



## Information for Applicants

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### **Qualifications:**

Residency applicants must be U.S. citizens, have a Pharm.D. degree from an ACPE- accredited school of pharmacy, and be a licensed pharmacist in any state.

Applications are only accepted through the Pharmacy Residency Centralized Application System (PhORCAS).

Interested applicants should submit a letter of interest\*, 3 letters of recommendation (2 of which must be from clinical preceptors), curriculum vitae, official pharmacy school transcripts, and a completed application form by **Tuesday, January 2, 2024, at 11:59pm CST.**

***\*Letter of interest should address these questions in a bulleted fashion:***

- 1. Why do you want to do your PGY1 residency at the VA North Texas Health Care System?*
- 2. Name something you are proud of where you took a leadership role, initiative or planned an event. How did you accomplish this and how did it turn out?*
- 3. From these characteristics/qualities: adaptability, time management, ability to take and apply constructive criticism, and ability to work under pressure/stress, pick 2 characteristics that you feel you excel at and provide specific examples.*
- 4. From these characteristics/qualities: adaptability, time management, ability to take and apply constructive criticism, and ability to work under pressure/stress, pick 2 characteristics that you feel you need to improve on, and provide specific examples.*
- 5. For the ones you chose that you need to improve on, how do you feel a residency at VA North Texas specifically will help you to improve in these areas?*

***\*Letters of recommendation should address all of the following characteristics:***

- 1. Your ability to organize and manage your time*
- 2. Your independence and resourcefulness*
- 3. Your emotional stability and maturity*
- 4. Your ability to accept constructive criticism*

For more information, please utilize the resources and contact information below:

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### **Website**

[VA North Texas Health Care System Pharmacy Residency Programs Website](#)

### **Video Link**

[Introduction to VANTHCS and PGY1 Pharmacy Residency Program](#)

### **Contact Information**

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