

**Saint Patrick Hospital and Health Science Center &
The University of Montana
Pharmacy Practice Residency**

The following is an example program to give you an idea of what is available and what expectations exist. Each resident will work with the program director during the first month to develop a personalized program to meet the resident's needs and preferences.

1. **Orientation & Individualization of Residency Program (July)**
 - Hospital structure
 - Annual Performance Education
 - Residency Learning System
 - Meditech
 - Clinical Programs
 - Staffing

2. **Direct Patient Care Experience**
 - Extended learning experiences (8 weeks) and rotations (4 weeks).
 - General pharmacotherapy and pain management are required.
 - One rotation may be replaced with a second management rotation if desired.
 - Rotations not available at SPH but otherwise available in the community may be able to be arranged.
 - You must select two 8-week extended learning experiences (which may be another month of a required rotation) and five 4-week rotations from among:
 - Pain management
 - Cardiac pharmacotherapy
 - Critical care pharmacotherapy
 - General pharmacotherapy (Family practice or medicine)
 - Infectious disease pharmacotherapy
 - Nutrition support
 - Addiction/Psychiatry pharmacotherapy
 - Operating Room/Emergency Medicine pharmacotherapy
 - Oncology

 - Longitudinal experience in ambulatory care
 - One afternoon each week in pain clinic
 - Either heart failure clinic or anticoagulation clinic one afternoon each week

3. **Management**
 - One 4-week rotation required and longitudinal experience
 - May elect a second rotation

4. **Staffing:**
 - One weekend (two shifts each weekend) every 3 weeks (longitudinal) after a more concentrated experience in orientation.

4. **Education Students and Staff** – longitudinal
 - Staff development
 - Supervise students in clinical rotations
 - Inservices to staff as needed
 - Classes on campus [integrated studies (small group discussions) and/or classroom lectures]

6. **Educate patients**
 - Patient education in clinical rotations
 - Medication Groups in psychiatry
 - Cardiac Rehab

7. **Project** – longitudinal

8. **Professional time** –
 - Midyear clinical meeting – residency showcase
 - Western States Conference