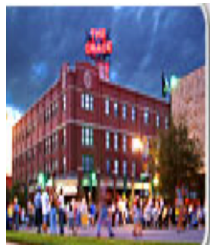


## HENDRICK HEALTH SYSTEM

For more than 85 years, the Hendrick name has been the first name in healthcare in Abilene, Texas. Hendrick is a community hospital that reigns over a 522-bed medical center and boasts numerous healthcare and community services including Children's Miracle Network, Hendrick Balance Center, Hendrick Cancer Center, Hendrick Center for Rehabilitation, Vera West Women's Center, Hendrick Birth Place, Hendrick Professional Pharmacy, Hendrick Radiology Center, Hendrick Sleep Disorders Center, Lifeline Emergency Response System, Level III Trauma Center, Meek Blood Center, Hendrick Children's Hospital, Skilled Nursing Facilities, and more. Hendrick is accredited as a Chest Pain Center by the Society of Cardiovascular Patient Care. The health system also earned the Gold Seal of Approval and Disease-Specific Certification from The Joint Commission for Knee Replacement. Hendrick serves as the practice site for pharmacy students and residents, physical therapy students, respiratory therapy students, and nursing students.



## TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER SCHOOL OF PHARMACY AT ABILENE

The Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Pharmacy opened its Abilene campus in August 2007 and was named as a Regional Academic Health Center in 2009 by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. It hosts a 4-year Doctor of Pharmacy program with approximately 40 students per class. The 36,000 square-foot building features multimedia classrooms, case studies rooms, pharmacy practice laboratory, patient counseling training center, research laboratories, physical assessment room, and more. The school is adjunct to the school of nursing, which offers a state of the art simulation center that facilitates student learning via simulated patient scenarios. Residents and students have access to electronic drug information systems, including Micromedex® and e-journals, via wireless access.

## LOCATION - ABILENE, TEXAS

Abilene, located in the geographical center of Texas, is about 180 miles due west of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex. Located just off Interstate-20, Abilene is easily accessed. If traveling by air, Abilene provides the convenience of a regional airport. Abilene is often referred to as "The Friendly Frontier", the "Texas Midwest", or the "Big Country". Abilene is home to over 118,000 friendly people. Described as the "Future Great City of West Texas", Abilene was established in March 1881 upon the completion of the Texas & Pacific Railroad. Besides being home to Dyess Airforce Base, Abilene functions as a regional center for distribution, commerce, industry, transportation, healthcare, and education. The city parades its heritage in a variety of venues, designed to both entertain and educate, being home to four universities, three nursing schools, one two-year college, one technical college, one commercial college, and one pharmacy school. Abilene boasts state of the art facilities with the Texas Tech University School of Pharmacy and School of Nursing. Abilene ranks as a top 10 leisure destination in Texas and in the "Kiplinger 50 Best Places to Live". With the comfortable average climate of 64.8 F and the friendly atmosphere, Abilene offers a relaxed place to call home. To learn more about the community of Abilene, please visit:

<http://aif.developabilene.com/community-profile/community-profile>.

## THE RESIDENCY PROGRAM

This Pharmacy Practice Residency is a one-year residency with Hendrick Medical Center and Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Pharmacy in Abilene, Texas. The residency offers a variety of practice rotations to meet the needs and interests of the resident. The residency is designed to provide the resident opportunities to strengthen a wide array of clinical skills in a variety of settings. The resident will become familiar with current clinical practices and initiatives in the inpatient setting and will participate in patient care experiences in chronic disease clinics, hospital practice, and pharmacy administration. Throughout the year, residents will enhance and refine skills by participating in patient care in a variety of settings, providing drug information and medication counseling, and providing education to students and patients. Residents work closely with pharmacist preceptors to optimize medication regimens, minimize adverse events, and provide patient care. Residents also gain academic experience by serving as preceptors to pharmacy students, teaching in student classes and laboratory training, and by participating in the optional Teaching Certificate Program. In addition, residents are offered academic appointment during their residency year. Residents attend the annual Texas Society of Health-System Pharmacists (TSHP) Alcalde Southwest Leadership Conference for pharmacy residents, fellows, and preceptors. At the Alcalde conference, residents highlight their research project, which is conducted during their residency year. Additionally, at the annual American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP) Mid-Year Clinical Meeting, residents present posters showcasing their research and assist with resident recruitment.



*Residents interact and present with other TTUHSC SOP affiliated residents*



*Residents present posters at ASHP Mid-Year Clinical Meeting and TTUHSC SOP Research Days*

### CORE AND ELECTIVE ROTATIONS

*Acute Care I*  
*Acute Care II & III\**  
*Ambulatory Care*  
*Medication Safety†*  
*Mentoring†*

*\* Indicates elective rotations*

*Community Pharmacy\**  
*Hospital Practice†*  
*Practice Management†*  
*Infectious Disease\**  
*Academic Teaching†*

*† Indicates longitudinal rotations*

*Critical Care*  
*Oncology\**  
*Geriatrics\**  
*Cardiology\**  
*Residency Project†*

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## RESIDENCY SPECIFICS

- *Duration:* 12 months
- *Starting Date:* July 1, 2016
- *Number of Positions:* 3
- *Stipend:* \$40,000
- *Total Beds:* 522
- *Practice Setting:* Community Hospital/Academia
- *Interview Required:* Yes
- Residents utilize the Resident Learning System
- Staffing requirement: eight hours per week plus one major and one minor holiday
- Teaching activities are assigned
- Completion of a resident research project is required, including manuscript submission

### APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must have graduated from an accredited School of Pharmacy and either hold an active pharmacy license or be eligible for immediate licensure by the Texas State Board of Pharmacy. **Application deadline is January 6, 2016.** Qualified candidates will be contacted to schedule an onsite interview. Candidates will be required to consent in writing to undergo a background check prior to employment. **Applicants MUST be tobacco-free for at least 6 months prior to hire date to be eligible for employment.** Application information is located at: <http://www.ttuhschool.edu/sop/residencies/>.

## RESIDENCY PROGRAM BENEFITS

### Health:

- *Medical Coverage:* Standard
- *Dental Coverage:* Optional
- *Vision Coverage:* Optional
- *Life Insurance:* Standard with optional increased coverage
- *Spouse Coverage:* Optional
- *Disability Coverage:* Optional

### Paid Leave:

- *Holiday Leave:* Hospital allotted holidays
- *Vacation Leave:* 10 days
- *Professional Leave:* 10 days

### Other Benefits:

- Lab coats
- Business cards
- Shared work area
- Teaching Certificate Program
- Access to drug information resources
- Assistance with travel and registration toward attending ASHP

## RESIDENCY PURPOSE STATEMENT

*PGY1 pharmacy residency programs build on Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) education and outcomes to contribute to the development of clinical pharmacists responsible for medication-related care of patients with a wide range of conditions, eligible for board certification, and eligible for postgraduate year two (PGY2) pharmacy residency training.*

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