

Program Description

Responsibilities include participation in a university setting with clinical and academic programs to train medical students, residents and allied health professionals. Full range of clinical activities are available in addition to long-term care, including hospital consultation, outpatient/ambulatory care, assisted living settings, hospice and home care.

TTUHSC-Lubbock hosts the renowned Mildred and Shirley L. Garrison Geriatric Education and Care Center, the first on-site teaching nursing home of any medical school in the nation, and enjoys a beautiful new outpatient Texas Tech Physicians' Pavilion for ambulatory care.

TTUHSC School of Medicine is a Donald W. Reynolds Foundation Aging and Quality of Life grant recipient. Research opportunities include the TTUHSC Garrison Institute on Aging, the F. Marie Hall Institute for Rural and Community Health, and the Laura W. Bush Institute for Women's Health. TTUHSC SOM is a multi-campus unit of the TTUHSC System, allowing for research and educational collaboration across campuses.

Lubbock is a very friendly city on the sunny West Texas plains, with nearly 30,000 students on the adjacent Texas Tech University campus.

Our Facilities

- University Medical Center (teaching hospital)
- Texas Tech Physicians' Pavilion (geriatric clinics)
- Mildred and Shirley L. Garrison Geriatric Education and Care Center (long-term care)
- Carillon LifeCare Community (assisted living)
- PACE (MHMR) "La Paloma" program
- Senior House Calls (home care program)
- VistaCare (hospice care)
- TrustPoint Hospital (rehabilitation care)

Pictured Below: Dr. Bich Thy Ngo, Dr. Steven Berk, Dr. Gary Meyerrose, Dr. Andrew Dentino, Dr. Ohmar Win & Dr. Ron Cook



Our Team

- Andrew Neal Dentino, M.D., F.A.C.P., A.G.S.F., F.A.P.A., F.A.A.H.P.M.
Program Director
- Steven Berk, MD
Dean, School of Medicine
- Parampal Bhullar, MD
Internal Medicine-Geriatrics Division
- Bich-Thy Ngo, MD
Internal Medicine-Geriatrics Division
- Rebecca Sleeper-Irons, PharmD
School of Pharmacy-Geriatrics Division
- Gary Meyerrose, MD
Internal Medicine-Cardiology & Geriatric Medicine
- Ron Cook, DO, MBA
Family Medicine-Geriatric Medicine
- Betsy Goebel Jones, EdD
Women's Health & Family Medicine Research

Program Benefits

- 2010-2011 Salary \$48,021
- Moving allowance: up to \$1250
- Health, life and dental insurance for Fellow and immediate family
- Disability, malpractice & workers' compensation insurance for Fellow
- Digital pagers
- Name-embroidered lab coats
- Twenty days of paid vacation
- Annual Residency/Fellow Retreat held each February
- Five days and \$1,000 for approved CME courses
- ACLS recertification tuition provided

Contact Us

Feel free to contact the Department of Family and Community Medicine with any questions you may have:

- Call us at: 806-743-1100 x251
- Email us: michelle.hernandez@ttuhsc.edu
- Drop by for a visit in Room 4B320

Write to us:

Family Medicine Geriatric
Medicine Fellowship
Texas Tech University
Health Sciences Center
3601 4th Street, MS 8143
Lubbock, TX 79430



Who Can Apply

Applicants must:

- Be graduates of an accredited residency program and board certified or board eligible in Family Medicine or Internal Medicine.
- Be licensable in the State of Texas
- Have passed the USMLE in the first two attempts for each step
- International Medical Graduates: Have a J-1 Visa only

How to Apply

Contact Michelle Hernandez for an application:

- michelle.hernandez@ttuhsc.edu
- 806.743.1100 x251

Mail your application to:

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Or e-mail your application to:
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