Research Assistant Position: Department of Pediatrics

There is a full time research assistant/lab manager position with the Division of Pediatrics, Neonatology available at Westchester Medical Center, New York Medical College. Our lab focuses on genetic susceptibility to common diseases found in neonates, such as Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia, Necrotizing Enterocolitis, and Patent Ductus Arteriosis.

Opportunities will include working with individuals in varying levels of medicine (i.e. medical students, residents, fellows, and attendings), drafting and submitting manuscripts, assisting in the preparation and submission of abstracts, conference posters and platform presentations, preparation of Institutional Review Board (IRB) proposals, and observing the practice of medicine in a Level 1 Neonatal Intense Care Unit (NICU).

Applicants must possess a strong initiative and must be ambitious to obtain an in-depth education of topics in medicine. Responsibilities as the research assistant and lab manager for this Neonatal Research Laboratory are:

- Good interpersonal skills
- Capability to work well individually, as well as with a team
- Exceptional organization skills
- Familiarity with PowerPoint, Word, and Excel
- Knowledge with Real-Time PCR is recommended
- Ability to work well under pressure and strict deadlines

This position is best suited for individuals in their glide year, but is not a requirement. All research assistants previously in this position subsequently pursued a career in health care. The position will start in mid-late May of 2015.

Please send a resume and cover letter specifically addressing your strong initiative and will to learn. All documentation and any questions may be emailed to drpartonslab@gmail.com.

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