



Call for Application Resident/Subspecialty Resident Position on the CPSP Steering Committee

Are you a resident/subspecialty resident interested in rare diseases? Public health?
Epidemiology or surveillance?

The Canadian Paediatric Surveillance Program (CPSP) is a joint project between the Canadian Paediatric Society and the Public Health Agency of Canada and contributes to the improvement of child and youth health by national surveillance of childhood disorders that are high in disability, morbidity, and economic costs, despite their low frequency.

The CPSP Steering Committee includes national experts in paediatrics, paediatric subspecialties, epidemiology, and public health. The Steering Committee guides the development of the Program, conducts scientific reviews of study and survey proposals, and oversees all CPSP surveillance projects. The committee meets biannually in Ottawa, in the spring and fall, and all travel and meeting expenses are covered by the Canadian Paediatric Society.

If you are interested in contributing to essential paediatric rare disease surveillance activities in Canada, the CPSP Steering Committee members are inviting a resident/subspecialty resident to work with them for a three-year term.

Applicants must be:

- Enrolled as a resident/subspecialty resident in a Canadian paediatric training program
- Have at least two years remaining in training (Committee membership may extend into the first year of a post-training career)
- A member of the Canadian Paediatric Society
- Willing to travel to Ottawa for two one-day meetings per year (normally April and November)

Applicants must submit the following documents by September 7, 2018:

- A short cover letter outlining your interest in rare diseases, public health, surveillance, or epidemiology and describing how you see your participation on the CPSP Steering Committee influencing your career in paediatrics
- A curriculum vitae
- A letter of support from your program director

For more information on the CPSP, visit our website at: <https://www.cpsp.cps.ca>

Please contact Melanie Laffin Thibodeau, the Manager of Surveillance, with questions or feedback, at melaniel@cps.ca