

Department of Sleep Disorders Medicine

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The Sleep Disorders and Research Center of the Henry Ford Health System is pleased to offer a two-year fellowship in clinical sleep research. The successful candidate will be closely involved in 2 multi-year NIH funded sleep-research grants (insomnia pathophysiology and treatment), including providing standardized clinical services to participants in the research protocol. Other potential projects for independent research include circadian rhythms in shift workers. Opportunities for accrual of post-doctoral clinical hours for licensing will be readily available, including supervised clinical training sufficient for license eligibility and the licensure examination process (EPPP).

Qualifications include a doctoral degree in clinical psychology (PhD) or a related-field (experimental or health psychology, neuroscience, biology, psychiatry). Highly qualified applicants should have experience in managing research protocols and scientific writing. Exposure to or specialization in sleep medicine is helpful, but not necessary.

The Sleep Center will provide all professional and clinical training in sleep medicine. Opportunities include interdisciplinary mentorship, seminars/journal clubs, advanced coursework (if desired), and support for regular attendance at national and international meetings. Other expectations of this position are manuscript preparation and research presentations at national sleep meetings. Mentorship will also be available for developing an independent line of research related to work at the sleep laboratory/clinic.

The Henry Ford Hospital Sleep Disorders and Research Center includes full-time NIH funded investigators and multiple sleep medicine clinicians (psychologists, psychiatrists, pulmonologists, and a neurologist). Our group consists of very collegial, productive clinical scientists who are national experts in the field of sleep research. Our main areas of research focus include behavioral treatment of insomnia, excessive sleepiness, pharmacology and shift work disorder/circadian rhythms.

Salary and full benefits are provided. <u>Start-up seed funding</u> for research is available in the amount of \$10,000 for discretionary spending on an initial research project for the first year. This can be increased up to \$30,000 with satisfactory progress during the second year of the training period.

We will begin reviewing applications immediately and continue until the position is filled. Interested candidates should send a resume and brief letter of interest to Dr. Philip Cheng.

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