

Eric Fountain, M.D.



Hometown: Many places

Undergraduate: Duke University

Medical School: University of Colorado

Residency: Duke University

What are your career goals?

To work in academics as a professor in lymphoma conducting clinical trials and teaching the next generation of fellows.

Why did you chose MD Anderson?

I chose MD Anderson because I knew I'd have the opportunity to succeed at making a meaningful difference in patient outcomes through direct clinic care and research.

How has MD Anderson helped you in achieving your goals?

I couldn't have asked for more in terms of a collegial environment with excellent mentors and funding for projects and conferences.

What do you like best about MD Anderson's fellowship program?

We have the best administrative staff who will do anything to help you personally and professionally, and it's a direct reflection of how the program cares about your success.

What do you like about living in Houston?

Love the food and the 6 months of daily swimming with the kids you can only get with Houston heat.

What has surprised you most about living in Houston?

Honestly, I was pleasantly surprised by the diversity of the city population and the culture and food that accompanies it. It's been wonderful.

What do you like to do outside of medicine?

Swim, go to museums, the beach, new restaurants, and parks.