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Title of position
Post-doctoral Fellow

Description of Position
The Post-Doctoral Fellow will be responsible for maintenance of the Vascular Quality Initiative Registries by collecting and exchanging information using the M2S cloud-based data collection and reporting system for all eligible vascular procedures. Other duties include the establishment and execution of quality improvements projects that aim to advance the quality, safety, effectiveness, and cost of vascular health care. The fellow/scientist will submit research proposals to the VQI Patient Safety Organization National Research Advisory Committee (PSO-RAC), which will allow us to analyze regional and national data and identify variation in processes of care or outcomes that suggest opportunities for improvement, in addition to collaborating with other surgeons to identify and share best practices for improving patient care and reducing costs at the local and national level. The projects implemented by the Post-Doctoral Fellow will fill substantial knowledge gaps, help improve and guide clinical decision-making and offer patients better outcomes and quality of life.

The postdoc fellow will be responsible for assisting faculty and principal investigators in the development, preparation, writing and submission of grant proposals. These grants could be institutional, regional or national. The funding of these grants could be industry or federal supported. Prior experience in National Institute of Health (NIH) K, RO1, T-32 grant writing and submission and successful funding is preferred but not required.

Qualifications
College Degree / Medical School Education

Application Procedure
Please submit interests, Curriculum Vita and names of three references to: Venessa With (vwith@ucsd.edu) and Dr. Mahmoud Malas (mmalas@ucsd.edu)