Walgreens and St. Louis College of Pharmacy at University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy
PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy Residency Program, St. Louis, Missouri

The purpose of PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy Residency Programs is to build upon the Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) education and outcomes to develop community-based pharmacist practitioners with diverse patient care, leadership and education skills who are eligible to pursue advanced training opportunities including postgraduate year two (PGY2) residencies and professional certifications.

Walgreens and St. Louis College of Pharmacy at University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis (UHSP) are committed to providing the PGY1 community-based pharmacy resident with an exceptional postgraduate educational training experience. This residency program’s purpose is to enable residents to achieve their professional goals, become a leader within the profession, provide compassionate care for members of their communities, and contribute to Walgreens Company’s advancements in health care.

The main practice site for the resident is a Walgreens local specialty pharmacy, located approximately one mile from campus. The resident will gain experience providing patient care and communicating with prescribers regarding specialty disease states including HIV, HCV, oncology, and solid organ transplant. The secondary practice site is at a high-volume retail location. This pharmacy has a separate patient care center that offers unique opportunities to provide care for patients with a variety of chronic disease states. This residency also emphasizes developing skills related to community outreach and professional advocacy.

The resident will have opportunities with both experiential and didactic teaching at St. Louis College of Pharmacy at UHSP. The resident will develop and execute a lecture to pharmacy students, and have an opportunity to serve as a skills lab facilitator during the spring semester. A teaching certificate program is available through the University’s Resident Education Academy.

Residency Activities

- Disease state management in HIV/AIDS, hepatitis C, solid organ transplant, and oncology
- Develop and present community outreach presentations for patients, caregivers, and case managers
- Medication therapy management (MTM)
- Recommend and administer routine and travel immunizations
- Enhance existing or develop new patient care programs
- Design and conduct independent, practice-based research
- Present research findings at regional and national meetings
- Develop and present a continuing education seminar for clinical pharmacists
- Provide clinical instruction to student pharmacists in didactic and experiential environments
- Gain pharmacy business and management leadership skills

Residency Program Benefits

- Competitive stipend
- Comprehensive medical plan
- Travel allowance for pharmacy-related conferences
- Walgreens issued laptop for residency-related work and designated workspace at the University
- Residents are eligible for Paid Time Off (PTO). The rate at which you accrue your PTO will be based on your years of service, average hours per week, and position.
- Faculty appointment at the University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis

Candidate Requirements

- Doctor of Pharmacy degree from a college or school of pharmacy accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education
- Obtain Missouri pharmacist licensure within 90 days of the start of the residency program
- Completed online resident position application at walgreens.jobs
- Submission of all residency program application materials by January 2nd to Pharmacy Online Centralized Application Service (PhORCAS)
  - Application
  - Curriculum Vitae
  - Three letters of recommendations
  - Official University Transcripts
  - On-site or virtual interview (upon invitation)
  - Register with the National Matching Service (NMS)

For More Information Contact

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More residency information can be found at www.uhsp.edu/residencies/pgy1/community-walgreens-pharmacy

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