

Texas College of Emergency Physicians Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship Program



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TCEP Mission Statement

Texas College of Emergency Physicians exists to promote quality emergency care for all patients and to represent the professional interest of our members.

TCEP Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship Program

The TCEP Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship was developed to groom future emergency physician leaders. The fellowship combines elements of mentoring, organizational education and advocacy skills training in addition to guided experiences to selected fellows.

Roles and Responsibilities

- Fellows are appointed as ex-officio members of the TCEP Board of Directors and will receive all information and opportunity for participation in the business of the College.
- Fellows are appointed as ACEP Alternate Councilors, representing TCEP at ACEP Council meetings while participating in the resolution process for the College.
- Fellows are expected to seek appointment and participate on TCEP and ACEP Committees.
- Fellows are encouraged to contribute articles for publication in the TCEP *Emphasis*.
- Fellows will identify and complete a project of interest.
- Attendance is strongly encouraged for all meetings **outlined below** in which Fellows will serve as TCEP Ambassadors. In addition, Fellows are highly encouraged to participate in at least one TCEP Residency Visit and one Medical Student Leadership Meeting per academic year.
- The TCEP Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship program will serve as the foundation for ACEP Fellowship (FACEP) designation.
- Eligible candidates for the TCEP Fellowship include EM residency graduates and EM residents in their final year of training.



Meeting Dates 2020-2021

Meeting	Leadership Principle	Responsibility	Date	Location
TCEP Board of Directors meeting; TLAF Orientation	Orientation to Fellowship and networking	Attend TLAF orientation and participate in TCEP Board of Directors meeting	7/18 – 19, 2020	San Antonio, TX
TCEP Board Meeting	Professionalism, Grooming Future Leaders	Participate as ex-officio member of the TCEP BOD. Confirm participation in TCEP committee. Identify and develop leadership project.	9/26, 2020	Houston, TX
ACEP Council and Scientific Assembly(SA)	Resolutions and affecting change in our College and beyond	Participate in resolution process. Serve as alternate councilor. Obtain FACEP designation for those who meet criteria.	Council meeting: October 26 – 29, 2020	Dallas, TX
TCEP Board of Directors Meeting	Wellness: Finding a Balance Between Work and Family	Participate as ex-officio member of the TCEP BOD. Updates on leadership project	1/29 – 31, 2021	Hyatt Regency, Austin, TX
TMA First Tuesdays - 2021	Change at a Local Level	Participate in TMA First Tuesdays lobby days at the Capitol	Feb March April May	Austin, TX
TCEP Connect - 2021	Get Your Team Together: Internal Team Building	Speaker introductions, meeting ambassador and acknowledge exhibitors.	March 2021	TBD
ACEP Leadership and Advocacy Conference - 2021	Get Your Message Across: Advocacy 101	Attend media training and meet with federal legislators.	4/25 – 28, 2021	Washington, DC
TMA TEXMED 2021	Get Yourself Organized: Time Management	Participate as delegate for County Medical Society and present testimony in Reference Committee.	5/14 – 15, 2021	Austin, TX



Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship Application Form

Applications Due: March 16, 2020

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State/ZIP: _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____ Email: _____

Hospital/Physician Group Affiliation: _____

Description of Practice: _____

Number of years as a member of ACEP/EMRA: _____

Please list the state or national activities in which you have participated (leadership positions, committee or task force involvement, etc.): _____

Please list any leadership positions in organized medicine held: _____

Please list your membership in other medical associations: _____

Please describe your interest in the Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship, including why you should be selected by the TCEP BOD to participate:

Please describe how your participation in the TCEP Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship might benefit your state, physician group and/or hospital:

If selected, I agree to participate in all designated elements of the TCEP Leadership and Advocacy Fellowship. I understand that any absence from a required meeting, if not approved by the TCEP Executive Director, will result in dismissal from the program.

Signature of Nominee: _____ Date: _____

Please include your CV and any supplementary material you would like the TCEP BOD to review pertaining to your nomination.

Please return completed Nomination Form to:
Beth Brooks, TCEP Executive Director • tcep@texacep.org