

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENTIST

The Department of Surgery at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center is seeking one or more Social/Behavioral Scientists to join its newly established Division of Surgical Sciences. The Division of Surgical Sciences comprises 33 full-time clinical, fundamental, and translational scientists who contribute to the Department of Surgery's core mission of developing more effective approaches to promoting health, preventing illness, and treating disease. Expanding clinical research capacity to accelerate the pace of scientific discovery has been identified as a strategic priority for the Division of Surgical Sciences.

Candidates should have an established research program and a demonstrated ability to attract sustained research funding in one (or more) of the following priority areas: surgical disparities, surgical outcomes, and surgical epidemiology. Candidates must have expertise in one or more aspects of social/behavioral science, which may include behavioral medicine, health services research, public health, medical anthropology, clinical epidemiology, or other similar specialty. Also, candidates must demonstrate a strong commitment to excellence in providing research mentorship to students, residents, and early-career faculty. Candidates will have opportunities for research collaboration across the Department of Surgery, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, and the Harvard Medical School.

Successful candidates may be considered for appointment at Harvard Medical School at the rank of Associate Professor, commensurate with experience, training, and achievement in the field.

BIDMC is part of Beth Israel Lahey Health, a health care system of academic medical centers and teaching hospitals, community and specialty hospitals with more than 4,000 physicians and allied health professionals and 35,000 employees in a shared mission to expand access to great care and advance the science and practice of medicine through groundbreaking research and education.

Questions or other inquiries about the position can be addressed to James R. Rodrigue, PhD, Vice Chair of Clinical Research, Department of Surgery at jrrodrig@bidmc.harvard.edu.

We are an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, gender identity, sexual orientation, pregnancy and pregnancy-related conditions or any other characteristic protected by law.

