

# SHARING PEDIATRIC KNOWLEDGE ACROSS BORDERS

A global pioneer in pediatric healthcare, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) has established itself as a thought leader in the development of medical educational programming. Our work in medical education extends beyond our own Philadelphia – based regional healthcare network to clinicians around the world. The CHOP Global Pediatric Education (GPE) team develops tailored educational activities, driven by our partners' and learners' goals and objectives. Training can take place in Philadelphia, at international sites, or virtually. In addition, educational materials are freely available at [www.chop.edu/open](http://www.chop.edu/open).

## CHOP EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS IN PHILADELPHIA

We offer observational learning experiences that align with a candidate's clinical or administrative interests. Our team will coordinate with CHOP faculty to build a superlative educational experience that meets the learner's objectives.

### International Observerships

The International Observer Program offers eligible international colleagues the opportunity to observe patient care in a healthcare setting, without hands-on patient contact. Observers are uniquely positioned to gain clinical knowledge and skills by observing CHOP faculty interacting with patients, families, and other team members in a family-centered healthcare organization. CHOP's international observerships generally last up to eight weeks. Observers often participate in rounds, conferences, simulations, and other small-group teaching activities; longer observerships are accommodated on a case-by-case basis. Based on the observer's goals and objectives, experiences may involve multiple specialties, and interaction with other disciplines – nursing, for example.

### International Scholars

Our International Scholar programs are reserved for ECFMG-certified physicians who would like advanced training in a pediatric specialty or subspecialty. Scholars train under the supervision of CHOP faculty for one year and actively collaborate with their CHOP mentors to ensure that their learning objectives are met. While enrolled in the program, Scholars approach clinical practice in the same way a fellow does.

International Scholars must have an organizational sponsor that funds the Scholar's salary, health insurance, and professional liability insurance associated with their chosen training program. Following the completion of the Scholar program, participants return to their home countries to share what they've learned.

# CHOP EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS ABROAD

CHOP faculty often present lectures and seminars at locations around the globe. Courses can range in length from part of a day to a week, and cover a wide variety of pediatric specialty and sub-specialty areas. Interdisciplinary programs in Medical Education, Quality and Patient Safety, Medical Informatics, Clinical Research and Medical Leadership are also available. Our team can partner with institutions to design and deliver customized medical education programs that meet an organization's specific needs.

CHOP provides expert speakers in many areas of pediatric healthcare. Our speakers can individualize presentations, and/or lead educational programming with international faculty. Lectures and seminars can be delivered in person or virtually.

To learn more about Global Pediatric Education opportunities, visit our website at [www.chop.edu/gpe](http://www.chop.edu/gpe) or email our team at [GPEducation@chop.edu](mailto:GPEducation@chop.edu).



## CHOP ONLINE PEDIATRIC EDUCATION NETWORK (OPEN)

CHOP, home to the latest pediatric medical breakthroughs, recognizes the growing demand for online professional education. To meet this need, it established CHOP OPEN, the Online Pediatric Education Network, providing virtual pediatric medical education to healthcare professionals around the world. The CHOP OPEN catalog contains hundreds of medical education lectures, across dozens of pediatric specialties, subspecialties, and related topics.

Visit [www.chop.edu/open](http://www.chop.edu/open) to learn more, to register for a free account, and to begin an exploration of the educational offerings developed by some of CHOP's top faculty and practitioner experts.

For questions and/or comments regarding CHOP OPEN, please contact our support team at [chopopensupport@chop.edu](mailto:chopopensupport@chop.edu).