THE EDMOND J. SAFRA FELLOWSHIP IN MOVEMENT DISORDERS

Frequently Asked Question

Who can apply?

Academic centers worldwide that are able to train a movement disorder clinician-researcher over a two-year period are eligible. Centers previously awarded funding through The Edmond J. Safra Fellowship in Movement Disorders are eligible, but each academic center may apply only once per cycle. We will not accept more than one application per academic center.

Individuals enrolling in fellowship programs <u>may not</u> apply but are encouraged to inform their prospective institutions about this funding opportunity.

Can funding be used for a current fellow?
Funding cannot be used for a fellow already enrolled or chosen.
Once selected, a center must identify and train a new movement disorder fellow over a two-year period.

How do I submit an application?

- 1. Download instructions and application.
- 2. Log in or create account in the application portal. <u>Please retain your username and password; MJFF does not have access to this information.</u>
- 3. Submit your completed application

What information is required for submission?
An application template is provided (see "Application Process").
This form requests information about the academic center's previous experience training fellows, research environment, clinical care center and departmental support for a fellow. Biographical sketches (NIH format) for five faculty members who will be active in the training program also are required.

While we are eager to learn about each applicant's academic center, we do limit the application to two pages and do not allow the submission of supplemental documents.

How many academic centers will be chosen?
Each year, eight academic centers are selected based on the criteria listed below.

Review Criteria

Previous experience training fellows for productive research

	 and clinical care careers Research environment and research training program Clinical care center and clinical learning opportunities Departmental support for the fellow Leadership in building an equitable and diverse environment for clinical care, research and education through educational opportunities and scholarly pursuit for the fellow Biographical sketches of five faculty members, including the fellowship director, who will be active in the training program
Funding Criteria	The Edmond J. Safra Fellowship in Movement Disorders is open to established movement disorder centers worldwide (including previously awarded centers) and seeks to support promising MD and MD/PhDapplicants. MJFF will award eight two-year fellowships (\$90,000 per fellow per year, \$180,000 total). These funds may cover the fellow's stipend, benefits and travel allowance. No indirect costs may be claimed for this award.