**THE EDMOND J. SAFRA FELLOWSHIP IN MOVEMENT DISORDERS – CLASS OF 2028**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

**FELLOWSHIP DIRECTOR(S):**

**ACADEMIC CENTER:**

**APPLICATION SUMMARY**

Use this template and limit your application to **three pages**. Font must not be less than 11pt. You may delete the instructional text. Note that the application also requires additional objective data, which you will enter into the Grant Portal, on your training program and center.

Given that movement disorders training varies from center to center and country to country, **please provide as much detail as possible about your center’s experience and ability to train a movement disorder clinician-researcher**. Include not only relevant available opportunities, but also what is required and expected of the fellow during training. Also be sure to highlight innovative or unique training and opportunities that set your center apart.

If you have any questions about the application, please email [grants@michaeljfox.org](mailto:grants@michaeljfox.org).

**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE**

State how your program has successfully trained fellows for productive careers as movement disorder clinician-researchers.

**RESEARCH ENVIRONMENT**

Indicate how fellows benefit from your center’s research environment and activities. Also, summarize what research training the fellow will receive (e.g., didactic lectures, mentorship, development and management of his or her own research project, etc.) and what requirements they must meet throughout fellowship. Details may include what research opportunities are available at your center, how the trainee will participate, etc.

**CLINICAL CARE**

Describe how the center educates fellows in the clinical care of movement disorders. In addition, describe the fellow’s clinical rotations, responsibilities and any unique learning opportunities. Details may include clinical rotations, required and/or available educational opportunities, etc.

**CLINICAL SUPPORT**

Summarize how the center, faculty and fellowship director(s) mentor fellows and support their professional development. How will you guide the fellow to become an expert and leader in movement disorders care and research? Details may include formal research or other training opportunities as well as information on how mentoring will take place.

**DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION**

Proactively fostering diversity, equity and inclusion in human studies and the provision of care is a critical aspect of helping patients live well with disease — and accelerating the development of better treatments that will benefit everyone. Training fellows to seek diversity in their study and care populations (to more closely reflect the overall population) and to serve underrepresented individuals and communities is fundamental to the mission of The Michael J. Fox Foundation. Diversity may refer to race, ethnicity, gender, age, abilities/disabilities, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, geographic region, disease experience and more. While helpful to understand the diversity of the center’s faculty, trainees, and patient populations, it is necessary to also understand ongoing research, outreach, education, and other formal learning opportunities toward diversity, equity and inclusion. We request that centers applying for Edmond J. Safra Fellowship funding include information on their existing training programs and/or future plans for continuing this effort. (Examples may include, but are not limited to, clinical rotations with underserved populations, education in health care disparities and implicit bias in medical care, or training in diversifying research populations.) The purpose is to identify centers with the leadership and skills to engage in activities that would enhance the ability of the Edmond J. Safra Fellow to advance equitable access and diversity in research, education, health promotion and clinical care services.

**APPENDIX (OPTIONAL – NOT INCLUDED IN THREE PAGE LIMIT)**  
  
Upload up to two tables or graphics outlining clinical care rotation and research opportunities and/or requirements throughout the fellowship.