

University of Puerto Rico Medical Sciences Campus School of Medicine Department of Psychiatry Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Program



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ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO ERAS APPLICATION* Academic Year 2018 – 2019

The Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Program, Department of Psychiatry accepts applications of Graduates from:

LCME ACCREDITED SCHOOL OF MEDICINES

- Personal Statement in Spanish (in addition to English version). Please, send the Personal Statement in Spanish to <u>zoraida.perez@upr.edu</u>
- 2. Two <u>official</u> Transcripts (with your cumulative average grade point-GPA) from Undergraduate and Medical School.
- Official copy of your Diploma of Medical School. **
- 4. It is highly recommended that among the three letters of recommendation, at least one should be from the Program Training Director. (a) Candidates, who graduated more than one year prior to the application, must submit a letter of recommendation from most recent employment/clinical work experience supervisor(s).
- 5. Compliance with the UPR-School of Medicine Graduate Medical Education Office requirements. **
- 6. Official approval of the USMLE 3 is a requirement in order to start the PGY II level of training and cannot be taken more than three times. It must be approved not later than May 31 of the PGY I. Residents who fail the exam must apply and re-take the exam within 60 days. The exam and all part of the USMLE can be taken a maximum of three (3) times. If there is no space available to take it in PR, it is the responsibility of the Resident to take it in other examination site with space available. Official evidence that he/she has applied must be presented to Program Director. If candidate is beyond the PGY I level of training, official evidence of having approved all parts of the USMLE must be submitted with the application.
- 7. Provisional or permanent License to practice Medicine in Puerto Rico. **
- 8. <u>Official</u> Evidence of the Registration for the National Residency Matching Program (NRMP). Please send the evidence to zoraida.perez@upr.edu.
- 9. Fully bilingual Spanish/English (Fluency in speaking, reading, comprehension and writing in both languages).

Transcripts should be sent to:

Dr. Lelis L. Nazario
Training Director
Department of Psychiatry
School of Medicine
Medical Sciences Campus
PO Box 365067
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00936-5067

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**It is a requirement that candidates accepted, must submit these documents prior to signing contracts. No candidates will be allowed to start residency training without completion of documents and compliance with UPR-SOM GME Office requirements. Revised: August 28, 2017



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The Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Program, Department of Psychiatry accepts applications of Graduates from International Medical Schools (Recognized by the Puerto Rico Board of Medical Examination and as listed by the World Health Organization):

- 1. If Candidate is not a USA Citizen, he/she must have J-1 or H-1B Visa permit.
- 2. Personal Statement in Spanish (in addition to English version). Please, send the Personal Statement in Spanish to zoraida.perez@upr.edu
- 3. Two <u>official</u> Transcripts with your cumulative average grade point-GPA) from Undergraduate and Medical School.
- 4. <u>Official</u> evidence that your International Medical School is approved and recognized by the "Junta de Licenciamiento y Disciplina Médica de Puerto Rico (JLDMPR)" (Puerto Rico Board of Medical Examiners). http://www.salud.gov.pr/Programas/ORCPS/JLDMPR (787) 999-8989 and the WHO.
- 5. Official copy of your Diploma of Medical School.**
- 6. It is highly recommended that among the three letters of recommendation, at least one should be from Program Training Director. (a) Candidates, who graduate more than one year prior to the application, must submit a letter of recommendation from most recent employment/clinical work experience.
- 7. Compliance with the UPR-School of Medicine Graduate Medical Education Office requirements.**
- 8. Official documentation of provisional or permanent License to practice Medicine in Puerto Rico.**
- Compliance with ECFMG currently valid certificate and completion of all parts of the USMLE no later than October 30, 2017. The candidates must not have taken any of the USMLE parts more than three times to be eligible for interview.
- 10. Fully bilingual Spanish/English (Fluency in speaking, reading, comprehension, and writing in both languages).
- 11. <u>Official</u> Evidence of the Registration for the National Residency Matching Program. Please, send the evidence to zoraida.perez@upr.edu

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