant’s medical school.
9. Submission of an application.
10. Letter of recommendation from a Voluntary Faculty in the applicant’s home country.
11. Submission of Program completed application by December 15. Application is required by November 15 to aid in scheduling interviews.

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**Rounds and Conferences:**

The departments conference schedule includes faculty resident in general medicine conferences and conferences with other departments.

**Subspecialty Training:**

The subspecialty programs are supervised by full-time section chiefs and other full-time faculty. In addition to residencies rotating through these programs, each has its own fellows. Each section offers options in clinical and research training with regularly scheduled conferences, journal clubs, ward consultations, conferences, and basic investigation.

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**Requirements:**

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3. Be enrolled in the United States Medical Licensing Examinations (USMLE) and Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS).
5. Be enrolled in the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.
6. Letter of recommendation from a Voluntary Faculty in the applicant’s home country.
7. Curriculum Vitae, in English, including list of publications.
8. A 300 word essay, in English, describing future plans in medical education.

**Application Process:**

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**Participation:**

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1. Have an outstanding medical school record.
2. Speak fluent English
3. Be enrolled in the United States Medical Licensing Examinations (USMLE) and Step 2 Clinical Knowledge (CK) and Step 2 Clinical Skills (CS)
4. Be enrolled in the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.
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