

Obesity Medicine Research Fellowship

Wake Forest Baptist Health/Weight Management Center is currently offering a one-year obesity medicine research fellowship with immediate placement available for the 2021-2022 academic year.

The fellowship consists of 75% research effort and 25% clinical effort. The research time includes work on multiple clinical trials focused on medical obesity treatment and type 2 diabetes, including protocol oversight, patient care and medical monitoring, data analysis, and manuscript collaboration.

The primary research mentor will be Dr. Jamy Ard, professor of epidemiology and prevention and co-director of the Weight Management Center. The clinical time includes specialized training in obesity medicine, including intensive lifestyle modifications, pharmacotherapy and bariatric surgery.

Fellows will have ample opportunity for direct patient care at our interdisciplinary weight management centers. Finally, the fellowship offers didactics and other learning resources to maximize educational growth and career development.

An excellent segue for those pursuing or having completed an obesity medicine clinical fellowship, or those interested in acquiring significant clinical research experience in an academic setting. Interested candidates can contact jbartfie@wakehealth.edu