



Letter From the Clinical Informatics Fellowship Program Director



On behalf of Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, I am pleased to welcome applicants to our Clinical Informatics Fellowship, one of the first ACGME-accredited programs of its kind. CHOP is the oldest pediatric hospital in the United States and consistently [ranks among the best](#). The depth and rigor of fellowship training at CHOP attracts talented physicians in every specialty from around the world. We offer a supportive environment for both clinical and academic work, including cutting-edge research through [CHOP's Research Institute](#).

Clinical informaticians transform healthcare practices by harnessing the power of data and technology to optimize workflow, improve clinical processes, support clinical decision-making, and enhance patient outcomes. Here at CHOP, fellows have the unique opportunity to experience the "practice" of clinical informatics by actively participating as members of informatics teams, including focused informatics rotational experiences in inpatient, ambulatory, emergency, and other care settings. They work closely with distinguished board-certified faculty on groundbreaking projects during rotations in clinical decision support, data analytics/science, and innovation. [Graduates of our fellowship](#) have not only gone on to exemplary careers in academia, but have also ventured into research and entrepreneurial opportunities.

Our program includes didactic and clinical rotational training. Fellows complete a Master's Certificate in Informatics from the University of Pennsylvania and have ample mentored opportunities to pursue research and scholarly activities. External rotations at Penn and other national/international institutions are also available. Upon successful completion of the program, fellows are prepared for board certification in the clinical informatics subspecialty. We recognize that while the core principles of clinical informatics span all clinical disciplines, the practice of informatics can vary in some settings. We have therefore created a specialized concentration for pathology informatics to promote differentiation within the core curricular framework. [Contact me](#) for more information.

I look forward to hearing from you and sharing how the Clinical Informatics Fellowship at CHOP can provide training for your successful career as a practicing informatician, leader, and innovator in academic, healthcare, and industry settings.

Sincerely,

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