

CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER DALLAS

PGY2 infectious diseases pharmacy residency

For more than 110 years, Children's Health's mission has been to **make life better for children**. Children's Medical Center Dallas is a 490-bed, free-standing pediatric hospital nationally ranked in all 11 pediatric specialties. As an academic facility associated with the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, Children's Medical Center Dallas is a rich environment for learning which promotes strong interdisciplinary collaboration. Pharmacists are well integrated into clinical practice areas across the institution and are dedicated to applying evidence-based best practices to enhance the quality of care provided to our patients. Pharmacists collaborate with other members of the healthcare team to conduct research, provide education, and engage in continued performance improvement

The PGY2 Infectious Diseases (ID) Pharmacy Residency program provides advanced training in anti-infective pharmacotherapy and antimicrobial stewardship (ASP). Residents gain experience through diverse rotations including ID consult services, ASP, and HIV care. The program emphasizes clinical excellence, research, and teaching.

By the numbers*



Patient visits
565,433



Unique patients
174,077



Emergency room visits
97,720



Surgeries
19,309



Team members
5,368



Square feet
1.56 million

*Numbers as of Dec. 31, 2024

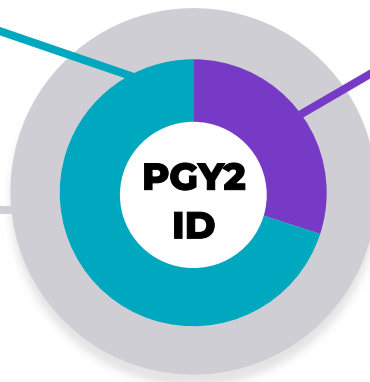
Rotation Structure

REQUIRED ROTATIONS (7)

- Orientation
- General Infectious Diseases (ID) Consult I
- General ID Consult II
- Immunocompromised ID Consult I
- Immunocompromised ID Consult II
- Antimicrobial Stewardship (Acute Care)
- Antimicrobial Stewardship (Intensive Care)
- Microbiology/Infection Prevention & Control

LONGITUDINAL

- ASP Program Management
- HIV Clinic
- Medical Emergency Response
- Continuing Education Lecture
- Medication Use Evaluation
- Pharmacy Practice Management
- Research Project
- Staffing



ELECTIVE ROTATIONS (3)

- Adult Infectious Diseases
- Bone Marrow Transplant
- Cardiac Intensive Care
- Emergency Medicine (Culture Book)
- General Pediatrics
- Hematology/Oncology
- Medication Safety
- Pediatric Intensive Care
- Pulmonology
- Solid Organ Transplant
- Repeat any previous rotation

All required/elective rotations are 4-6 weeks and longitudinal rotations are 48 weeks.

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Current Residents: Kathryn Nguyen, PharmD
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Benefits



Salary: \$57,000 (includes parking)



Travel support for ASHP Midyear & Pediatric Pharmacy Association Annual Meetings



Dedicated office workspace with desktop and laptop computers



Medical, dental, vision, prescription, disability, life insurance, 403b plans available

Application Process

Applicants must submit the following documents via PHORCAS by **January 2:**

- One-page letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Three (3) letters of recommendation
- Official transcript from pharmacy school

Additionally, all applicants must complete a Pharmacy Resident job application at jobsearch.childrens.com.

Meet with the program director, coordinator, and current residents at an upcoming recruitment event!

November 17th: Virtual Open House Event
November 18th and 20th: PPA Virtual Residency Showcase
December 9th: ASHP Midyear Residency Showcase
December 16th: Virtual Open House Event

