Instructions:

1. Complete application below
2. Statement of Intent- one paragraph statement of your interest in the program
3. Include CV, official transcripts, BLS, ACLS, copies of certifications and licensure
4. Three letters of recommendation (one from your program director) sent directly to address provided
5. Mail To: University of Rochester
   601 Elmwood Ave
   Box 619-318
   Rochester, NY 14642
6. Email PDF copy of application to: brenton_lariccia@urmc.rochester.edu

The APP Fellow MUST meet the following qualifications:

1) Nurse Practitioner
   a. Master’s degree in Nursing (ACNP or ANP)
   b. Active New York State licensure as Registered Nurse and Nurse Practitioner in good standing
   c. Current national certification as a Nurse Practitioner (upon start of program)
2) Physician Assistant
   a. Completion of an AMA approved Physician Assistant program
   b. Active New York State Physician Assistant licensure in good standing
   c. Current national certification as a Registered Physician Assistant

Applicants for the Critical Care APP Fellow position should demonstrate clinical competence as well as excellent verbal and written communication skills. The APP Fellow should have a passion for Critical Care Medicine and an active desire to learn.
**Application Process:**

1) Complete the on-line job application for Critical Care Medicine – Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Fellow position (Job ID # 198627) located on the Human Resources/Office of Nursing Recruitment website:
   - [http://www.rochester.edu/people/nursing](http://www.rochester.edu/people/nursing)
   - **Helpful Hints:**
     1. Our software works with a variety of web browsers including, Mozilla Firefox, Opera, and Safari. We recommend you use the most current version of these browsers since using old versions may create problems when applying for jobs. If you encounter any technical problems, applicants can contact our Help Desk at (585) ASK-URHR – (585) 275-8747, Mondays through Fridays, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.
     - Please review the completed online application carefully – the system reads your resume and attempts to automatically populate your application for you, please ensure the information was populated correctly. If you encounter problems trying to upload your resume or cut and paste your resume you may want to manually complete the application and then forward your resume to [NursingRecruitment@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:NursingRecruitment@urmc.rochester.edu) Both the application and resume are required to apply.
     - While answering the questions on the 4th page, the screen refreshes after each entry you make. Please go slowly and wait 5-10 seconds after each click to allow the page to refresh before answering the next question.

2. **Current** University of Rochester Employees **do not** need to complete an online application. Simply forward your resume to [NursingRecruitment@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:NursingRecruitment@urmc.rochester.edu)

3. Use the side bar on left to navigate through the system (i.e. Job Search Tips)

2) Please send the following items to Brenton_lariccia@urmc.rochester.edu
   - Current Resume or Curriculum Vitae
   - Official academic transcript to date
   - Submit 3 professional references:
     1) Request a confidential recommendation from a Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant/Physician clinical preceptor during your academic program.
     2) Request a confidential recommendation from a Faculty member from your academic program.
   - Letter of Interest:
     1) Provide a letter of interest which reflects on your interest in the Critical Care APP Fellowship program, your passion for Critical Care Medicine, and how this opportunity will impact your future as an Critical Care Medicine APP. Please also comment on why you think this program will be a good fit for you.

3) Applications for consideration for the 2019-2020 Fellowship program are due by **March 1st, 2019**.

4) Candidates will be contacted in mid-March to arrange for interview
5) **Return complete application to:**
   - Brent LaRiccia, PA-C, MS, MBA
   - **Mail to:**
     - Strong Memorial Hospital
     - 601 Elmwood Avenue
     - Box 619-318
     - Rochester, NY 14642

6) Please e-mail Brent LaRiccia at [Brenton_lariccia@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:Brenton_lariccia@urmc.rochester.edu) with any questions or concerns about this application and the application process.
Critical Care Medicine Advanced Practice Provider Fellowship Program Reference Form

Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Program: ________________________________

Date: __________________________

____________________________ (name of applicant) has applied for a position in the Critical Care Medicine APP Fellowship Program at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester, NY.

We would appreciate your evaluation of this applicant’s general ability and professional proficiency in academic and clinical practice. We would like to know what you consider the applicant’s strengths and weaknesses to be. You can be assured that all information will be treated confidentially.

Please be advised that all recommendations are to be completed confidentially and recommender should be provided an envelope to enclose their recommendation which must have a signature across the seal of the envelope and can be submitted with the application.

I hereby authorize the release of my academic/clinical record to Strong Memorial Hospital Critical Care Medicine.

Applicant Signature: ________________________________

Applicant Printed Name: ________________________________

The above APP was a student in your academic/clinical setting during what period of time?

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In comparison with the other students in the class, how would you rank this student academically?

Upper 10% ( ) Upper 25% ( ) Middle ( ) Lower 25% ( ) Lower 10% ( ) N/A ( )

In comparison with the other students you have worked with clinically, how would you rank this student clinically?

Upper 10% ( ) Upper 25% ( ) Middle ( ) Lower 25% ( ) Lower 10% ( ) N/A ( )
Please Rate the Applicant on the Following:

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Please include a statement about the applicant’s strengths/weaknesses and whether you feel this applicant will be a good fit for our Critical Care APP Fellowship program. Please feel free to provide any additional comments.

Recommender Signature: ____________________________________________________________

Recommender Title: ________________________________________________________________

Date: ____________________

Contact Information: ______________________________________________________________