Why Choose a VA Residency?

VA Health Care System

The Department of Veterans Affairs is the largest integrated health care provider in the United States. Through its investments in people, cutting-edge technology and research, VA leads the health care field. With 152 health care facilities throughout the country, VA treats more than half a million veterans on an inpatient basis and manages nearly 40 million outpatients each year.

VA Pharmacy Residency Programs

The VA Pharmacy Residency Program is the largest training program for advanced clinical pharmacy training in the country with an expansive number of both PGY-1 and PGY-2 programs. VA trains approximately 607 residents annually in 236 American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP) accredited residencies.

Unique Benefits of a VA Residency

• 12 month (July 1 - June 30) outstanding direct patient care experience serving a challenging and rewarding Veteran population
• A stimulating interdisciplinary environment where residents learn to assess and develop patient care plans and support health care services to maximize patient care outcomes
• Research and academic opportunities mentored by experienced pharmacist providers
• Competitive annual stipend
• Authorized absence for approved continuing education, in addition to vacation, national holidays, and sick days
• Health Plans are included

PGY-2 Clinical Specialty Residencies

Ambulatory Care

- Augusta, GA
- Black Hills, SD
- Boise, ID
- Charleston, SC
- Cleveland, OH
- Columbia, SC
- Dallas, TX
- Detroit, MI
- Fayetteville, NC
- Gainesville, FL
- Houston, TX
- Hudson Valley, NY
- Indianapolis, IN
- Kansas City, MO
- Lebanon, PA
- Lexington, KY
- Little Rock, AR
- Madison, WI
- Nashville, TN
- Providence, RI
- San Diego, CA
- San Antonio, TX
- Tampa, FL
- Topas, ME
- VA Maryland HCS

Cardiology

- Ann Arbor, MI
- Nashville, TN
- West Palm Beach, FL

Critical Care

- Dallas, TX
- Gainesville, FL
- San Antonio, CA

Drug Information

- Durham, NC

Geriatrics

- Boston, MA
- Bronx, NY
- Cleveland, OH
- Durham, NC
- Little Rock, AR
- Reno, NV
- San Antonio, TX
- VA Connecticut

Health System Pharmacy Administration

- Bay Pines (St. Pete), FL
- Birmingham, AL
- Charleston, SC
- Chicago (Westside), IL
- Miami, FL
- Danville, IL
- Gainesville, FL
- Hines, IL
- Houston, TX
- Indianapolis, IN
- Lebanon, PA
- Madison, WI
- Palo Alto, CA
- Portland, OR
- Puget Sound, WA
- San Diego, CA

Infectious Disease

- Bronx, NY
- Buffalo, NY
- Chicago (Westside), IL
- Cleveland, OH
- Dallas, TX
- Hines, IL
- Houston, TX
- Kansas City, MO
- Milwaukee, WI
- Oklahoma City, OK
- St Louis, MO
- San Antonio, TX
- San Diego, CA

Internal Medicine

- Indianapolis, IN
- Memphis, TN
- Phoenix, AZ
- St Louis, MO
- San Antonio, TX
- Milwaukee, WI

Medication Safety

- Hines, IL
- Milwaukee, WI

Nephrology

- San Diego, CA

Neurology

- Los Angeles, CA

Oncology

- Durham, NC
- Indianapolis, IN
- San Antonio, TX
- San Diego, CA
- Tucson, AZ

Palliative Care/Pain Management

- Albany, NY
- Canadensis, NY
- Gainesville, FL
- Little Rock, AR
- West Palm Beach, FL

Pharmacy Informatics

- Columbia, SC
- San Diego, CA

Pharmacy Outcomes/Healthcare Analytics

- Kansas City, MO
- Reno, NV
- Temple, TX

Psychiatric Pharmacy

- Albuquerque, NM
- Buffalo, NY
- Chicago (Westside), IL
- Chillicothe, OH
- Cincinnati, OH
- Cleveland, OH
- Columbus, SC
- Dallas, TX
- Denver, CO
- Fargo, ND
- Gainesville, FL
- Hines, IL
- Iowa City, IA
- Lexington, KY
- Loma Linda, CA
- Madison, WI
- Miami, FL
- Milwaukee, WI
- Minneapolis, MN
- Murfreesboro, TN
- North Chicago, IL
- Palo Alto, CA
- Phoenix, AZ
- Providence, RI
- Richmond, VA
- Reno, NV
- Salem, VA
- Salisbury, NC
- Salt Lake City, UT
- San Antonio, TX
- San Diego, CA
- Tampa, FL
- Temple, TX
- Tuscaloosa, AL
- VA Connecticut
- West Palm Beach, FL

For more information on individual programs please visit the website: http://www.pbm.va.gov/education/vapharmacyresidencyprogram.asp

PGY-1 Residencies and

PGY-2 Specialty Residencies

Veterans Health Administration