Providence Pharmacy Monroe

A University of Washington
PGY-1 Community Pharmacy Residency

PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency in an Ambulatory Care Clinical Setting

Preparation for a Clinical Career

At Providence we strongly believe in a collaborative, patient-centered approach to clinical pharmacy practice. Our PGY-1 community residency program offers the chance to develop the skills and experience needed to succeed in a primary care pharmacy practice.

As a resident at Providence Pharmacy Monroe, you will benefit from our unique training program that takes advantage of a wide array of learning experiences within a primary care clinic. Our clinic embraces the patient-centered medical home (PCMH) model, which provides the opportunity to be part of a very progressive pharmacy practice.

Providence Pharmacy Monroe

Providence Pharmacy Monroe, a professional outpatient pharmacy, is embedded in the Providence Medical Building clinic in Monroe, WA. The clinic houses primary care, urgent care, and specialty services. The clinic providers include nine family physicians, three internists, two pediatricians, and an array of specialists in the areas of cardiology, endocrinology, ENT, midwifery, OB/GYN, orthopedics, and surgery.

Pharmacists, located within the pharmacy and throughout the clinic, perform dispensing duties as well as a variety of drug therapy management clinical services. Collaborative practice agreements for pharmacy services include, but are not limited to anticoagulation, diabetes, immunizations, and medication refill authorizations.

Providence Health & Services is one of the largest healthcare providers in the west with facilities in Alaska, Washington, Montana, Oregon, and California.

As part of the Providence Regional Medical Center Everett (PRMCE) network and the Providence-Swedish Health Alliance, an accountable care organization (ACO), the Monroe clinic and pharmacy enjoy a collaborative relationship with the PRMCE hospital in Everett located about 15 miles away.

One of the reasons new pharmacy school graduates and residents decide to join us is our progressive clinical setting. Our collaborative practice agreements allow pharmacists and pharmacy residents to use their clinical skills and have direct patient contact, with the opportunity to develop strong practitioner-patient relationships.

PGY-1 Community Pharmacy Residency Program accredited by ASHP and its partner, APhA
Clinical Care
- Anticoagulation management
- Diabetes management
- Depression management
- Transitional care management services
- Refill authorization services
- Complex medication review
- Medication therapy management
- Chronic pain Shared Medical Appointments (SMAs)
- Physician consults
- Patient assistance program support
- Immunization administration
- Distribution services

Academics
- Longitudinal residency projects
- UW pharmacy resident seminars
- Precepting APPE pharmacy students
- Teaching certificate program
- Lectures for D.O. students
- Journal clubs and newsletters
- In-service presentations

Administration
- Attend manager’s meetings
- Business and management concepts
- Ethics committee
- Pharmacy and therapeutics committee
- Quality and procedure review

Previous Residency Projects
- Pharmacist-led depression follow-up service
- Transitional care management with integrated pharmacy services
- Home healthcare consulting pharmacy service
- Implementation of SMAs for chronic pain patients on narcotic medications
- Pharmacist implemented controlled substance refill program
- Pharmacist-managed refill program in a PCMH

Applicant Requirements
Resident must be a graduate of a college of pharmacy accredited by the American Council of Pharmaceutical Education and shall be licensed or eligible for licensure in the State of Washington. A Doctor of Pharmacy degree is preferred, but not required. The applicant shall meet all the requirements for employment at Providence Everett Medical Center and meet the professional requirements of the Department of Pharmacy. In addition, the resident must possess excellent verbal and written communication skills, professionalism, leadership, and demonstrate a commitment to pharmaceutical care. Candidates for the pharmacy practice residency must participate in the ASHP resident matching program. All applications must be submitted via PHORCAS at https://portal.phorcas.org/

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