

Brown University Program  
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Specialty: Hematology and Oncology (IM)

#### Basic information

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Accredited length of training	3
Required length	3
Accepting applications for training that begins in 2014-2015	Yes
Will be accepting applications for training that begins in 2015-2016	Yes
Program start dates	July
Participates in ERAS	Yes
Affiliated with U.S. government	No

#### Institution list

Sponsor: [Rhode Island Hospital-Lifespan - Providence, RI](#)  
Participant: [Miriam Hospital-Lifespan - Providence, RI](#)  
Participant: [UMass Memorial Health Care \(University Campus\) - Worcester, MA](#)  
Participant: [Veterans Affairs Medical Center \(Providence\) - Providence, RI](#)  
Participant: [Memorial Hospital of Rhode Island - Pawtucket, RI](#)

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## General Information

### Total program size

Year	Positions
1	3
2	4
3	3

Primary teaching site	Rhode Island Hospital-Lifespan
Primary teaching site uses electronic medical records	Yes
Program best described as	University-based
Requires previous GME	Yes, 3 years
Offers preliminary positions	No
Participates in the Main Match of the National Resident Matching Program (NRMP)	No Code(s):
Participates in the Advanced or Fellowship Match of the National Resident Matching Program (NRMP)	Yes Code(s): 1677155F0,
Participant in San Francisco match	No
Participant in another matching program	No
Interviews conducted last year for first year positions	24
Required letters of recommendation	3
Latest date for applications for 2014-2015	08/31/2013
Interview period	09/01/2013-- 10/15/2013
Earliest date for applications for 2015-2016	07/01/2014
Latest date for applications for 2015-2016	08/31/2014
Interview period	09/01/2014-- 10/15/2014

### USMLE Step 1 and Step 2 requirements for interview consideration

Step 1 required	Minimum score	Step 2 required	Minimum score
Yes	180	Yes	180

IMGs should have, among other qualifications, one or more of the following. Contact the program for additional information.

Current ECFMG certification	Yes
US citizenship	Yes
US permanent resident	Yes
J-1 visa	Yes
H1-B visa	Yes
F-1 visa	No Answer
Unrestricted state medical license for this state	No Answer

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### Program Faculty

Faculty type	Physician	Non-physician
Full-time paid	26	6
Part-time paid	0	0
Total	26	6

Percentage of full-time paid female physician faculty

50.0%

Ratio of full-time equivalent paid faculty to positions

2.6 to 1

### Work schedule

Avg. hrs/wk on duty during first year (excluding beeper call)	42
Maximum consecutive hours on duty during first year (excluding beeper call)	14
Average number of 24-hour off duty periods per week during first year	2.0
Program allows moonlighting	Yes
Night float system	No
Offers awareness and management of fatigue in residents/fellows	Yes

### Call schedule

Year	Most taxing schedule and frequency per year	Beeper or home call (weeks/year)
1	Every fourth night for 12 month(s)	13
2	Every fifth night for 12 month(s)	11
3	Every sixth night for 12 month(s)	6

NA=Not Applicable  
NGO = Negotiable  
OTH = Other

## Educational Environment

Educational setting	Year 1
Avg. hours/week of regularly scheduled lectures/conferences	5
Training at hospital outpatient clinics	30.0%
Training in ambulatory non-hospital community-based settings, e.g., physician offices, community clinics	NA

### Educational benefits

Physician impairment prevention curriculum	Yes
Integrative medicine curriculum	No
Debt management/financial counseling	No
Formal program to develop teaching skills	Yes
Formal mentoring program	Yes
Formal program to foster interdisciplinary teamwork	Yes
Continuous quality improvement training	Yes
International experience	Yes
Resident/fellow retreats	Yes
Off-campus electives	Yes
Hospice/home care experience	Yes
Cultural competence awareness	Yes
Instruction in medical Spanish or other non-English language	Yes
Alternative/complementary medicine curriculum	Yes
Economics of health care systems curriculum	Yes
MPH/MBA or PhD training	Yes
Research rotation	Required (NGO wks)

### Educational features

Offers additional training or educational experience beyond accredited length	No
Offers a primary care track	No
Offers a rural track	No
Offers a women's health track	No
Offers a hospitalist track	No
Offers a research track/nonaccredited fellowship	No
Offers another track	No

### Resident evaluation

Yearly specialty in-service examination required	Yes
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Patient surveys	Yes
Portfolio system	Yes
360 degree evaluations	Yes
Objective structured clinical examinations (OSCE)	No



**Program evaluation**

Program graduation rates	Yes
Resident assessment of curriculum	No
In-training examination scores	Yes
Performance-based assessment scores (eg, OSCE)	No

## Employment Policies and Benefits

Part-time/shared positions	No
On-site child care	No
Subsidized child care	No
Allowance/stipend for professional expenses	Yes
Leave for educational meetings/conferences	Yes
Moving allowance	No
Housing stipend	No
On-call meal allowance	No
Free parking	Yes
PDA's	No
Placement assistance upon completion of program	No
Cross coverage in case of illness/disability	Yes

### Compensation and leave

Grad year	Salary compensation	Vacation weeks	Sick days
4	\$60,650	4	--
5	\$64,298	4	--
6	\$68,159	4	--

NGO = Negotiable

Maximum number of paid days for family/medical leave	30
Maximum number of unpaid days for family/medical leave	60

### Major medical benefits

Major medical insurance for residents	Resident shares cost
Major medical insurance for dependents	Resident shares cost
Outpatient mental health insurance	Resident shares cost
Inpatient mental health insurance	Resident shares cost
Group life insurance	Resident shares cost
Dental insurance	Resident shares cost
Disability insurance	Resident shares cost
Disability insurance for occupationally-acquired HIV	Available not paid
Medical insurance coverage begins	When resident/fellow starts program

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