

PGY2 Ambulatory Care Pharmacy Residency

Accepting
applications
for 2023-24



Overview

The PGY2 Ambulatory Care Program is designed to build upon knowledge post-graduate trainees gained during a PGY1 residency and apply this knowledge in a variety of ambulatory care settings, including primary care (internal and family medicine), specialty pharmacy, palliative care, administration, and community pharmacy.

PGY2 pharmacy residency programs build on Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) education and PGY1 pharmacy residency programs to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists in advanced practice settings. PGY2 residencies provide residents with opportunities to function independently as practitioners by conceptualizing and integrating accumulated experience and

knowledge and incorporating both into the provision of patient care or other advanced practice settings. Residents who successfully complete an accredited PGY2 pharmacy residency are prepared for advanced patient care, academic, or other specialized positions, along with board certification.

Mission

Building healthier communities together

Vision

Serving our communities with PRIDE

Values

Passion, Respect, Integrity, Dedication,
Excellence



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Program Structure:

All learning experiences included in this program are longitudinal, except orientation. Orientation will occur at the beginning of the residency, with at least one week spent at each rotation site prior to beginning longitudinal portions of rotations. After orientation, required patient care rotations will be scheduled once weekly for full year and elective rotations will be scheduled once weekly for half of the year.

Required Rotations:

- Orientation
- Primary Care and Anticoagulation
- Specialty Care
- Community and Specialty Pharmacy
- Palliative Care and Heart Failure
- Research Project
- Staffing

Elective Rotations:

- Ambulatory psychiatry
- Research
- Management
- Hospice
- Health Plan

Residency Information:

- **Type:** PGY2
- **Duration:** 1 Year
- **Positions:** 1
- **Deadline:** January 31st
- **Start Date:** Early July
- **Estimated Stipend:** \$54,496

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Frequently Asked Questions:

Is the program ASHP accredited ?

We plan to seek ASHP accreditation with our first residency class. We have designed the residency based on ASHP Accreditation Standards.

When are applications due? What is required for application ?

Applications are due by Jan 31st. You will need to submit curriculum vitae, letter of intent, transcripts and three references. Please reach out to jmilburn@samhealth.org for more information on applying.

How are the residents selected ?

Completed applications are reviewed by a team of preceptors who will select a number of potential candidates to be invited for an interview. The interview includes a required 10-minute clinical presentation. The selection criteria include the residents' interest area, experience and fit with the Samaritan mission.

Is there a preference for in-state or out-of-state pharmacy school or residency graduates ?

There is no preference for in-state or out-of-state graduates. Each applicant is treated equally and is reviewed using the same criteria.

How are residents evaluated ?

Samaritan follows the ASHP Residency Learning System model of training.

- ◆ **Direct Instruction:** Reading assignments and direct teaching.
- ◆ **Modeling:** Preceptor shows the resident what needs to be done. This includes observing the preceptor in his/her daily activities on the floor or in the clinic.
- ◆ **Coaching:** Resident does the work of the preceptor (clinic, on the floor, on rounds, in meetings, etc.) and the preceptor observes and provides feedback.
- ◆ **Facilitating:** Resident practices independently in the same capacity as the preceptor. The preceptor provides feedback, and the resident reflects on their own performance.

The goal is for the resident to become an extender of the preceptor, which means the resident can function in the same capacity on their own.

We use PharmAcademic to facilitate written evaluations throughout the longitudinal rotations, at least every 12 weeks, that will be reviewed with the resident. Daily verbal feedback will occur on rotation. The resident will provide feedback about the rotation and the preceptor for each rotation and preceptor.



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What teaching opportunities are there for residents ?

Residents will have the option of precepting pharmacy students or residents who are scheduled on rotation with them. Residents can receive a teaching certificate through the Oregon Residency Teaching Program and will have the opportunity to complete a teaching rotation through OSU. Teaching opportunities on rotation include presentations (case presentations, journal clubs, topic presentations) as well as a required newsletter article in the “Prescription Pearls” newsletter which is sent out to all system staff .

What is the staffing requirement and how are residents trained to prepare for staffing ?

Staffing begins when residents are licensed in Oregon and have done orientation in the staffing environments (with goal of September). Residents will staff approximately 20 hours per 3 week time period. Most of this time will be scheduled on the weekends and may occur in Samaritan Pharmacy or Samaritan Anticoagulation Clinics.

Do residents have to do a research project ?

Yes. The resident will be required to conduct a research project to complete the requirements of the residency. Preceptors present project ideas in August and a general timeline for successful project completion is in place. Residents will have a dedicated

preceptor to mentor them during their project. Study results will be presented at the Northwest Pharmacy Residency Conference and publication is encouraged.

Is office space available to residents ?

Yes. Residents are provided with an office workspace equipped with PCs and printers as well as a laptop. Residents are also able to access work files and email remotely.

Do residents receive health insurance ?

Yes. Insurance premiums may be paid on a pre-tax basis. This comprehensive benefit program offers medical, pharmacy, dental, vision and employee wellness.

What is your licensure policy for PGY2 residents ?

Resident must obtain and maintain the appropriate license to practice pharmacy in the state of Oregon as soon as possible, no later than within the first four months of the program as required by ASHP standards. A valid Oregon license (intern or pharmacist) must be presented on the first day of residency. Resident shall not be permitted to begin the program under any circumstances without a valid intern or pharmacist license on the first day.



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