

Fellowship Application & Matriculation Requirements

Department of Emergency Medicine
Georgetown / MedStar EM Fellowship Programs

Application Requirements for Fellowships Based in the Department of Emergency Medicine

- Letter of Interest in the Fellowship Program (cover letter or personal statement)
- 3 letters of recommendation (one of which MUST come from the candidate's Residency Program Director)
- Current *Curriculum Vitae*
- Copy of USMLE Transcript
- *Additional requirements as specified by the fellowship program (see respective fellowship program webpage for details)*

Applicants Selected to Interview for Fellowship Position

For applicants who are selected to interview, the following additional items are required:

- Copy of Original Medical School Dean's Letter
- Copy of Original Medical School Transcript
- Verification of Graduation from Medical School (Copy of Diploma)

Requirements for Clinical Work in the ED Related to Fellowship Program

All fellowship programs in the Department of Emergency Medicine include a component of clinical work in the ED as an independent practitioner. As such, the following qualifications are **required** prior to entry into a Georgetown / MedStar EM-based fellowship program:

- Successful completion of an ACGME or AOA accredited Emergency Medicine Residency Training Program
- Board Certification (or active participation in the examination process leading to certification) through the American Board of Emergency Medicine (ABEM) or the American Osteopathic Board of Emergency Medicine (AOBEM)
- Ability to obtain full medical licensure in the District of Columbia and State of Maryland (as well as other jurisdictions, as applicable, based on sites of clinical activities for the fellowship)
- Ability to be credentialed as an ED attending physician at MedStar Emergency Physicians for clinical work in the ED as an independent practitioner related to the fellowship program.

MedStar Health Work Authorization & Visa Information

MedStar Health is committed to employing United States citizens as well as non-citizens who are legally authorized to work in the United States on a full-time basis. MedStar Health does not discriminate on the basis of citizenship or national origin.

In compliance with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, each new fellow, as a condition of employment, must complete the Employment Eligibility Verification Form (Form I-9) and present documentation establishing identity and employment eligibility.

MedStar Health Graduate Medical Education sponsors **J-1 visas** for its eligible, employed house staff.