QUALIFICATIONS:
- United States citizen
- Graduated from an ACPE accredited school of pharmacy with a Doctor of Pharmacy degree
- Possess a valid US pharmacist license
- Complete a first-year pharmacy practice residency or equivalent experience

APPLICATION:
- Letter of Intent
- Curriculum Vitae
- Three (3) professional letters of reference
- Official College of Pharmacy Transcript(s)

Application must be submitted by January 10th, 2021
Match ID #: 690281

All application and supplemental materials should be submitted via the PhorCAS system:
http://www.ashp.org/phorcas
Application materials can be found at:
https://www.reno.va.gov/services/Pharmacy/PGY2Description.asp

Candidates will be ranked according to the National Match Program. This residency site agrees that no person at this site will solicit, accept, or use any ranking-related information from any residency applicant. Information about registering for the Match can be found
https://natmatch.com/ashprmp/

Address:
VISN 21 Office
5370 Kietzke Lane Suite 203
Reno, Nevada 89502

For additional information please contact:
Janice Taylor Pharm.D., BCPS
Email: Janice.Taylor5@va.gov
Phone: 775-505-9024
Benefits

- Stipend $44,994
- Eligible for medical insurance as a VA employee – multiple plans available
- Thirteen (13) days of annual leave
- Thirteen (13) days of sick leave
- Ten (10) paid federal holidays
- Tuition & travel to ASHP Midyear Meeting and a professional conference in the spring

Early Commitment

Residents participating in a VA Sierra Pacific Network residency program may qualify for early commitment. Interested residents should contact the PGY2 residency program director for more information.

About VISN 21

The VA Sierra Pacific Network (VISN 21) serves over 460,000 veterans and includes eight VA Medical Centers across Nevada, Northern California, Hawaii and the Philippines.

The purpose of the VISN 21 PGY2 program is to develop clinically proficient healthcare data analysts who will improve the quality, and outcomes of patient care services. The program promotes the integration of information technology, informatics, and data analysis with the practice of evidence-based medicine and medical treatments and process improvement.

The VISN residents assist in collaboration with interdisciplinary staff VISN-wide to provide evidence-based care to our veteran population. The principle location for the resident will be in Reno, NV. However, residents will work throughout VISN 21 with the PBM Data and Program Managers and VISN 21 Clinical Pharmacy Specialists.

Program Description

Skill development will include:

- Development and implementation of performance measures and metrics
- Pharmacy benefit design and formulary management
- Data warehouse management
- SQL server and dashboard development training
- Business intelligence tool training and use
- Academic detailing focusing on teaching education and dissemination of knowledge
- Population-based healthcare
- Leadership and management

Elective Experiences:

- Academia
- Advanced leadership and management
- Advanced skills with technology or automating systems
- Advanced formulary management

Residents will apply population management skills and tools to direct patient care activities at the local VA medical center clinics on a weekly basis throughout the year. Residents will further participate in pharmacoeconomics, formulary management, and other elective experiences depending on resident interest.

Positions Available: Two (2) PGY2 Residents

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