



Our program is a partnership with the **Harvard Geriatrics Fellowship** and the **Geriatric Research Education Clinical Center (GRECC)**

Learning Experiences

Core	<i>Elective</i>
Interprofessional geriatrics clinic	<i>Primary care</i>
Palliative care	<i>Geriatric Mental health</i>
Home-based primary care	<i>Interprofessional pain clinic</i>
Hospital-in-Home	<i>Renal clinic</i>
Long-term care	<i>Heart Failure clinic</i>
Aging Research	<i>Additional specialty clinics</i>
Weekly didactic learning	<i>Teaching certificate through Northeastern University</i>

Please apply via [PhORCAS](#)

NMS code: **672654**

Application deadline: **Monday, January 9th, 2023**



For more information, please reach out!

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VA Boston Healthcare System

PGY-2 Geriatric Pharmacy Residency Program



Experiences at the Brockton, Jamaica Plain, and West Roxbury campuses

Program Goals

The VA Boston Healthcare System offers a one-year ASHP-accredited PGY-2 residency in Geriatric Pharmacy. The aim of our program is to provide robust geriatric training in various care settings. The resident will become proficient in the optimization of geriatric pharmacotherapy, medication reconciliation, deprescribing and intimately familiar with multi-disciplinary team assessment and management of the complex older adult patient.

The resident will receive comprehensive, intense, and individualized training in aspects of geriatrics from dedicated, passionate, and expert pharmacy & geriatric medicine faculty.

Geriatric Clinical Pharmacy Specialists work under a broad scope of practice in a collaborative practice environment to align medication therapy with patient/caregiver goals of care. The hallmark of this program is the exceptional interprofessional team that the resident works with routinely.

Projects and Presentations

- Longitudinal research project
- Continuing Education (2)
- Medication Use Evaluation
- ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting
- American Geriatrics Society Annual Meeting

Applicant Requirements

- United States citizenship
- PharmD from an ACPE-accredited college of pharmacy
- Completion of an ASHP-accredited PGY1 pharmacy residency
- Active pharmacist licensure in any US state or territory
- Letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Three letters of recommendation [*one from the program director of applicant's PGY1 program*]
- Complete official transcripts
- Application submitted via PhORCAS

Resident Benefits

- ✓ Approximate stipend: \$50,353
- ✓ Health and life insurance offered
- ✓ Paid leave: 13 vacation days and 13 sick days
- ✓ 11 federal holidays
- ✓ Free parking at all three campuses
- ✓ No staffing requirement

**Join
our
team!**

Our Geriatric Team

- Board Certified Geriatric Pharmacist(s)
- Geriatricians, geriatric medicine fellows, and medical residents from local institutions
- Social worker and social work trainees
- Geriatric nurse practitioner and nurse residents
- Neuropsychology professionals, fellows, and trainees
- Partnership with audiology and neuro-memory clinic