



# PEDIATRIC EMERGENCY MEDICINE

## MUSC EMERGENCY MEDICINE INTEREST GROUP

Pediatric Emergency Medicine physicians are specialized to manage emergencies in infants and children. PEM is a subspecialty of both Emergency Medicine and Pediatrics. This allows the individual physician to tailor their training specifically to the area in which they have the most interest.

### Requirements

- 4 years of medical school
- 3 year residency in either Emergency Medicine or Pediatrics\*
- 2-3 year fellowship in either Emergency Medicine or Pediatrics\*

Step 1 2008 mean scores: Emergency Medicine: 220, Pediatrics: 217

\*In order to be eligible for board certification in Pediatrics, one must be trained in Pediatrics, either residency or fellowship for not less than three (3) years.

### Job types/locations

- Private practice
- Academics (only larger centers or Children's Hospitals have stand alone Pediatric EDs)

### Pay

- \$150,000+

### Boards

- American Board of Emergency Medicine (ABEM)
- American Board of Pediatrics (ABP)

### Professional Associations

- American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)
- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)

### Pediatric Emergency Medicine at MUSC

- Third year: Time in Pediatric ER during Pediatrics rotation
- Fourth year: Elective

### More information:

ACEP Section on Pediatric Emergency Medicine  
[www.acep.org/acepmembership.aspx?id=23118](http://www.acep.org/acepmembership.aspx?id=23118)

AAP Section of Pediatric Emergency Medicine  
[www.aap.org/sections/pem/default.cfm](http://www.aap.org/sections/pem/default.cfm)