POSTGRADUATE YEAR ONE (PGY1) PHARMACY RESIDENCY

GENERAL INFORMATION

Iowa City Veterans Affairs Healthcare System (ICVAHCS) will offer four, ASHP-accredited, Postgraduate Year One (PGY1) pharmacy residency positions for 2020-2021.
The residency program is coordinated by Nancee Waterbury, PharmD, BCACP

Purpose Statement: The ICVAHCS PGY 1-Pharmacy residency program builds on Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) education and outcomes to contribute to the development of clinical pharmcists responsible for medication-related care of patients with a wide range of conditions, eligible for board certification and eligible for postgraduate year two (PGY-2) pharmacy residency training. The ICVAHCS is a teaching hospital providing the unique opportunity for our residents to engage in direct patient care, practice management and medication related education.

Program Description: Residents will gain valuable clinical experience in the ambulatory care and inpatient setting. Besides clinical activities, residents are appointed adjunct faculty status at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy and will participate in precepting/teaching pharmacy students. Residents will also participate in patient and staff education, present formal lectures, case discussions and journal clubs, and respond to drug information questions. Residents are required to conduct a research project, present the results, and summarize in a manuscript suitable for publication.

Required Experiences: Administration, anticoagulation clinic, college of pharmacy teaching program (PEPPR), formulary management service, internal medicine, medication safety, primary care clinic (PACT), project development and staffing.

Elective Clinical Experiences: Residents will select 3 elective experiences. A variety of opportunities exist including: diabetes/endocrinology, ICU, oncology, pain, palliative care, psychiatry, surgery, transplant, virology and others.

Appointment Period: Twelve months, starting June 22, 2020

Salary: $41,533 per annum.

Benefits: Federal Employee health benefits and group life insurance. Up to 13 vacation and 13 sick days, all federal government holidays, continuing education opportunities and partial travel funds.

Administrative Leave: Residents are eligible for travel leave to attend conventions and professional meetings including.

http://www.iowacity.va.gov/Pharmacy_Residency_Program_Iowa_City.asp