

One-year Clinical Fellowship in Pediatric Palliative Medicine in Hyderabad

The Fellowship Program

Palliative care for children seeks to assess and relieve physical, psychosocial, and spiritual suffering for children with life-threatening or life-limiting conditions, focussing on enhancing quality of life for the child and their family. More than 4 million children in India need palliative care each year.

Fellowship Vision:

- To deliver high quality specialist-level training in pediatric palliative medicine, which will train and equip physicians to become future leaders in children's palliative care in India and across South Asia

Eligibility Criteria

Post-graduate (MD/DCH/DNB) degree, preference will be given to those whose degree is in Pediatrics. Candidates with another clinical specialty, need to clearly mention in their statement of interest how their previous work and experience would ensure that they have sufficient knowledge of pediatrics to complete this fellowship.

Deadline & Fees

Deadlines for July 2023 intake:

Last date to submit applications: May 14, 2023

Fellowship dates: July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024

Deadlines for Jan 2024:

Last date to submit applications: Nov 1, 2023

Fellowship Dates: Jan 8, 2024 - Jan 4, 2025

Fellow's Monthly Stipend to be provided for duration of fellowship

Course fee: 30 000 INR.

Candidates with financial hardship are encouraged to apply for course scholarship (separate application available upon request)

To request an application or for further information, contact:

Fellowship Program Coordinator by Email: ppcecho@gmail.com



The Training Program:

- ❑ 1-year clinical fellowship training at Hyderabad
- ❑ Includes 12 months of clinical training rotations at prominent regional cancer and pediatric hospitals, home care and hospice facilities for pediatric palliative care
- ❑ Specialist-level teaching from a diverse teaching faculty including national and international experts and leaders
- ❑ International mentorship to complete a research or quality improvement project.
- ❑ Networking and collaboration with pediatric palliative medicine specialists and experts from across South and Southeast Asia.
- ❑ Trainees will acquire the medical knowledge, clinical skills, and professional attitudes needed to provide exemplary palliative care for children with a diverse range of life-threatening and life-threatening illness and their families.