

Methodist University Hospital

PGY2 Critical Care Residency



Overview

Methodist University Hospital offers an ASHP-accredited postgraduate year two (PGY-2) residency in Critical Care Pharmacy Practice. The purpose of the program is to provide the resident with the knowledge, skills and attitudes required to achieve potential excellence as a clinician, educator and scholar in the area of critical care medicine. Our institution is home to a 16-bed medical/surgical intensive care unit (ICU), 16-bed cardiovascular ICU, 16-bed neurocritical care unit, 16-bed transplant ICU, and a 58-bed Emergency Department that sees approximately 75,000 patients per year. Residents complete a required rotation in Trauma at an off-site institution in downtown Memphis. Residents are expected to perform independently and demonstrate proficiency in their rotations. The residency preceptor provides guidance and assistance to the resident and ensures that the goals set forth by the resident and the program are met. The preceptor also provides the resident with frequent evaluation of their progress, including a written evaluation at the conclusion of the rotation. All residents are expected to demonstrate self-initiative, independent learning skills, and effective communication skills throughout the residency. Frequent, clear communication is the key to a successful resident/preceptor relationship.

In addition to the learning experiences outlined on the next page, residents are also able to participate in several learning opportunities meant to complement their clinical rotations. These include the Pharmacy Residency Education Series (PRES), the research development series, landmark critical care trials and journal club series, and the University of Tennessee Teaching and Learning Program (if a similar program was not completed during the PGY1 year).

Program Expectations

- Provide clinical pharmacy services to critically ill patients
- Co-precept pharmacy students and PGY1 residents
- Initiate, complete, and present a practice-based research project at a regional or national meeting, as well as submit for publication
- Provide effective drug education to patients, caregivers, and health care personnel
- Develop and deliver educational presentations to a variety of audience types
- Support hospital and pharmacy quality and safety initiatives
- Successfully achieve a minimum of 75% of all required residency learning objectives



Learning Experiences

Core Rotations (one month duration unless otherwise noted)

- Orientation (if PGY1 not completed at MUH)
- Medical ICU (3 rotations)
- Neurocritical Care (2 rotations)
- Emergency Medicine
- Trauma (off-site)

Longitudinal Experiences

- Pharmacy Practice Staffing (approximately every 4th weekend, one evening per month)
- On-Call (approximately 2-3 weeks per year)
- Medication Use Policy & Safety (3 months)
- Residency Presentations (continuing education, physician lecture, and college of pharmacy lecture)

Elective Experiences (Select 3-4, each 1 month in duration)

- Evening / Overnight Critical Care
- Transplant Surgery
- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Nephrology
- Acute Stroke
- Community ICU (South Hospital)
- Palliative Care
- Bone Marrow Transplant
- Cardiology
- Antimicrobial Stewardship

Core Rotation Preceptors

Preceptor	Practice Area	Training
Lauren Kimmons, PharmD, BCCCP	Neurocritical Care	Critical Care Methodist University Hospital
Michael Samarin, PharmD, BCCCP	Medical / Surgical ICU	Critical Care The Nebraska Medical Center
Rachel Bone, PharmD, BCPS	Cardiothoracic Surgery	Pharmacy Practice TriStar Summit Medical Center
Sarah Krizan, PharmD, BCCCP	Community ICU (Methodist South)	Critical Care Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
Lisa Hayes, PharmD, BCCCP	Emergency Medicine	Critical Care University of Utah Hospital
Ana Negrete, PharmD, BCPS	Emergency Medicine	Critical Care Charleston Area Medical Center
Kacie Clark, PharmD, BCCCP	Emergency Medicine	Critical Care Florida Hospital Orlando
Michael Reichert, PharmD, BCCCP	Emergency Medicine	Critical Care Wesley Medical Center
Paul Schotting, PharmD, BCCCP	Emergency Medicine	Emergency Medicine Methodist University Hospital

Residency Graduates

Year	Resident	First Post-Residency Position
2015	Jacob Marler, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Generalist Pharmacist – Critical Care Step-Down Methodist University Hospital, Memphis, TN
2016	Neil Roe, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Critical Care Baptist Health System, Little Rock, AR
2017	Whitney Gross, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Pediatric Intensive Care University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, MS
2018	K. Erin Davidson, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Specialist – Emergency Dept / Neurocritical Care The Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN
2019	J. Tyler Haller, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Neurocritical Care Barrow Neurological Institute at St Joseph's Hospital & Medical Center, Phoenix, AZ
2020	Natalie Tucker, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Neurocritical Care Ochsner Medical Center, New Orleans, LA
2021	Catherine Moore, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Neurocritical Care Oklahoma University Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK
2022	Jack Lukas, PharmD, BCCCP	Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – Critical Care Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

Salary

Salary is approximately \$50,000 and is paid on a bi-weekly basis.

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