

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

E C RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS IN GENERAL PRACTICE

The European Community has agreed to fund, as part of the Human Capital and Mobility programme, a number of research fellowships in primary care.

Fellowships are open to medical and non-medical graduates from Europe (resident outside the UK) and will be based at the Department of Primary Care at the University of Southampton. Attachment to the Department of Public Health and Primary Care at the University of Oxford may also be possible.

Two types of fellowship are offered :

* Training Fellowships

These will be of 12 month duration and fellows will be helped to undertake original research organisation in their home country. It is hoped that they will become involved in the European "Cochrane" initiative in primary care.

* Senior Fellowships

These will be for up to 3 month duration and are for research workers of senior lecturer or professorial status to facilitate exchange of ideas and expertise.

Fellowships will cover the cost of return travel to the UK. Training Fellows will be paid at a flat rate of 3,800 ECU (about £2,600) per month. Senior Fellows will be reimbursed for travel and living expenses at a rate to be negotiated with the commission. Fellowships must be taken up between 1994-6. It is hoped to appoint 3 Training Fellows and 4 Senior Fellows during this period.

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