

# Application Requirements

## Qualifications:

- Doctor of Pharmacy or equivalent
- Licensure in the U.S. (any state)
- U.S. citizen

## Application Process:

All application materials should be sent as one packet containing the following:

- Letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Academic transcript
- Three letters of recommendation including ASHP recommendation request forms.

**Number of Positions: 4**

**Deadline:  
January 1, 2012**

All application materials should be directed to:

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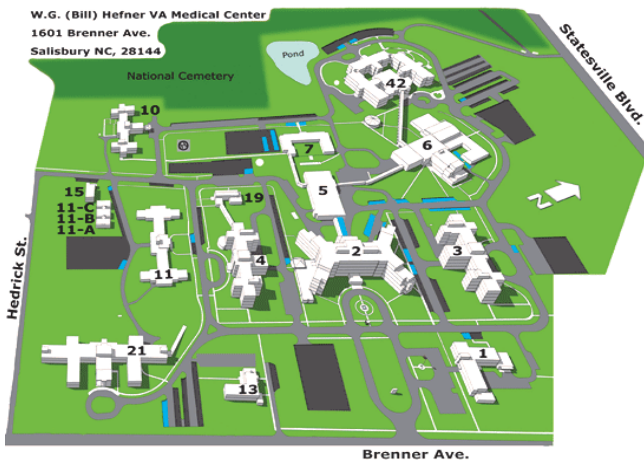
# W.G. (Bill) Hefner Veterans Affairs Medical Center



Salisbury, North Carolina

Post-Graduate Year  
One (PGY1) Pharmacy  
Practice Residency





# Residency Learning Experiences

## Required/Core Experiences >>>

- Rotations in acute care, psychiatry, geriatrics/long term care, infectious disease, and pharmacist-managed anticoagulation and pharmacotherapy clinics
- Precepting pharmacy students from various institutions
- Participating in P&T Committee, journal clubs, MUEs, and other quality management projects
- Completion of residency projects

## Longitudinal Experiences >>>

- Primary care experiences in pharmacotherapy clinics with exposure to diabetes, hypertension, and dyslipidemia management
- Participation in the smoking cessation clinic
- Participation in the Diabetes Management Education Group Clinic
- Rural Health Outreach
- Practice Management
- Drug Information
- Service commitment

## Electives (on and off campus) >>>

- Women's Health
- Cardiology
- Drug information
- Nephrology
- Nutrition
- Emergency medicine
- Oncology
- Transplant
- Extension of core experiences
- Community free clinic

## Benefits:

- Annual stipend: \$41,098
- Health and life insurance available
- Paid Federal holidays
- Paid vacation and sick leave (4 hours of each accrued every pay period)
- Office space with computer provided
- Paid administrative leave for meetings
- Travel and tuition support (as available)

Located in Central North Carolina, Salisbury VAMC is a tertiary care facility affiliated with the University of North Carolina School of Pharmacy, Campbell University College of Pharmacy, Wingate University School of Pharmacy, the University of Florida School of Pharmacy, Wake Forest University School of Medicine, and Virginia College of Osteopathic Medicine. It serves as a training site for students and residents in multiple disciplines, including: nursing, dentistry, optometry, pharmacy, psychiatry, rehabilitation, and medicine. In summer of

2011, a new infusion center was opened that now allows veterans to get hematology and chemotherapy treatments at the Salisbury medical center.

The medical center provides medical, surgical, psychiatric, and ambulatory care services to 84,107 veterans in the central Piedmont service area. It boasts large full-service clinics in Winston-Salem as well as in our newly expanded clinic in Charlotte. A Community-Based Outpatient Clinic (CBOC) in Hickory was also opened in summer of 2008.

Salisbury VAMC has clinical pharmacy specialists and clinical pharmacists (all with prescribing privileges) in primary care, long-term care, mental health clinics, infectious disease, and acute care. The medical center also provides home-based primary care and hospice care for veterans.



## Location:

Salisbury is conveniently located near several major North Carolina cities, including Charlotte, Winston-Salem, and Greensboro. Salisbury is within driving distance of the mountains (3 hours) and beaches (4 hours). It has a rich history and plays host to many cultural events year-round.