Welcome to the Committee on Medical Students & Residents!!

Who We Are

• We are a committee formed to ensure the representation of trainees at all levels (medical students, general psychiatry, child and adolescent psychiatry, triple board, pediatric post portal residents) in the activities and deliberations of AACAP

What We Do

• Encourage trainee involvement in AACAP activities
• Promote mentorship and professional networking
• Promote interest and awareness of CAP career opportunities
• Ensure representation among AACAP Committees
• Collaborate with the Council, Assembly, AACAP Committees, and other professional organizations
• Promote trainee participation in local, regional, and national advocacy events

Our Projects

Annual Meeting Programs

• Medical Students, Residents, and Fellows: Meet Life Member Mentors
  Signature Annual Meeting trainee mentorship event where trainees network with AACAP’s most distinguished senior leaders, the AACAP Life Members
• Medical Student and Resident Breakfast
  Hear stories from CAP professionals at various career stages about their careers and life journeys, with the opportunity to ask questions
• Two Day Mentorship Program
  More than 160 trainees are paired in groups with 40+ diverse CAP mentors of various career stages and interests to build relationships, share ideas, address challenges, and reflect on work-life balance
• Resource Center Meet and Greet
  Informal networking forum for trainees to meet with Training Program Directors and Committee Chairs to introduce themselves, obtain expert advice, and learn about opportunities to join AACAP projects
• Residents as Teacher
  Signature “train the trainer” workshop in collaboration with the Training and Education Committee for all trainees involved in educating the next generation
• Resiliency and Wellness
  A discussion on resiliency, self-compassion, and being present and mindful during difficult moments

Year-Long Programs

• MSR Peer Mentorship Program
  Peer-to-peer style mentorship program that provides trainees with mentorship on various topics of interest. Sign up to be a mentor. Sign up to be a mentee.
• Year-Long Career Development Forum
  Virtual Q&A sessions in intimate small groups with CAP professionals about training, work experience, and other career information based on specialty or specific topics

Our Meetings

• Date: 2nd Monday of Every Month
• Time: 8PM ET / 7PM CT / 5PM PT
• Location: Zoom
• Sign up for the MSR Listserv to receive meeting information

Connect With Us!

• Facebook & Twitter

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Award Opportunities

**Medical Students**
- AACAP Summer Medical Student Fellowship in CAP
- AACAP Jeanne Spurlock, MD, Research Fellowship in Substance Abuse and Addiction for Minority Medical Students
- AACAP Life Members Mentorship Grants for Medical Students

**Leadership**
- Resident Members of Council
- Assembly Resident Representative

**Residents & Fellows**
- AACAP Pilot Research Awards
- AACAP Systems of Care Special Program Clinical Poster Projects
- NIDA-AACAP Resident Training Award in Substance Use Disorders
- SAMHSA/CMHS Virtual Fellowship
- AACAP Educational Outreach Program (travel grants to attend the annual meeting)
- AACAP Marilyn B. Benoit, MD, Child Maltreatment Mentorship Award

Get Involved with AACAP!

**Join an AACAP Committee**
- AACAP has 58 committees, with more than 40 that are specialty-focused
- Each committee has 13 formal spots, with 2-year appointments, some of which include a resident member appointment
- Typically, you will start as a volunteer, participating in committee calls and contributing to projects, before becoming a formal committee member

**Other Mentorship/Networking Opportunities**
- Mentorship Network
- Caucuses: Asian, Black, Latinx, IMG
- AACAP Alliance on Learning and Innovation (AALI)
- Advocacy Liaison Network
- Regional CAP Organization

**Attend Annual Events**
- AACAP Annual Meetings
- Legislative Conferences
- Assembly of Regional Organizations

**Volunteer**
- AACAP Monitor Program

**Publish**
- AACAP News
- JAACAP Connect

For more information, please visit the [AACAP MSR website](https://www.aacap.org) or contact Training@AACAP.org

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