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**Q2 Type of Research?** **Clinical Research**

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**Q3 Please describe your research interests:**

Health outcomes among pregnant and postpartum women living with HIV

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## Medical Student Research Opportunities

**Q4** Please provide a brief description of research opportunity/project(s):

1) Title of project(s):

**2. Socio-cognitive and Structural Factors Associated with Postpartum HIV Care Engagement**

Brief Description:

This is a study to understand the determinants of HIV care engagement in the postpartum period. Part of the study will consist of a prospective cohort of HIV+ pregnant women that will be followed at 3 and 6 months postpartum to determine socio-cognitive predictors of postpartum HIV care engagement. In-depth, open-ended interviews will be conducted with women during their 2nd and 3rd trimester of pregnancy to understand factors influencing their intentions to engage in HIV care postpartum. Follow-up interviews will be conducted at 3 months and 6 months after delivery to reassess the most salient barriers and facilitators to engagement in HIV care.

Duration:

**2 years**

Time commitment:

**3-6 months**

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**Q5** Please indicate the specific level of experience required, if applicable:

**Open to all medical students**

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