

Foundations of Health Services Research Summer Program

Monday, July 28 to Friday, August 15, 2025

Cleveland, Ohio



Program Overview

The Foundations of Health Services Research summer program aims to provide early-career physicians and clinicians with knowledge and skills for conducting health services research. The primary goal of this three-week intensive, fast-paced, in-person program is to provide learners with the fundamentals of health services research methodology as well as broad skills for pursuing innovative, transdisciplinary and team science in a mentored research environment.

Program Curriculum

1. Core modules in biostatistics and epidemiology
2. Specialist modules in dissemination and implementation science, health disparities and inequities, and healthcare quality and safety
3. Methodology workshops in administrative dataset analysis, economic evaluation, knowledge translation, meta-analysis, mixed methods, qualitative methods and spatial analysis
4. Career development seminars
5. Research proposal presentations

Program Eligibility

Senior clinical fellows and early-career faculty with high potential and commitment to health services research affiliated with a clinical academic department.

Early-career faculty refers to instructor or assistant professor engaged in education, research or clinical care and is within the first seven years of faculty appointment.

Important Dates

Applications Open: Monday, March 24, 2025

Applications Deadline: Monday, May 5, 2025

Accepted Applicants Announced: Monday, May 19, 2025

Last Day to Withdrawal: Monday, June 9, 2025

Waitlisted Applicant Outcomes: Monday, June 16, 2025

Program Duration: Monday, July 28 to Friday, August 15, 2025

Graduation Ceremony: Friday, August 15, 2025

Program Application

Please email the following application materials by 11:59 p.m., Monday, May 5, 2025, in a single PDF to

UHREInstitute@UHhospitals.org

1. Curriculum Vitae (fellow) / Curriculum Vitae and NIH Biosketch (early-career faculty)
2. Statement of purpose (in 125 words describe the motivation for applying to this program)
3. Two specific research aims with hypotheses of interest
4. Letter of support from a primary research mentor with a description of the mentoring plan

Program Tuition

The tuition for the entire program is \$9,000. This does not include airfare, accommodations or meals. Qualified applicants will receive limited tuition assistance based on their needs. To be considered for tuition assistance, please include with your application materials a brief statement of up to 125 words explaining your need for financial assistance.

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