

Oncology Nursing Fellowship

The Susan D. Flynn Oncology Nursing Fellowship Program at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia is a Summer program designed to help stimulate career interest and foster the professional development of potential pediatric oncology nurses. The program is open to students entering their senior year (rising senior in September 2021 or graduating from a BSN program in December 2021) who are enrolled in a bachelor's of nursing program.

The purpose of the fellowship is to provide aspiring nurses with comprehensive clinical exposure to oncology nursing and to best practices in compassionate care. This enriching experience will also involve classroom time, including weekly "lunch-and-learn" educational sessions. Fellows will be provided the opportunity to participate in shadow days observing oncology-related nursing roles across the full continuum of cancer care. Please read the application process and timeline and ensure you have all of the requirements on the checklist completed by the application deadline.

Due to the large number of applicants, we are unable to provide status updates on individual applications. All applicants will be contacted via email regarding their application no later than March 30, 2021.

FAQs

What are the dates of the Flynn Fellowship?

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, we do not yet know the exact dates of the program. Typically it is 10 consecutive weeks in the Summer.

Is there a GPA requirement for the position?

Minimum overall cumulative GPA of 3.0 (inclusive of Fall 2020 semester) is required.

How do I apply?

Applications will be accepted online from Monday, December 28, 2020 through Friday, January 15, 2021. You must upload a copy of your official transcript and your essay expressing interest by January 15, 2021 (see applicant checklist below).

Will I need to provide references with my application?

References are not required at the time of application. References will be collected via an online survey if you are selected for an in-person interview. Letters of recommendation will not be accepted.

When will the interviews be scheduled?



For those selected for an interview, all interviews will be done virtually in February or March.

What schedule will I work as a Flynn fellow?

Shifts may rotate and will include some weekend shifts. Flynn fellows' schedules are based on their preceptors' schedules.

Are Flynn fellows paid?

Yes, the Susan D. Flynn Oncology Nursing Fellowship Program is a paid position at CHOP.

Can I continue to work as a Flynn fellow at the completion of the program?

Flynn fellows can express interest and interview for a per diem nurse tech position at the end of the fellowship.

Applicant checklist

- Apply online to the Susan D. Flynn Oncology Nursing Fellowship Program position posted at careers.chop.edu from Monday, December 28, 2020 through Friday, January 15, 2021.
- Applicants must upload an **official transcript** (screen shots and unofficial transcripts **will not** be accepted) to their online profile under the "Supporting Documentation" tab (reflecting grades through the Fall 2020 semester). Please upload a transcript from your previous college if you are new to your university this year. An official transcript must be uploaded by Friday, January 15, 2021.
- Applicants must upload a short essay to the Supporting Documentation section of their online profile at the time of application. The essay may be up to three pages in length and should describe why you are interested in pediatric oncology nursing, your career goals, and how this fellowship will assist you in attaining these goals. The essay must be uploaded by Friday January 15, 2021.

Please note: We are unable to consider candidates with incomplete applications or those with documents uploaded after the deadline.