The Roseburg VA Medical Center and its satellite clinics serve over 27,000 Veterans throughout Central and Southern Oregon & Northern California. Three satellite clinics provide care for Veterans in Eugene, North Bend, and Brookings. The Roseburg VA Medical Center campus is located in beautiful Roseburg, Oregon. Home to 22,000 people, Roseburg is situated along the Umpqua River. Scenic walking and bike trails along the river link the town’s parks.

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM
The VA proudly serves Veterans who have bravely fought to protect the freedoms of our great nation. Each year, three residents are carefully selected for a one-year, ASHP-accredited program that begins mid-June. Residents will work alongside board certified pharmacists with prescriptive authority and actively participate in patient management in a variety of clinical settings. Mornings consist of core and elective rotations; afternoons are devoted to longitudinal clinics. Opportunities to complete elective rotations at the Eugene Health Care Center are available. Application materials must be submitted through PhORCAS. If selected, prospective candidates are required to complete an onsite interview, including a presentation, clinical case scenario, and a tour of the facility.

Core Rotations:
- Ambulatory Primary Care
- Inpatient Medicine
- Inpatient Psychiatry
- Outpatient Psychiatry
- Community Living Center
- Pharmacy Administration

Elective Rotations:
- Primary Care
- Home-Based Primary Care
- Pharmacy Informatics
- Outpatient Psychiatry
- Joint Commission Review
- Potential for additional opportunities based on residents’ interests

Longitudinal Experiences:
- **Pharmacotherapy Clinic**: Twice weekly pharmacy-managed clinic for Veterans diagnosed with hypertension, dyslipidemia, congestive heart failure, and diabetes. Residents will build rapport and continually manage select Veterans throughout the residency year
- **Anticoagulation Clinic**: Telephone-based monitoring of warfarin, LMWH, and direct oral anticoagulants
- **Drug Regimen Reviews**: Monthly medication reviews for Veterans in transitional care and dementia protected-care units
- **Smoking Cessation**: Telephone-based smoking cessation appointments to optimize prescriptions for varenicline, bupropion, and nicotine replacement therapy
ABOUT OUR PROGRAM (CONTINUED)

Other Program Requirements:

- Completion of year-long residency project for presentation at Northwest Residents Conference
- Publication of bimonthly pharmacy newsletter
- Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee participation and presentations
- Precepting APPE students from Oregon State University and Pacific University
- Journal club and grand rounds presentations
- Staffing every third Thursday/Saturday

BENEFITS

- Competitive annual stipend
- 13 days of paid vacation
- 13 days of sick leave
- 10 paid federal holidays
- Optional medical, dental, vision and life insurance
- Educational leave to attend pharmacy conferences (funding may be available)
- Ability to practice with pharmacy license from any state
- Access to the VA healthcare system with opportunities for continuing education and networking nationwide
- Paid staffing shifts available

Application deadline: January 1st
NMS Code: 203713

HOW TO APPLY

Qualification Requirements:

- United States citizen
- Graduate of an accredited School or College of Pharmacy
- Eligible for licensure within two months of starting residency program and ability to obtain licensure within 90 days after the start of residency
- Registered in the ASHP Resident Matching Program
- Current Basic Life Support certification

Application Through PhORCAS:

- Letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Official pharmacy school transcripts
- Three letters of recommendation using PhORCAS Standardized Reference Form from professional practitioners, including one letter from a pharmacy faculty member

For questions, please contact:

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Swimming, fishing, and boating are all enjoyed on the Umpqua River, which flows through Roseburg. Hiking trails, mountain biking, rock climbing, kayaking, surfing, camping, ski resorts, lakes, waterfalls, the scenic Oregon coast, Crater Lake National Park, and the Redwood Forest are all within easy driving distance. Roseburg offers many breweries and local restaurants, and the Umpqua Valley is home to numerous wineries. Roseburg is located about one hour south of Eugene and three hours south of Portland.