





## Postdoctoral Research Training Fellowships in Behavioral and Psychosocial aspects of Cancer Prevention and Control

The Northwestern University Postdoctoral Research Training Program in Behavioral and Psychosocial Aspects of Cancer Prevention and Control\_(NCI T32: PI - Bonnie Spring, PhD; MPI - Betina Yanez, PhD) seeks applications for postdoctoral fellows seeking to enroll in September 2022. Applicants may have primary interests in either prevention (obesity, risk behaviors, socioenvironmental influences) or cancer control and survivorship. The program provides an immersion in: 1) fundamentals of cancer biology and clinical oncology, 2) MOST designs (SMART, MRT, JITAI) to optimize theory-based, technology-supported behavioral interventions, 3) RCT methodology to evaluate behavioral interventions; 4) health information technologies in integrated care delivery, 5) outcomes science and measurement, and 6) community engagement strategies and cancer health equity. The two-year training program consists of research, educational, and career development components to prepare fellows for academic and related careers. Graduates of the fellowship have been very successful in launching independent research careers and obtaining NIH funding.

Fellows will hold appointments at the Feinberg School of Medicine and the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center, a top 10 nationally ranked cancer center that boasts an exceptional score with the National Cancer Institute. An appointment provides postdoctoral trainees with a stipend, tuition funds for classwork related to research training, and some funds to defray research expenses and travel to scientific meetings. Appointments will be for one year, with the option to renew for an additional year.

Interested candidates should submit a current CV, letter of intent, and a letter of support from his/her mentor to Bonnie Spring, PhD c/o Frank Granata, Department of Preventive Medicine, Northwestern University, 680 N. Lakeshore Drive, Suite 1400, Chicago, IL 60611, or to <a href="mailto:frank.iv@northwestern.edu">frank.iv@northwestern.edu</a> no later than **Monday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021**. The letter of intent should describe the candidate's ongoing research, interest in the training program, research goals during appointment to the T32, and

future professional plans. Minority applicants are encouraged. Eligible candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

For more details, please visit our website at: <a href="https://www.cancer.northwestern.edu/research/education-training/prevention/index.html">https://www.cancer.northwestern.edu/research/education-training/prevention/index.html</a>

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