

UPMC Italy

Call for applications for the following *fixed-term* position:

1 Pediatrics Fellow (Ref. FellowPedia/18 TD)

UPMC Italy offers professional opportunities in an international and multicultural setting at the Istituto Mediterraneo per i Trapianti e Terapie ad Alta Specializzazione (IRCCS-ISMETT), a state-of-the-art and one of the most technologically-advanced hospitals in Italy, managed by the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center (UPMC), Civic Hospital, and Ri.MED Foundation.

We are seeking young newly-specialized physicians interested in embarking on a paid training program period in the field of pediatrics.

The fellowship consists of a full-time two-year work contract, provides for an initial selection and periodical assessments.

The Pediatric Fellow will work with the other physicians involved in the pediatric program. He/she will be involved in the general pediatrics outpatient clinic activities, and in the management of a pediatric hepato-gastroenterology specialty outpatient clinic, with special focus on issues related to rare autoimmune hepato-gastroenterology diseases, abdominal organ transplantation, and immunosuppression programs. In addition to the outpatient activities, the Fellow will work in the inpatient unit managing medical and surgical patients, in collaboration with the surgeons.

Requisites:

- Degree in Medicine and Surgery recognized in Italy or equivalent title under the current regulations.
- Postgraduate diploma in Pediatrics or equivalent title under the current regulations.
- Enrollment in the professional board.

Additional requisites: previous training/professional experience in nephrology and hepatology units, management of patients with rare diseases, English proficiency, knowledge of main computer applications, and strong inclination for scientific and research activities.

Preferential qualifications:

- Documented training/professional experience in pediatric nephrology.
- Previous training/professional experience in other pediatric transplant centers in Europe or U.S.A.
- Scientific production rated with the H-index.

Strong motivation, flexibility, stress management, problem solving, ability to identify priorities and goals, teamwork and interpersonal skills complete the profile.

The workplace is **Palermo**.

UPMC Italy reserves any and wider sole right of discretion in assessing the candidates and the eligibility of the applications.

Only applicants who are not in the conditions defined by paragraph 16-ter, article 53 of legislative decree 165/2001 and subsequent modifications and amendments may attend this selection (General Rules Governing the Work of Public Administrations <http://www.upmcitaly.it/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/Art.pdf>).

After reading the privacy statement and authorizing personal data processing, candidates of either sex (Legislative Decree 196/2003) are requested to submit their on-line application stating the reference code at <http://selezioni.upmcitaly.it>. When filling out the on-line application form, candidates will be requested to attach their CV. Candidates are also requested to enclose a motivation letter and a list of their scientific publications. At the end of the on-line process, applicants will be requested to state, by means of self-declaration, that they possess the requirements listed under this call for applications.

All communications from UPMC Italy will be e-mailed to the address stated by the candidate upon submitting his/her application.

The deadline to submit applications is **February 7th, 2018**.

Only applications submitted on-line and that include a CV (<http://selezioni.upmcitaly.it>) will be taken into consideration.

All applicants are obliged, at any time during the selection process, and if requested by UPMC Italy, to provide the documentation certifying the stated possession of the requisites within the requested deadline. Should any preliminary verification show a discrepancy with any statement of the applicant, the latter will be excluded from the selection process and any negotiation deemed permanently suspended.

Personal data included in the CV will be processed by UPMC Italy and IRCCS-ISMETT for selections for this or other similar positions. Candidates are requested to not include sensitive data (e.g. health status) unless strictly necessary. Detailed information also with reference to data storage times and rights recognized under Decree 196/2003, are available at www.upmcitaly.it and www.ismett.edu in the "Job Opportunities" section.