



PGY1 PHARMACY RESIDENCY PROGRAM

About Antelope Valley Hospital

Antelope Valley Hospital, the only full-service, acute-care hospital in the Antelope Valley, has been delivering exceptional care to the community for more than 60 years. The 420-bed hospital offers the region's only trauma center, pediatric unit, NICU, inpatient mental health care and maternity unit.

As the local healthcare leader, Antelope Valley Hospital:

- Provides care to more than 218,000 patients each year.
- Is the third busiest ER in the state with 130,000 visits annually.
- Is the only trauma center within 50 miles.
- Has 650 physicians on staff, representing 66 different specialties.
- Delivers nearly 5,000 babies a year.
- Is an Accredited Chest Pain Center, Advanced Primary Stroke Center and STEMI Receiving Center with the expertise and equipment required to treat severe strokes and heart attacks.
- Is recognized as a National Comprehensive Community Cancer Center providing cancer care in conjunction with its community partners.

AV Hospital Mission

To be the provider of choice for all essential healthcare services while partnering with others to improve the health of the Antelope Valley.

PGY1 Pharmacy Residency Purpose

The pharmacy practice residency program at Antelope Valley Hospital is designed to develop self-directed community hospital practitioners prepared to assume an advanced practice as an active member of a comprehensive interdisciplinary healthcare team partnering to improve the health of the Antelope Valley. By the time pharmacy residents complete the program, they will be competent, confident and recognized by our community for their heartfelt, compassionate care and medical excellence.

Core rotations:

- Orientation & Practice
- Critical Care
- Administration
- Internal Medicine
- Emergency Medicine

Longitudinal experiences:

- Drug Information and Education/Teaching
- Clinical Research Project
- Staffing & Professional Development

Elective rotation options:

- Ambulatory Care*
- Advanced Critical Care
- Advanced Emergency Medicine
- Advanced Infectious Disease*
- Geriatrics
- Infectious Disease
- Pediatrics/NICU
- Trauma

(Other elective rotations may be offered based on resident's interest.)

*Advanced infectious disease and ambulatory care rotation will take place at Kern Medical Center in Bakersfield, CA.

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Antelope Valley Hospital Pharmacy

The pharmacy at AVH is a fast-paced, highly functioning department that provides 24-hour care and a full range of clinical services including antimicrobial stewardship, anticoagulant and pharmacokinetic dosing and monitoring by protocol utilizing a decentralized staffing model. The pharmacy department also provides extensive pharmacy student clerkship rotations.

AVH's PGY1 Pharmacy Residency Program gives motivated, self-directed individuals the opportunity to gain the necessary skills to become a clinical pharmacist in a supportive, real world environment. In compliance with accreditation standards set by the American Society of Health System Pharmacists, the pharmacy residency program allows participants to expand their clinical knowledge and gain practical experience in diverse, multidisciplinary settings. The program consists of a one-year postgraduate intensive training experience primarily in the area of acute pharmacotherapy.

Residency Project

All residents will complete a year-long project based on departmental needs and resident interest. A project abstract poster will be presented at ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting in December and the final product will be presented at the Western States Residency and Preceptor Conference held each May. In addition the project must be submitted in written form as a manuscript prior to the completion of the residency year.

2020-2021 PGY1 RESIDENTS



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PGY1 Pharmacy Residency conducted by Antelope Valley Hospital is accredited by ASHP.

Staffing Requirements

Residents will staff a variety of clinical and distributive shifts in the pharmacy department throughout the year. Residents are required to staff one weekend per month.

Status: Accredited

Beginning Date: July 1, 2021

Number of Residents: 2

NMS Code: 223613

Stipend: \$50,000

Benefits: Medical, dental, vision,
10 days paid vacation and
7 paid holidays

Application Information

Deadline: January 4, 2021

Applications available
through PhORCAS for those
registered in the ASHP
Resident Matching Program.

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