Additional requirements include:

- Formulary management
- National VA newsletter article
- Journal club presentations (2)
- Patient case presentations (2)
- Continuing Medical Education formal presentation (1)
- MUE/DUE
- Lost Opportunity Costs
- Research project (1)
- Pharmacy and therapeutics presentations/proposals
- Preceptor development
- Attendance of various committee meetings
- Attendance of American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Midyear Clinical Meeting and regional/national Pharmacy Residency Conference to present research results
- Staff one weekend per month

**QUALIFICATIONS**

- Graduate of accredited school of pharmacy with a Doctor of Pharmacy or other advanced degree
- Licensure or eligibility for licensure in any state in the United States (must be licensed within 90 days of start of residency)
- Candidates for the residency position must be United States citizens

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Due date: January 5
- Three letters of reference
- Letter of Intent
- *Curriculum vitae*
- Pharmacy school transcripts
- Participation in the Match is required
- Submit application materials via PhORCAS [http://www.ashp.org/phorcas](http://www.ashp.org/phorcas)

**TIME LINE**

- Applications due: January 5
- Interview notifications: late January
- Interviews: February
- Match rankings (See [https://natmatch.com/ashprmp](https://natmatch.com/ashprmp) for exact dates):
  - Phase 1, early March; Phase 2, early April
- Match results:
  - Phase 1, mid-March; Phase 2, mid-April
- Start date: July 1
- NMS Code: 217921

**GULF COAST VETERANS HEALTH CARE SYSTEM**

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**SALARY AND BENEFITS**

- Stipend $41,533
- 13 days of paid accrued annual leave per year
- 13 days of paid accrued sick leave per year
- 10 paid holidays
- Paid administrative leave provided to attend approved educational meetings such as ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting and regional/national Pharmacy Residency Conference
- Shared office space with co-resident
- Health care benefit package with optional dental and vision plans
- Business cards provided
PGY-1 MENTAL HEALTH FOCUS

The residency program is a PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice residency. It is a 12-month program consisting of longitudinal experiences in Primary Care, Pharmacy Practice, Pharmacy Administration and Research.

Mental health required learning experiences include:
- Substance Abuse
- Outpatient Mental Health
- Psychosocial/Mental Health/Substance Abuse Residential Rehabilitation Treatment Programs (PRRTP/MHRRTP/SARRTP) including tracks in PTSD, Chronic Mental Illness (CMI) and work therapy
- Quit Tobacco Clinic
- Acute Inpatient Psychiatry

Additional required learning experiences include:
- Adult/Internal Medicine
- Home-based Primary Care
- Geriatrics/Community Living Center
- Primary Care/Ambulatory Care
- Pharmacy Administration
- Research

Elective learning experiences available include:
- Additional experience in one of the required rotations
- Acute Psychiatry/Inpatient Psychiatry
- Specialty Clinic (Hepatitis C)
- Antibiotic Stewardship/Infectious Disease
- Opioid Stewardship/Pain Management Team
- Primary Care at the Joint Ambulatory Care Center (Pensacola, Florida; lodging on your own)
- Drug Information
- National Academic Detailing
- National VA Med Safe