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Australia

Institution: **Royal Children's Hospital**
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Duration: **1 Year**
Accreditation: **Yes, Royal Australian College of Physicians**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes, prior training in pediatrics and pediatric cardiology is highly desirable**

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: **No**

Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**



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Canada: Alberta

Institution: Stollery Children's Hospital / University of Alberta

Program Director: Simon Urschel

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Edmonton, AB, T6G 2B7, Canada

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Duration: **1 Year**

Accreditation: **Yes, University of Alberta. Canadian College accreditation in progress**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: **Yes**

Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: The training program is included in the education program Alberta Transplant Institute a combined pediatric and adult multi-organ transplant program. This offers excellent opportunities for rotation blocks into other subspecialties and research collaborations. Focus months in VAD (pediatric and adult combined) and electives in related specialties (pulmonary hypertension, adult heart failure, transplant infectious disease) are part of the 1 year program.



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Spain

Institution: Children's University Vall d'Hebron Hospital

Program Director: Dimpna C Albert

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Barcelona 08035, Spain

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Duration: **2 Years**

Accreditation: **Yes, University Autonomia of Barcelona**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: **Yes, Program of Postgrade**

Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: http://www.uab.cat/web/postgraduate/graduate-diploma-in-congenital-heart-diseases/general-information-1217916968009.html/param1-3300_en/param2-2008/



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United Kingdom

Institution: Freeman Hospital, Newcastle Upon Tyne

Program Director: Dr. Zdenka Reinhardt

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High Heaton
Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK NE7 7DN

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Duration: **1 Year**

Accreditation:

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? **Yes**
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: We have a Fellowship that is predominantly based in Cardiology, consisting of a 12 month post, focused on heart failure and transplant. Following this there can be an option to continue in a 6-12 month post in Paediatric Cardiac Intensive Care with Mechanical Circulatory Support and Transplant. For the cardiology post, previous experience in cardiology is essential as this is a higher level post. For the PCICU component, no previous experience of PICU is necessary.

Institution: Freeman Hospital, Newcastle Upon Tyne

Program Director: Dr. Emma Simpson

Address: Department of Pediatric Intensive Care
High Heaton
Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK NE7 7DN

Phone:

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Duration: **1 Year**

Accreditation:

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? **Yes**
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: The Fellowship in Paediatric Cardiac Intensive Care, Mechanical Support and Transplant is available as a stand-alone post of 6-12 months. There may be an option to plan an additional 12 months, with modules in cardiac anaesthesia, cardiology, cardiovascular research and ECMO.



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USA: California

Institution: **Stanford University**
Program Director: David Rosenthal
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Palo Alto, CA 94304
Phone: 650-723-7916
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Duration: **1 Year**
Accreditation: **No**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes, must be eligible for California medical license**
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: **Yes, 1 year, usually as optional extension to clinical fellowship**
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**



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USA: Colorado

Institution: Children's Hospital Colorado
Program Director: Melanie Everitt
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Heart Institute
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Duration: **1 Year**
Accreditation: **Yes, ACGME**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes, applicants need to have completed a fellowship in pediatric cardiology at an ACGME accredited program and be Board eligible at the time advanced training fellowship begins.**

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? **No**

Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: Applicants need to have completed a fellowship in pediatric cardiology at an ACGME accredited program and be Board eligible at the time advanced training fellowship begins. Application requirements include CV, personal statement, letter from cardiology fellowship program director, and at least one additional letter of recommendation.

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USA: Illinois

Institution: Northwestern University
Program Director: Dr. Elfriede Pahl
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Chicago, IL 60611
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Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: No

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes, they must be board certified/eligible in pediatric cardiology**
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? **No**
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**

Additional information: We also support additional conference if fellow has accepted abstract, and cover expenses; fellow is expected to complete and publish at least one research project during 1 year although it is primarily a clinical fellowship of training in Heart failure and transplant



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USA: Missouri

Institution: Washington University
Program Director: Charles E Canter
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St Louis, MO, 63110
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Duration: **1 Year**
Accreditation: **No**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? **No**
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**



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USA: Pennsylvania

Institution: Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, UPMC

Program Director: Brian Feingold

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Faculty Pavilion Floor 5
Pittsburgh, PA 15217

Phone: 412-692-5541

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Duration: **1 Year**

Accreditation: **No**

Does your program accept international applicants? **Yes**

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: **No**

Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? **Yes**