

Oregon Health & Science University

Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery Fellowship

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Description: The goal of our fellowship is to produce academic practitioners in female pelvic medicine and reconstructive surgery, and to encourage fellows to enter academic medicine by providing them with the breadth and depth of clinical and scientific knowledge.

The strengths of this program include:

- Clinical exposure to the complete battery of diagnostic and therapeutic options for women with pelvic floor disorders
- Multidisciplinary environment with faculty in urology, colon and rectal surgery, neurology, gastroenterology, radiology, and physical therapy
- Opportunity for involvement in NIH-funded pelvic floor research. Requirement to participate in Human Investigations Program (a 2-year, NIH-sponsored, clinical research curriculum, with the opportunity to obtain a Master's degree in clinical research)

Other Degrees or Curricula Offered: Fellows will be expected to complete a 2 year course in Human Investigations (NIH K-30 sponsored course) to aid in their understanding of research and literature review.

Requirements: Completed an approved OB/Gyn Residency program and the ability to become licensed to practice in the state of Oregon.

Program Length: 3 years

Number of Fellows: One

Fellowship Program Director: Sara Cichowski, M.D.

Urogynecology Faculty: W. Thomas Gregory, M.D.; S. Renee Edwards, M.D., M.B.A.; Jacquia De La Cruz, M.D.; Ian Fields, M.D., M.C.R.; Blake Osmundsen, M.D.

Application Process: ERAS