How to Survive the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting

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VIRTUAL
Topics

• Overview the ASHP Virtual Midyear Clinical Meeting
  • Meeting agenda
  • Residency Showcase
  • Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

• Where to find info:
  • https://midyear.ashp.org/
Office of Professional Affairs SAKAI Site

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Residency Information

☑️ All School Residency Prep 2020

☐ ASHP Midyear Prep - Dr. Pass - 2020
Upcoming Webinar

• ASHP’s Midyear Clinical Meeting Goes Virtual
• Tips and Tricks for Navigating the Virtual Showcases webinar
• Monday, November 16: 11 am – 12 pm CST
  • Register here: https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/5741837046743688204
MCM Survival Tips

• Pre-plan your participation
  • Look through the online schedule
  • Some events are live
  • Some are “on demand”

• Session times
  • All listed as EST
Live Events
Opening Session and Keynote

• Monday, December 7, 10 am-12:30 pm CST
  • Agenda
    • A Conversation with Tom Hanks
    • Presidential Address
    • CEO Award for Staff Excellence
    • ASHP Board of Directors’ Awards
    • Award Acknowledgements
      • Donald E. Franke Medalist
      • ASHP-ABHP Joint Leadership Award
      • Award for Sustained Contributions to the Literature
      • Student Counseling Competition
Wednesday Wisdom with Dr. Anthony Fauci

- Wednesday, December 9, 11 am - 12:00 pm CST
Virtual Exhibit Hall

- Monday, December 7: 12 – 3 pm CST
- Wednesday, December 9: 12 – 3 pm CST
- Thursday, December 10: 12 – 2 pm CST

virtual exhibitors link
## Student Posters

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Student Programming

• Congrats!! You match
  • Tuesday, December 10: 11 am – 12 pm CST

• Are you interested in a residency but afraid of the Match? Don’t be! Come learn how the pharmacy residency matching service works, learn strategies to successfully navigate through the Match, and get tips on what to do if you don’t match. Dispel the rumor suggesting the Match is a scary process.

• Learning Objectives:
  • Explain the process of how match results are made.
  • Consider an approach to Phase II either as a new or returning applicant
  • Describe match pearls for success
Networking Roundtables

- Sunday, December 6: 12 – 1 pm
  - Ambulatory Care Clinical Practice Advancement
  - Clinical Decision Support and Analytics
  - Driving Outcomes and Value in Health-System Specialty Pharmacy
  - Investigational Drug Services
  - Maintaining and Advancing Pharmacy Services Post-COVID
  - Pediatrics / Neonatal
  - Women in Pharmacy Leadership
Networking Roundtables

• Monday, December 7: 9 – 10 am
  • Ambulatory Care Pharmacotherapy
  • Clinical Applications
  • Clinical Leadership
  • Compounding Practice
  • Emergency Medicine
  • Leading the Frontline through Crisis and Recovery
  • Pain Management and Palliative Care
  • Specialty Pharmacy Workforce Advancement
Networking Roundtables

• Monday, December 7: 12 – 1 pm
  • Critical Care
  • Infectious Diseases
  • Pharmacy Technicians
  • Precepting Students
Networking Roundtables

• Tuesday, December 8: 12 – 1 pm
  • Emerging Sciences
  • Evaluating and Actions to Respond to Healthcare Disruptions
  • Hematology / Oncology
  • Managing Your Specialty Pharmacy in the Age of a Pandemic
  • Operations and Automations
  • Small and Rural Hospitals
Networking Roundtables

• Wednesday, December 8: 12 – 1 pm
  • Cardiology
  • Informatics Professional Development
  • Internal Medicine
  • Managing the Unexpected as a New Manager
  • Medication Safety
  • Nutrition Support
  • Psychiatry / Neurology
  • Workforce Well-Being and Resilience: Dealing with Unpreventable Stressors in Work & Life
Networking Roundtables

• Thursday, December 9: 12 – 1 pm
  • Anticoagulation
  • Geriatrics
  • Immunology / Transplant
  • Pharmacoeconomics / Drug Development
  • White-Bagging and Managing Continuity of Care
On Demand Events
Meeting agenda

• Agenda link:
  • https://www.eventscribe.com/2020/midyear/?_ga=2.5785393.368607006.1604606461-1464905115.1604606461

• Can search by:
  • Schedule
    • Date
    • Track
    • Topic categories
  • Presenter names
  • Posters
Student Programming

• Am I Competitive?: How to Shape Up for the Residency Process
• Defusing the Financial Bomb: Incorporating Financial Wellness in Your Arsenal
• Interviewing Skills and Strategies for Students
• Navigating Post-Graduate Training Opportunities
• Networking Tips You Didn't Hear in School
• Personal Branding with a Pharmacy Twist
Student Programming

• Pharmacy Student Forum Opening Session
• PhORCAS: The Centralized Application System for Pharmacy Residencies
• Steer Your Career into Gear: Creating Your Road Map for Professional Development
• Strategies for Success: Preparing Candidates for the Residency Application and Interview Season
• Student Society Showcase
Residency showcase

• Monday, December 7  2:00 - 5:00 pm
• Tuesday, December 8  9:00 am- 12:00 pm
• Tuesday, December 8  2:00 - 5:00 pm

• List of participating programs:
  • Google doc

• Searchable database:
  • Program Listings
Residency showcase

• Most programs are represented
• Staffed by the program director, preceptors, current residents
• Advice:
  • Dress professionally
  • Watch your background and camera angles
  • Do your homework
  • Get in there and talk!
    • Talk with a preceptor
    • Talk to a current resident
  • ASK questions
  • Have CV ready if needed
  • Take notes to help keep everything straight
ASHP Tips

• The Residency Showcase is intended for the graduating class of 2021
  • NOTE to P1-P3 students:
    • Please wait until the second half of the session to enter the showcase
    • Please attend the student educational sessions On Demand

• Your registration to the Midyear meeting allows you to participate in the showcase
  • No additional fees are necessary

• Prepare in advance:
  • Beginning in early November, view the Residency Showcase Listing
  • Determine which sites you want to visit during the showcase
  • Find out the date and time those sites will be at the showcase
  • Programs are listed by site, not by specific type of residency program offered
ASHP Tips

• Participating sites exhibit during *only one* time slot. They *do not* exhibit at *all* sessions.
  • Use the exhibitor list and program listing portal to view the time when the sites you want to see are displaying
  • Not enough time to visit the sites you're most interested in?
    • Ask the program representatives if they are available at another time during the meeting to talk with you.
  • Be respectful of each program’s time. Have your questions prepared before you come to the showcase

• ASHP staff will be available to answer your questions
  • Contact us at [showcase@ashp.org](mailto:showcase@ashp.org)

• Good luck to all prospective residents and residency programs for the next residency year!
CareerPharm’s Personnel Placement Service (PPS)

• Sunday to Thursday, December 6-10: 9 am - 5 pm
  • Registration opened October 5

• Separate from the showcase – access is included

• 30 minute interviews
  • Individual or group
  • Contact ahead of time
  • PPS calendar invites

• ASHP PPS Interview Guidance:
  • Guidance Link

• Good idea to acknowledge all contacts
Questions to Ask at the Residency Showcase

• How many residents do you have?**
• What are the core & elective rotations?**
• What are required resident activities?**
  • **All 3 of these should be readily available on the program’s website**
  • **Ask about possible changes**
• What are program strengths & weaknesses? (reword)
• How much time do you spend with your preceptor?
• Do pharmacy students rotate with residents?
• Is there an opportunity for staffing?
  • What are the hours?
Questions to Ask

• What are the previous residents doing?
• What are they looking for in a resident?
• What benefits do the residents bring to the program?
• What will participation in the program do for me?
• What are the goals of the residency program?
  • Be sure you have looked these up, but verify and ask them to elaborate
Questions to Ask

• What is the expected preceptor oversight?
  • They may ask you how much you expect!

• Am I able to tailor the program via electives, presentations, teaching, and ______ to my future goals?
  • How flexible is the program?
  • Can I change the schedule in the middle of the year if I change my goals?

• What is the interaction with the other healthcare providers, including the physicians and nursing staff?
Questions to Ask

• What are the current and residency projects?
  • Have they been published?
• Are their teaching opportunities?
• What type of mentoring is available for the research project?
• What is the evaluation process for the residency program?
• What are some changes to the program due to the pandemic?
  • Are any of these permanent changes?
Questions to Ask Residents

• Would you do this residency again? ***
• What are the best and worst things about the program?
  • For the worst, how would they change it or what suggestions do they have to improve it?
• How do the current residents get along?
• What is the interaction with the RPD?
  • With the Preceptors?
Questions to Ask Residents

• How much free time do you have?
• What is there to do around here?
• Safety of the area? (if it is a concern to you)
• Is the program well-balanced?
• Do you feel you have received the experience you wanted and the guidance you needed?
Helpful CV Hints

• Conservative, 11-14 size font throughout
• Avoid excessive lines, graphics, shading, etc.
• Spelling or grammatical errors
  • Proof, proof, proof . . . . then proof again!!
  • Have numerous people review
    • Peers, faculty members, preceptors