

Health Decision–Making and Communication

Investigator

Section of Health Services Research Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX

The Health Services Research Section, Department of Medicine, Baylor College of Medicine (BCM) and the Houston VA Health Services Research Center of Excellence seek an investigator in Health Decision Making and Communication. Research will focus on employing advanced communication science to understand the processes affecting health outcomes, and developing practices that improve the quality of patient care, with particular attention to veterans.

The successful candidate will have a doctoral degree (MD preferred), publications in communication sciences, and history of project funding. Protected research time (75%) and a highly competitive start up package will be offered. A faculty appointment at the Assistant or Associate Professor level will be given based on experience and fit with appointment guidelines.

The Center, all in newly renovated 35,000 sq. ft., in the Texas Medical Center, has over 190 staff; 45 are research faculty from both clinical and non-clinical disciplines, such as biostatistics, epidemiology, and psychometrics. Some faculty, hold joint or adjunct appointments at Rice University, The University of Texas School of Health Information Sciences and School of Public Health, University of Houston, and Texas A&M University.

A summary of all activities of our Health Services Research & Development Center of Excellence are available on our website: <http://www.houston.hsr.d.research.va.gov>. BCM and the Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center are Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/Equal Access Employers. Must be a US citizen or US Permanent Resident.

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