Fayetteville is nestled in the heart of the Ozark Mountains. The area has four distinct seasons and is an outdoor paradise for hiking, fishing, rafting, and water sports. Fayetteville is the home of the University of Arkansas with the nationally recognized Arkansas Razorbacks. The community has two world-class museums, Crystal Bridges and The Momentary, and Walton Arts Center is also a hub of cultural activities. The area is home to several fortune 500 companies including Walmart, Tyson Foods, J.B. Hunt Transport, and Murphy USA, and Dillard’s. NW Arkansas enjoys a low unemployment rate, a low cost of living, and excellent public school system. NW Arkansas Regional Airport has direct flights to Los Angeles, New York City, Chicago, Houston, Denver, and more.

Where is Fayetteville, Arkansas?
Fayetteville is located in the Northwest corner of Arkansas, approximately:
- 4 hours from Kansas City
- 3 hours from either Little Rock, AR or Oklahoma City, OK
- 2.5 hours from Springfield, MO
- 2 hours from either Tulsa, OK or Branson, MO

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Learning Experiences

Six-Week
- Acute Care
- Home-Based Primary Care (HBPC)
- Mental Health
- Orientation
- Patient-Aligned Care Team (PACT)
- 1 Required Selective Learning Experience
  - Initial learning experience in Oncology, or an additional learning experience in Acute Care, Mental Health, or PACT.

Longitudinal
- Education and Drug Literature Evaluation
- Evaluation of Medication Use Systems and Resident Project
- Management and Staffing

Elective
- Select either 2 six-week or 3 month-long elective learning experiences. Some options include:
  - Academia / PACT
  - Substance-Use Disorder
  - Hepatology Clinic
  - Drug Information/Scientific Writing
  - Others as requested by the Resident

Benefits
- Paid administrative leave to attend local, state, and national pharmacy conferences.
- Rotation flexibility and diversity
- Vacation and sick leave that accrue over 12-months
- Health insurance
- Office space with computer
- Scrubs and professional lab coats provided

How to Apply

- Submit the following using PhORCAS:
  - Current C.V.
  - Official copy of college of pharmacy transcript
  - Three letters of recommendation (PhORCAS template)

Application deadline: December 31
- Interviews required in January and February

For More Information:

⇒ Visit our website for information regarding VHSO specific residency informational video conferences during the month of December:

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