

# **PROGRAM DIRECTORY FOR ORTHOPEDIC ONCOLOGY FELLOWSHIP**

## **1.INTRODUCTION**

Orthopedic oncology is a subspecialty of medical science dealing with diagnostic methods, treatment approaches, clinical, laboratory research and reconstructive techniques of benign and malignant tumors of the musculoskeletal system. Orthopedic surgeons interested in orthopedic oncology should complete a fellowship program. Fellowship programs are essential for the physicians to become independent practitioners along the continuum of medical education. During the fellowship period, the physician experiences in depth about the patho-physiology and treatment of various forms of primary and secondary benign or malignant neoplasms. Our main principle to share knowledge as well as experiences on orthopedic oncology is to provide an intellectual environment for acquiring the knowledge, skills, clinical judgment, and attitudes that are required for the clinical practice.

## **2.GOAL**

Main goal of the fellowship program is to provide a qualified, disciplined training on orthopedic oncology to make physicians acquire knowledge as well as clinical attitudes essential to the practice of the subspecialty.

## **3.DURATION**

Standard length of fellowships program will be of twelve (12) months

## **4.NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

One or two fellowship(s) per training program will be allowed at any one time.

## **5. TRAINING INSTITUTIONS:**

LIV Ulus Hospital

Bahçelievler MedicalPark Hospital

İstinye Üniversitesi Liv Hospital

Pendik MedicalPark Hospital

## **6. PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

Prior to beginning a fellowship in orthopedic oncology, each candidate should have completed a residency training program in orthopedic surgery or be at a senior level of residency. Fellowship candidate should have some previous experience of oncology-related musculoskeletal surgical procedures. Besides, candidates should not have participated in another fellowship program within the last one-year period. Preferably, applicants should have published at least one or two orthopedic oncology-related scientific articles in peer-review journals. Selection of candidates for the fellowship position must be consonant with these criteria.

## **7. FELLOWSHIP APPLICATIONS**

Fellowship applicants should submit the following documents for completing the application process.

- A) Fellowship application form
- B) Copy of medical school diploma
- C) Curriculum vitae
- D) Copy of valid practicing license (if applicable)
- E) A list of publications and/or lectures
- F) Two reference letters

## **8. FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

During orthopedic sports medicine and arthroscopy fellowship program, fellows will be paid 5.000 TL per month as financial support.

## **9.CONTACT INFORMATION**

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