ASHP Accredited
Nutrition Support Residency

Internet site: www.uwhospital.org/pharmacy

Number of Positions: 1
Application Deadline: **January 4**
Starting Date: July 1
Stipend/Benefits: $40,000; 14 paid vacation days/holidays, 6 sick days. As employees of University Hospital, residents receive full health insurance benefits and full access to the University of Wisconsin’s recreational, educational, and cultural facilities.

Requirements:
- Current enrollment in a PGY-1 Pharmacy Practice Residency or equivalent experience
- Onsite Interview
- GPA of 3.0 or higher

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Eligible candidates are those who have completed a PGY1 residency and are eligible for pharmacist licensure in the state of Wisconsin by September 1 following the start of the residency.

*The primary focus of the residency is to become a competent clinician in areas of nutrition support pharmacy.*

*An outcome of the residency is to become a Certified Nutrition Support Clinician.*

A resident may choose to focus on a particular topic; for example, the resident may choose all electives in critical care.

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**STRENGTHS:**
- Depth and breadth of clinical pharmacy services at UW
- World class center of medical excellence
- 24 bed medical/surgical intensive care unit (Level 1 Trauma Center)
- Excellent relationships with physicians and nurses
- Integral part of multidisciplinary team
- Experienced certified nutrition support pharmacists
- Flexibility in tailoring program to needs/interests
- Academic medical center resources
- “Staffing” in decentral pharmacy
- Extensive involvement with School of Pharmacy in didactic teaching and preceptorship of students
ACTIVITIES WHILE ON THE UNIT WILL INCLUDE (BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO):

- Rounding with one of the medical teams daily
- Investigation of medication error reports and patient/medication safety follow-up
- Drug information; literature searches; reading and contributing to team files
- Attending codes
- Quality improvement activities, audits
- Communication/interaction with pharmacists, physicians, nurses, respiratory therapists, and dietitians
- Working with 4th year Doctor of Pharmacy clerkship students
- Co-precepting Pharmacy Practice Residents and Junior Administrative Residents
- Inservices for pharmacy staff, residents, nurses and physicians
- Contributing as a member of the medical team and nutrition support team

PROJECTS:

- Major research project will be presented at the Great Lakes Pharmacy Resident Conference, and the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin Educational Conference
- Major projects may be also be presented at Clinical Nutrition Week (as part of the American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition annual meeting)

PRESENTATION OPPORTUNITIES:

- Pharmacy and nursing inservices
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease conference (gastroenterologists)
- Leadership of biweekly journal club discussions

TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES:

- Clinical instructor status at the University of Wisconsin School of Pharmacy
- Discussion with medical residents during clinical conference
- Preceptorship of 4th year students on clinical rotation at the hospital
- Didactic lecturing at School of Pharmacy
- Teaching certificate program for residents at area hospitals through the School of Pharmacy

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

- Meetings with director of pharmacy and speakers discussing clinical & administrative topics
- Patient and medication safety involvement
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support training
- Opportunities to interact with residents in oncology, pharmacy practice, administrative, drug policy
- Option to take additional University of Wisconsin college classes

TRAVEL:

- Support to attend either the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, or the American Society of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition Meetings
- Great Lakes Pharmacy Residents Conference
- Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin (PSW) Conference

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