

Rural Health VA Maine

Of the nearly 40,000 veterans served by VA Maine, 82% are classified rural or highly rural. The PGY2 resident will “virtually” insert his/herself into the Patient Aligned Care Teams (PACT) at Maine’s Rural Health CBOCs in order to deliver clinical pharmacy services, improving access and providing high quality, Veteran-centric care.



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Where is Lewiston, Maine?

Lewiston-Auburn is located 30 minutes from Portland, a city with a restored Old Port waterfront offering vibrant music and diverse restaurants featuring award-winning chefs. Shopping enthusiasts will love Freeport and L.L. Bean, which are also just 30 minutes away. In less than 2.5 hours, make your way to Boston or Acadia National Park. Ski and snowboard locally. The scenery is gorgeous and there’s something for everyone.



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PGY2 Ambulatory Care Pharmacy Residency



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Facility Information

VA Maine Healthcare System is comprised of Togus Medical Center in Augusta, 8 Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOCs) and 3 Access Point Clinics located throughout the state.



Residency Description

- Based from Lewiston/Auburn CBOC
- Delivery of advanced clinical pharmacy services in-clinic at Lewiston CBOC and remotely to Rural Health Veterans utilizing Telehealth and Clinical Video Technology (CVT) and telephone follow-ups
- PGY-2 resident is assigned to their own patient panel for disease state management
- Affiliate activity with University of New England (UNE) School of Pharmacy and Husson University School of Pharmacy
- Program is fully ASHP accredited



Rotations

- Primary Care Clinic, including diabetes, cardiovascular disease state management, and transitions of care
- Anticoagulation Clinic
- Smoking Cessation Clinic
- Formulary Management
- Medication Use Evaluation
- Residency Research Project
- Written Drug Policy Project
- Electives in oncology, mental health, leadership, home-based primary care

Benefits

- Paid administrative leave to attend ASHP Midyear Meeting
- Rotation flexibility and diversity
- Teaching opportunities
- Thirteen days each vacation and sick leave
- Ten days of paid holiday leave
- Health insurance with prescription coverage, dental and vision
- Office space with computer and CVT access
- No staffing requirement

Qualifications

- Completion of an ASHP accredited PGY1 Pharmacy Residency
- Eligible for pharmacist licensure in any state
- U.S. Citizenship required

How to Apply

- PhORCAS: <https://portal.phorcas.org/>
- College transcript
- Letter of Intent
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Curriculum Vitae
- Completed application form
- Applicants must be registered with the ASHP Matching Program



Note: This residency site agrees to and abides by the rules of the Match including that no person at this site will solicit, accept, or use any ranking-related information from any residency applicant.



Application deadline:
January 15th

Onsite interviews are strongly recommended and will be scheduled during the month of February.