

POSTGRADUATE YEAR 1 PHARMACY PRACTICE RESIDENCY

Eastern Colorado Healthcare System (ECHCS)

Aurora, Colorado

This PGY-1 pharmacy practice residency is a 12-month long program that prepares residents to be competent, confident, and compassionate providers of pharmaceutical care, as individuals and as members of the healthcare team. They will be prepared to accept positions as PGY2 residents, staff pharmacists in adult acute or ambulatory care, or entry level clinical pharmacists in adult acute or ambulatory care.

VA ECHCS includes a level 1a facility that opened August 2018.

The new Rocky Mountain Regional (RMR) VA Medical Center provides full-range of state-of-the-art patient care services. RMR is a 182-bed hospital with a 30-bed spinal-cord injury treatment center. Healthcare services are also provided at geographically dispersed locations throughout eastern Colorado including nine Community Based Outpatient Clinics, two Primary Care Telehealth Outpatient Clinics, a PTSD Residential Rehabilitation Treatment Program, a Community Living Center, a Homeless Veteran's Domiciliary, a Community Referral and Resource Center, a Polytrauma and Blind Rehabilitation Center and VA presence on two DOD bases; Fort Carson and U.S. Air Force Academy. RMR employs over 3,000 personnel in 150 occupations.



<u>Required Experiences</u>	<u>Program Information</u>	<u>Benefits</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambulatory Care • Acute Care • Practice Management • Formulary Management • Home Based Primary Care • Longitudinal Research Project • Inpatient Staffing <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Elective Rotations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geriatrics • Inpatient and Outpatient Mental Health • Anticoagulation • Teaching and Education • Emergency Medical Management • Pain Management • Oncology Neurology • Infectious Disease • Critical Care • Neurology <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Additional Opportunities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research certificate (ASPIRE) • Teaching certificate • Geriatric Research Education and Clinical Center • Professional Meetings (ASHP Midyear & Mountain States Residency Conference) • Precepting opportunities • Continuing Education Presentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 PGY-1 positions available • Accredited by ASHP since 1983 • Collaboration with 3 PGY-2 programs onsite <p style="text-align: center;"><u>2019-2020 Application Information</u></p> <p>Must be a United States citizen and have graduated from an American Council on Pharmaceutical Education (ACPE) accredited college or school of pharmacy. All residents are required to become licensed pharmacists in any state by September 1st, 2019. Interviews will be scheduled based upon evaluation of the application.</p> <p>All applications must be submitted electronically using PHORCAS by January 2nd, 2019. Requirements include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum vitae • Official pharmacy transcript • Letter of Intent • Three references 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Insurance Life Insurance Annual Leave: 13 days (accrued) Sick Leave: 13 days (accrued) Federal Holidays: 10 days
	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Contact Information</u></p> <p>Allison (Allie) Schroeder, Pharm.D., BCPS Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Chronic Pain Management Acting PGY-1 Residency Program Director VA Eastern Colorado Healthcare System (ECHCS) 1700 North Wheeling Street (119) Aurora, CO 80045 720-723-3184</p>	