The goal of this residency is to provide the necessary skills and experiences to develop a resident into an independent clinical pharmacist and provide a foundation for those pharmacists wishing to pursue a PGY2 residency.

The resident will design, monitor, and evaluate patient-specific therapeutic regimens. In the Pharm PACT clinic, the resident will train as a clinical pharmacist managing multiple disease states: diabetes, hypertension, congestive heart failure, and hyperlipidemia. Additionally, the resident will be assigned a panel of anticoagulation patients to monitor and manage the entire year.

The program offers a competitive stipend, vacation and sick leave. Healthcare benefits are also available.

Rotations
Longitudinal Rotations: (all year)
- Pharm PACT
- Anticoagulation
- Education and Student Precepting
- Pharmacy Practice (staffing)
- Group Counseling

Quarterly Rotations/Electives
- Management / Patient Safety (required)
- Heart Failure
- Pain management
- Geriatrics/Nursing Home
- Oncology
- And more!

Projects
- Medication Utilization Evaluation (presented at ASHP Midyear Meeting)
- Research Project
- Grand Rounds 1 hour CE presentation
- FSHP 1 hour CE presentation

The Sarasota Community-Based Outpatient Clinic is one of eight outpatient clinics of the Bay Pines Veterans Affairs Healthcare System. It is located south of St. Petersburg in sunny West Central Florida. Below are a handful of the many attractions to see while in the area!

- Siesta Key Beach—the #1 beach in the US!
- Longboat Key
- Myakka River State Park
- St. Armand’s Circle
- Van Wezel Performing Arts Center
- Home to the Orioles Spring Training
- Asolo Repertory Theatre
- Florida Studio Theatre
- John & Mable Ringling Museum
- Nathan Benderson Park
- Marie Selby Botanical Gardens
- 2 hours from Disney World in Orlando
- 1 hour away from Busch Gardens in Tampa

Come join our clinical pharmacy team!
**Requirements**

- The applicant must possess a Doctor of Pharmacy Degree (PharmD) from an ACPE-accredited college.
- All residents will be required to successfully complete a state board examination. Licensure may be through any U.S. State Board of Pharmacy.
- It is preferred that Board Examination is completed prior to starting the residency, however there is some flexibility. You **must** be licensed by September.
- U.S. citizenship is required.
- The applicant must be registered with the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists' Matching Program.
- An on-site interview is required for selected applicants.
- Minimum GPA: 3.0
- If selected, the resident must attend a 3 week orientation at Bay Pines VA Healthcare Center near St. Petersburg, Florida.

Primary Care is a fast growing specialty in health care today. While at Sarasota, the resident will experience a wide variety of clinic exposures including; anticoagulation, diabetes, hypertension, hyperlipidemia, and more. In these clinics, the resident will obtain direct patient care experience. The resident will develop as an independent practitioner and will design, monitor, and evaluate patient specific therapeutic regimens.

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