SingHealth Duke-NUS Family Medicine Academic Clinical Programme (FM ACP) Medical Student Research Internship (MURI) Programme from February 2024

FM ACP welcome the immersion of medical students from local medical schools to participate in the Medical Student Research Internship (MURI) Programme. The interns can either

- 1. develop research projects de-novo which align to the Signature Research Programmes (SRP) and mentored by an established Family Physician researcher or
- 2. participate in current research projects anchored by researchers in FM ACP as a study team member

Current Research Projects in SingHealth Polyclinics (SHP)

- 1. Understanding the Use of Patient Decision Aid (PDA), and the Development of an Animated PDA for Patients With Asthma Who Require Inhaled Corticosteroid
- 2. INSPIRE Study: Instrument to aSsess Pruritus: cReation & Evaluation
- 3. Healthier SG: Develop Shared Decision Tool for Influenza and Pneumococcal Vaccination for Adults

The interns have to undertake a brief interview to assess if they fulfil the requirement and to specify their period of commitment. The internship ranges from 4 to 6 weeks for direct hands-on to understand the mechanics of research in FM but the involvement may be extended beyond the approved period to complete the project and/or the related publication. The interns must seek official approval/acknowledgement from their respective medical school for their participation in MURI (except NUS YLLSoM students).

MURI is open throughout the year for interested students, who have to complete the Research Ethics and Compliance Training (CITI-Program).

For further enquiries, please contact FM ACP Secretariat at fm.acp@singhealth.com.sg.