

CHILD & ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY SUBSPECIALTY RESIDENCY PROGRAMS IN CANADA

University of Calgary, Calgary

Thank you for considering Child and Adolescent Psychiatry subspecialty training at the University of Calgary! We have a strong program that has consistently graduated Child and Adolescent psychiatrists of the highest caliber. The University of Calgary is in a strong position to support its trainees with over 40 Child and Adolescent Psychiatrists on faculty. We have an excellent centralized intake system which accepts thousands of referrals each year into a variety of practice settings across the spectrum of need. There are excellent opportunities for research with solid administrative support for teaching and educational placements.

We pride ourselves on providing a variety of rotation options that balance meeting Royal College requirements laid out in Competence by Design while allowing trainees flexibility to explore their interests. Our goal is to help trainees to develop personally and professionally by offering a wide spectrum of training opportunities within a small, close-knit program. Rotation options include inpatient care at any of our four different units as well as ambulatory clinics and community sites, including with our community partners Hull Services and Woods Homes. Eating Disorders, Child Development, Child Welfare, Forensic Psychiatry, Family Therapy, Neuropsychiatry, and School-based consultations are just a few examples of electives that are available. Many residents have also created their own electives in collaboration with the program, including Addictions and Rural mental health.

Wellness is a cornerstone of the program. Residents have protected academic half days every week and reduced call requirements as they progress in CAP training. There is a book fund to be used to offset the cost of learning materials and help pay for conferences and other learning opportunities. Trainees are encouraged to maintain a healthy work-life balance and avail themselves of the many amazing restaurants, events and natural wonders that this city and the surrounding area has to offer! We hope you will consider applying to our program. Please feel free to contact us if you require additional information.

Policies Regarding International Medical Graduate (IMG) Applicants (including return of service requirements and funding arrangements)

The University of Calgary CAP subspecialty training program accepts IMG applicants provided that they are completing or have completed General Psychiatry training at a RCPSC accredited Canadian residency program.

Number of Positions Offered Per Year: Three (3)

Special Application Requirements: Please adhere to standard application requirements listed above

1. *2 reference letters are required
2. Residency rotations to date

Note: Competence Committee Report/Summary may be requested from Program Director

Link to Website

<https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/departments/psychiatry/education/subspecialty-programs/child-and-adolescent>

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