

Faculty Position
Assistant Professor or Associate Professor
Department of Population Medicine
Harvard Medical School and Harvard Pilgrim Health Care Institute

The Department of Population Medicine is seeking a faculty member in health or pharmaceutical policy for a full-time position as an Assistant or Associate Professor in the Drug Policy Research Group, widely known for its research on pharmaceutical policy, access to medicines, insurance coverage, health care cost containment, and improving quality of care.

The faculty member will spend most of his or her time conducting research on population health and health care delivery, with a strong focus on improving quality and outcomes of care or controlling rising costs. In collaborative research with other DPM faculty, insurers, and health delivery systems (e.g., Medicaid/Medicare, Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, HMO Research Network, Atrius Health), the candidate will contribute expertise in health or pharmaceutical policy evaluation, health insurance reform, intervention design, or related areas. The faculty member will also participate in the department's teaching activities, which involve fellows, graduate students, and medical students.

The Department is uniquely positioned as a supportive and collaborative academic department jointly positioned in a leading medical school and a large, non-profit health plan. Its multi-disciplinary faculty (33 includes health services researchers, social scientists, epidemiologists, internists, pediatricians, decision analysts, and biostatisticians.

Ideal candidates will have an MD with a masters in public health or a doctoral degree in health policy, economics, or a related field, a record of peer-reviewed publications, and experience and interest in one or more of the following:

- Population health
- Health policy evaluation
- Improving quality and cost-effectiveness of care
- Preventive health services
- Chronic disease management
- Health disparities

Candidates should send a CV and statement of research interests to:

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