

# Pediatric Residency Rural Scholars Program

The Pediatric Residency Rural Scholars Program at West Virginia University (WVU) School of Medicine was established in 2016 with the goal of increasing the number of practicing allopathic pediatricians in rural underserved areas.

## Who is eligible?

\*Students of the WVU School of Medicine in MS 3 who are committed to match in the WVU Pediatric Residency Program, Morgantown, and are intending to practice pediatrics in West Virginia or other rural areas.

## What are the benefits?

\*Students participate in an enhanced rural health curriculum in MS 4 and throughout residency.

\*Students receive a **\$10,000 stipend**. Pending successful completion of medical school, **students are guaranteed a position in the WVU Pediatric Residency Program in Morgantown WV.**

\*Students **save an estimated \$8,000 - \$10,000** in interview travel fees.

## If interested in applying...

\*Contact the Co-Directors of the Pediatric Residency Rural Scholars Program:

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**\*Deadline for applications: Thursday, February 28, 2019**

