PGY1 Pharmacy Residency

The ASHP accredited PGY1 pharmacy residency program at SwedishAmerican Hospital builds on the Doctor of Pharmacy education and outcomes to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists responsible for medication-related care of patients with a wide range of conditions, eligible for board certification, and eligible for postgraduate year two (PGY2) pharmacy residency training.

Required learning experiences
- Orientation
- Medicine
- Infectious diseases
- Anticoagulation
- Emergency medicine
- Critical care
- Research

Electives
- Management
- Cardiology
- Nutrition support
- Mental health
- Specialty pharmacy
- Oncology
- Transitions of care
- Women’s and children’s services (including NICU)
- Repeat required learning experience

Longitudinal learning experiences
- Pharmacy administration
- Pharmacy practice (staffing)
- Pharmacy project
- Precepting
- Code blue response
- Teaching certificate (Optional)

Required residency activities
- BLS/ACLS/PALS certification
- Hospital committee involvement
- Grand rounds
- Design and complete a residency project
- Complete medication use evaluations (MUEs)
- ASHP midyear clinical meeting poster and Regional Pharmacy Resident Conference presentation
- Optional teaching certificate

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Program information
• Number of positions: 2
• Start date: Last week of June
• Staffing/Clinical pharmacy services:
  o Every other weekend
  o Partial PM shift every other week
  o 2 holidays
• Annual stipend: $47,500

Benefits
• Medical, dental and vision available
• Professional travel reimbursement
• Free parking

Minimum requirements
• Pharm.D. degree from an ACPE accredited college of pharmacy
• Eligible for Illinois licensure
• U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the United States

Application process
• The following must be received in PhORCAS
  o Letter of intent
  o Curriculum vitae
  o Three letters of reference
  o Official pharmacy school transcripts

Application information
• Application deadline: 01/08/2023
• ASHP program listing

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