
Call issued for Early Career Women Faculty Mentorship Program

The American College of Surgeons and the Association of Women Surgeons are seeking applications from women surgeons who wish to be considered for the Early Career Women Faculty Mentorship Program. This opportunity to develop a mentoring relationship is open to early career assistant professors who are in academic practice in general surgery or a general surgery subspecialty.

Applicants will be required to attend the 2009 ACS annual

Clinical Congress; therefore, only women surgeons who are planning to attend the annual Clinical Congress in Chicago, IL, this October should apply this year. Applicants must be Fellows or Associate Fellows of the College, or currently in the process of applying for Fellowship in the ACS.

The application should describe how the mentoring relationship will be of benefit to the applicant in her career. Mentors will then be selected and as-

signed based on the preferences, career priorities, and goals of the applicant. All mentors will be surgical leaders with a record of excellence in mentorship.

Early career women faculty who are interested in this opportunity should send a one-paragraph description of their current position, career goals, and mentorship program objectives together with a CV to mentor@facs.org.

Applications must be received before July 1.