

VA Loma Linda

PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency

The Postgraduate Year One (PGY1) residency at VA Loma Linda Healthcare System is a one year ASHP accredited program. Our program offers the resident opportunities to develop the knowledge, attitude, and skills necessary to become an advanced pharmaceutical care practitioner. Each resident's interests and goals are taken into consideration when designing their individualized plan. Residents will strengthen their knowledge and pharmaceutical care skills in a variety of interdisciplinary settings.



Requirements:

- Pharmacy degree from an accredited college of pharmacy
- Licensure to practice in any U.S. state
- Citizen of the United States

Program Features

The resident will develop the knowledge and skills required to become a competent clinical practitioner through training in the following areas

Ambulatory Care

- Medication management clinic (longitudinal)
- Primary care (required)
- Subspecialty Clinics (required)
 - Cholesterol Clinic
 - Non-formulary/prior authorization management
 - Geriatric Clinic
 - Women's Tele-Pharmacy Clinic
 - Pain Management Clinic
 - Anticoagulation Clinic
- Psychiatry Clinic (elective)
- Infectious Disease Clinic (elective)
- Group Medical Appointments (elective)

Acute Care

- Critical Care (required)
- Internal Medicine (required)
- Geriatric/Long Term Care (elective)
- Inpatient Psychiatry (elective)
- Antimicrobial Stewardship (elective)
- Inpatient Oncology (elective)

Additional Activities

- Adverse drug reaction reporting
- Precept 4th year pharmacy students
- Multidisciplinary committee participation
- Journal club
- Didactic presentations
- Drug use evaluation
- Drug summaries



Upon completion of this residency, VA Loma Linda residents will become highly skilled ambulatory/clinical care pharmacy specialists.

Upon completion of residency, residents will be able to:

- Formulate optimal drug therapy plans as members of a health care team
- Utilize verbal and written communication skills to educate patients and other health care providers
- Practice in diverse patient care settings
- Serve as preceptors
- Effectively manage projects



The VA Loma Linda Healthcare System is a multidisciplinary teaching facility affiliated with the Loma Linda University School of Medicine.

The facility is located in San Bernardino County, approximately 60 miles east of Los Angeles.



Please see our residency website for more information and download the required documents for application:

http://www.lomalinda.va.gov/clinical_training/pharmacy/Pharmacy_Residency_Program.asp

Also access the website with your smart phone using the QR image below:



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