Mentors,

For the letter of support, please include the following information:

- Name of student
- Your credentials/position
- Your experience mentoring medical students and their productivity
- Length of time you have known student and in what settings/capacities
- Title of proposed project
- Current funding for proposed project
- Your assessment of the student including ability to conduct research, write manuscripts, give presentations, etc
- Your assessment of the student based on your interactions
- Proposed frequency of meetings with student will these be one-on-one or in lab group
- Comment in the student's commitment to a career in clinical research
- How you would rank the student overall based on your interaction with other students

If you have any questions pertaining to the mentor letter of support, please contact Quinten Brown (<u>brownqc@upmc.edu</u>), CSTP Program coordinator.

Thank you.