

Wesley Medical Center Pharmacy Residency PGY1 Pediatric Residency Program

Purpose

The purpose of the Wesley Medical Center (WMC) PGY1 pharmacy residency program is to provide a challenging, well-rounded training environment, focusing on core areas of practice including patient care and practice management, in order to prepare graduates for a PGY2 specialty pharmacy residency, employment as a clinical pharmacist, and/or an adjunctive pharmacy faculty position. Upon completion of the program, the clinical pharmacists will be ready to apply their skills in direct patient care, exhibit excellent decision-making skills, and provide education and leadership in the care of patients.

Overview

The Wesley Medical Center PGY1 Pharmacy Residency program is a one-year training program in an acute care, community hospital practice setting. We will be recruiting for one (1) pediatric residency position for 2016-2017.

WMC Pharmacy started its residency program in July 2004. The program underwent evaluation for ASHP accreditation in April 2005 and received accreditation for 6 years. In July 2010, the critical care specialty residency program was added. The program underwent evaluation for ASHP accreditation in August 2011 and received accreditation for 6 years. In July 2014, a pediatric focused PGY1 residency program was created.

WMC is one of the most experienced and comprehensive medical centers in Kansas. Our mission is to ensure quality healthcare, provide compassion, offer comfort and build trust with every patient, every time.

WMC is a tertiary-care, community teaching facility and Level 1 trauma center licensed for 760 beds and 102 bassinets. WMC contains The Children's Center, the only pediatric hospital in Kansas. Eight buildings comprise Wesley's campus, which include the Critical Care Building (CCU, MICU, SICU), Wesley Women's Hospital, the Birth Care Center, the Family Medicine Center and Wesley West Emergency and Diagnostic Center. Advanced technologies and services offered at WMC includes a state-of-the-art Neonatal ICU and Pediatric ICU, advanced care for high-risk pregnancies, neurodiagnostics and stroke management (including the area's only Gamma Knife Center), and numerous outpatient clinics.

Stipend: \$43,000

Other Benefits: Health/Dental/Life insurance, membership to a professional organization, travel expenses to ASHP midyear clinical meeting and the Midwest Residents Conference, direct deposit, free covered parking

Paid Time Off: 22 days (10 vacation days + holidays etc.)

Residency Rotations (4 week blocks)

Required Rotations: Pharmacy Practice Orientation
Pediatrics
Infectious Diseases
Pediatric ED
Neonatal Intensive Care
Pediatric Critical Care
Practice Management and Medication Safety

Elective Rotations: Any required rotation may be repeated
Research and Grantsmanship
Preceptorship
Nutrition Support (1/2 block)
Informatics (1/2 block)
Medication Safety (1/2 block)
Program Development (1/2 block)

Longitudinal: Code Blue Response
Level 1 Trauma Response
Hospital Pharmacy Practice
Drug Information and Formulary Development
Pharmacy Informatics and Automation
Formulary and Policy Maintenance
Medication Use Evaluation (MUE)
Committee Involvement (e.g. P&T)
Medication Safety and ADR Monitoring

Required Project: The resident must initiate and complete a clinical research or practice-related project, while adhering to an established timeline for the project to assure successful completion during the one-year residency. The project will be directly supervised by the preceptors who have expertise in the selected pharmacotherapy discipline. The project proposal must be approved by WMREF (Wichita Medical Research and Education Foundation) or deemed Quality Improvement. The project will be presented at ASHP Midyear Meeting in December as well as the Midwest Pharmacy Residents Conference in Omaha, Nebraska, in May. Residents are also required to complete a publishable manuscript and are encouraged to publish results of the project in a peer-reviewed journal.

Candidate Qualifications:

- Doctor of Pharmacy degree from an ACPE-accredited College or School of Pharmacy or B.S in Pharmacy with equivalent clinical experience.
- Minimum average GPA of 3.0 throughout pharmacy school. If average GPA is less than 3.0, must attach a letter of explanation to the program director for further consideration.
- Newly hired, unlicensed pharmacy graduates are expected to have a scheduled appointment to sit for the NAPLEX and Multistate Jurisprudence Exam prior to their start date and obtain licensure as a pharmacist in the State of Kansas by July 31st of the residency year. Licensing fees are not reimbursed.

- Must have, or be able to obtain, certification in basic life support (BLS).

Application Requirements:

- Application materials to be submitted via ASHP PhORCAS
- Application deadline is January 1st

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