

OREGON



Benefits:

- Stipend ~ \$43,326
- Medical/Life Insurance
- 13 days annual leave
- 13 days sick leave
- Education/professional leave
- BLS and ACLS Certification

Application Requirements:

Applicants must provide the following to be considered for the residency program:

- Completed application
- Official college transcript
- Curriculum vitae
- Letter of intent
- Three letters of recommendation (one from faculty)
- All applicants must be US Citizens
- Participation in the ASHP residency matching program
- A personal, on-site interview

How to Apply:

- Submitting information to : PhORCAS: Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Service
- Deadline: **January 10, 2014**
- Supplemental Information: VA Form OF 306

VA Form 2850c

http://www.portland.va.gov/pharmacy/Pharmacy_Residency.asp

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OUR MISSION

Honor America's Veterans by providing exceptional health care that improves their health and well-being

OUR VISION

To be a patient-centered integrated health care organization for Veterans providing excellent health care, research, and education; an organization where people choose to work; an active community partner; and a back-up for National emergencies.

CORE VALUES

Trust. Respect.
Excellence. Compassion.
Commitment

DOMAINS OF VALUE

Quality. Access. Function. Satisfaction.
Cost-effectiveness. Healthy Communities.

Portland Veterans Affairs Medical Center



Pharmacy PGY-1 Residency Ambulatory Care Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOCs)



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Program Overview

The program is a one-year ASHP accredited PGY-1 Residency, with emphasis in Primary Care. The program offers the opportunity to develop and implement innovative clinical pharmacy services at the community based outpatient clinics (CBOCs). In addition, the program has training in the women veterans health care and mental health and neurosciences divisions.



The primary goal of the Portland VA PGY-1 is to prepare residents to function as well-rounded, independent, competent clinical pharmacists in patient care positions in an organized health care setting. The program focuses on the development of skills in an ambulatory care setting including practice and project management, drug information, teaching, and research.

Residents participate in interdisciplinary rounds, therapeutic consultation for medication regimens, drug therapy monitoring, drug interaction and adverse event evaluations, and medication counseling for patients.

The resident will also have the opportunity to participate in a local teaching certificate program, present at local pharmacy meetings, and participate in the city-wide residency group which includes both educational and social events with other residents in the area.

Core Learning Experiences

- Pharmacy Administration
- Ambulatory Care
- Formulary Management
- Drug Policy
- Internal Medicine
- Inpatient Practice
- Outpatient Practice
- Research Project
- Geriatrics

Continuity Clinics

- Center for Women Veterans Health
- Mental Health
- Anticoagulation
- Lipids, Diabetes, HF, or Methadone

Elective Opportunities

- Hematology Oncology
- Psychiatry
- Liver/Kidney Transplant
- Home Based PC
- Cardiology
- Critical Care
- Neurology
- Teaching
- Infectious Disease



Pharmacy Services

The Pharmacy Service employs more than 150 individuals, including approximately 90 pharmacists. This number includes a chief, assistant chief, 5 supervisory pharmacists, 2 pharmacoeconomic program specialists, a clinical coordinator, clinical pharmacy specialists, and approximately 60 technicians. Twenty-four hour centralized medication management and IV admixtures services are also provided and available at the hospital.

Current clinical patient care services available at the hospital include ambulatory care clinics at both divisions and at CBOCs, anticoagulation clinic, critical care, primary care, general medicine, infectious disease, CHF clinic, long-term care, oncology, pulmonary, transplant and palliative care services.

Facilities

The Portland VA Medical Center (PVAMC) is a 303-bed consolidated facility with two main divisions. The medical center serves as the quaternary referral center for Oregon, Southern Washington, and parts of Idaho. The Portland VAMC is connected to OHSU structurally by a beautiful sky bridge and functionally by shared staff, trainees and educational opportunities.

The Vancouver, Washington division of the Portland VAMC is located just across the Columbia River. This spacious campus houses primary and specialty care services, and our Community Living Center (CLC).

The medical center has eight community-based outpatient clinics (CBOCs), located in East Portland, Hillsboro, Bend, Salem, West Linn, North Coast, Newport, and The Dalles.