HAMPTON VA MEDICAL CENTER PGY1 PHARMACY RESIDENCY PROGRAM



Hampton VAMC, Historic Entrance



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Our Facility

Located along the picturesque and historic banks of the Chesapeake Bay, the Hampton Veterans Affairs (VA) Medical Center (VAMC) is a 468-bed facility, serving more than 300,000 veterans living in eastern Virginia (VA) and northeastern North Carolina (NC). It is the fourth oldest facility in the VA healthcare system, established just after the Civil War, in 1870, as a national home for volunteer soldiers and sailors. Hampton VAMC is one of the fastest growing VA Medical Centers in the nation. It is also home to the largest Women's Health Program in VISN6. Women Veterans now comprise over 23% of enrolled Veterans at the Hampton VAMC.

As a teaching hospital providing a full range of patient care services, Hampton VAMC features state-of-the-art technology, education and research. The facility is a tertiary care, complexity Level 1c hospital providing comprehensive primary and specialty care in medicine, surgery, and psychiatry. In addition to our main facility in Hampton, we offer primary care and mental health services in four outpatient clinics located in Elizabeth City, NC, Chesapeake, VA, Portsmouth, VA and Virginia Beach, VA.

Practice Model

Hampton VAMC pharmacy services are available 24 hours a day, 365 days per year. The services are comprised of an inpatient and outpatient distribution pharmacy and also offers comprehensive clinical pharmacy services.

Clinical Pharmacy Specialists have a scope of practice and are active in providing pharmaceutical care services in Primary Care, Mental Health, Spinal Cord Injury, Internal Medicine, Anticoagulation, Home-Based Primary Care, Long-Term Care (Community Living Center), Hospice, Academic Detailing, Substance Abuse Residential Rehabilitation Treatment Program (SARRTP), and Women's Health.

Hampton VAMC is affiliated with Eastern Virginia Medical School and Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) Health. Pharmacy school affiliations include Hampton University School of Pharmacy, VCU School of Pharmacy, and other pharmacy programs across the nation. More than 180 individual residents, interns, and students are trained at Hampton VAMC each year.



Veterans Day Ceremony, Hampton VAMC

LEARNING EXPERIENCES

REQUIRED (7)

- Anticoagulation
- Geriatrics*
- Internal Medicine (Academic)
- Mental Health, inpatient
- Orientation
- Practice Management
- Primary Care

PGY1 Program Overview

The Hampton VAMC PGY1 Residency Program is accredited by the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists. The purpose of the program is to develop the resident's skills and competencies in providing patient-centered care in a broad range of clinical settings as a member of a multidisciplinary team.

The Hampton VAMC pharmacy resident has numerous learning opportunities managing the care of patients with multiple co-morbidities, psychosocial disorders, and complex social issues. In addition to patient care experiences, the resident will earn a teaching certificate through VCU School of Pharmacy, conduct a Quality Improvement project, participate in a medication use evaluation, and engage in daily operations of pharmacy services.

At the completion of the residency program, the resident will be prepared for an entry-level Clinical Pharmacy Specialist position or to continue training in a specialty PGY2 residency program.

ELECTIVES (select 3)

- Academic Detailing
- Cardiology
- Community Living Center*
- Infectious Disease
- Internal Medicine (Hospitalist)
- Intensive Care Unit/Acute Care Surgery
- Home-Based Primary Care*
- Pain
- Substance Abuse Residential Rehabilitation Treatment Program (SARRTP)
- Spinal Cord Injury
- Women's Health (Primary Care)



LONGITUDINALS

- Medication Use Evaluation
- Operations / Staffing
- Population Management
- Quality Improvement
- Teaching Certificate



Benefits

- Annual Stipend: \$47,797 (2023-2024)
- Annual Leave, 4 hours per pay period
- Paid Federal Holidays (11 days)
- Sick Leave, 4 hours per pay period
- Approved leave for professional travel
- Health Insurance

HOW TO APPLY

- Review the following eligibility check list: <u>www.va.gov/OAA/TQCVL/2021HPTInstructions</u> <u>FINALv2.pdf</u>
- Apply using the PhORCAS application system.
- Application materials:
 - 1. Official transcripts
 - 2. Letter of intent
 - 3. Three (3) letters of recommendation, of which *two (2) are required to be from a direct patient care preceptor*
 - 4. Curriculum Vitae

APPLICATION DEADLINE

January 2nd NMS Code: 219913 ASHP Program Code: 38020

Other Information

- PGY1 Positions Available: 2
- Start date: July 1
- Staffing component includes weekends and evenings. Dual Appointment available for weekends.
- Full and unrestricted pharmacist licensure from any state or territory of the United States is strongly preferred by July 1 and is expected no later than 120 days from start date.



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Hampton VAMC Women's Clinic