

# APPLY TO



## WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

In order to be eligible for a stipend, LEND Leadership Trainees must be United States citizens and cannot be receiving any other type of financial support from University departments or national, federally-funded programs. Special considerations may apply.



## APPLICANTS SHOULD...

### BE ABLE TO:

- Demonstrate an interest in working with children with special health care needs and their families
- Demonstrate leadership potential
- Submit a completed application with all accompanying materials
- Meet the time requirements of the program, including dedicating Wednesdays from 9 AM - 4 PM.

**Students enrolled in graduate or post-graduate programs for the next academic year as full or part-time students may apply. Students from diverse backgrounds and students with disabilities are encouraged to apply.**

### FIT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Graduate students, pre- and post-doctoral students in professions related to Maternal and Child Health (audiology, communication disorders, dentistry, psychology, early intervention, education, medicine, nursing, occupational therapy, physical therapy, public health, and social work)
- Practicing professional in one of the fields above will be considered, but students will receive priority.
- A family member or parent of a child with a disability, or someone who has experienced disability within their own life, and who is looking to expand their knowledge and experience with leadership

## WHAT DO I NEED TO APPLY?

- Completed online application including an essay (< 500 words)
- 3 recommendations (online)
- Curriculum vitae
- Unofficial graduate program transcript

(Note: The application must be completed online)

<https://www.lend.pitt.edu/training/prospective-lend-trainees/lend-application>

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

### INFORMATIONAL PHONE SESSION

**Tuesday, January 7, 2020 at 8 PM**

To participate, please RSVP online at [LEND.pitt.edu](http://LEND.pitt.edu). The call-in number and Access Code will be provided to those registered in advance of the meeting.

### OPEN HOUSE

**January 15, 2020 | 4 - 6 PM with an informative overview at 5 PM**

Martin Colloquium  
Conference Room, 4th  
Floor, Sennott Square

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### DEADLINES

- Application - February 7, 2020
- Reference Letters - February 10, 2020
- Interview invites sent - February 10, 2020
- Interview Day - February 14, 2020
- Notice of Acceptance - February 28, 2020

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