Post-Graduate Year 2 Residency Program

Residency Curriculum
- Orientation - 1 month
- Emergency medicine - 9 months
- Critical care - 1 month
- Elective (Toxicology) - 1 month

Longitudinal
- Academia and teaching
- Disaster preparedness
- Drug information and medical writing
- Leadership and management
- Projects (QA/QI)
- Research
- Resident report hour
- Staffing

Preceptors
Craig Cocchio, PharmD, BCPS - PGY-2 Residency Program Director
Justin Hooper, PharmD, BCPS - Director of Pharmacy
Karen Costløe, PharmD, BCPS, BCCCP
Kathy Glem, PharmD, BCCCP

Leadership
Justin Hooper, PharmD, BCPS - Director of Pharmacy
James Tyler, PharmD, BCPS - Pharmacy Clinical Manager
Jean Dib, PharmD, - Pharmacy Clinical Ambulatory Manager
Beverly Francis, PhTR, MBA - Pharmacy Business Manager

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Why CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Health System?
CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Health System is the region’s preferred health care provider, with a proud tradition of over 80 years of dedicated service to the people of East Texas. The organization includes CHRISTUS Mother Frances Hospitals – Tyler, South Tyler, Jacksonville, Winnsboro and Sulphur Springs, the CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Louis and Peaches Owen Heart Hospital – Tyler, CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Rehabilitation Hospital affiliated with HealthSouth, ContinueCARE Hospital – Tyler at CHRISTUS Mother Frances Hospital – Tyler, a long-term acute care facility, and CHRISTUS Trinity Clinic. CHRISTUS Trinity Clinic is the area’s preferred multi-specialty medical group, with more than 600 Physicians and Advanced Practice Providers representing 41 specialties in 82 locations serving Northeast Texas across 41 counties.

Why Tyler, Texas?
The largest community in East Texas, with over 100,000 residents, Tyler offers cultural diversity, quality education and health care, easy access to large metropolitan areas and abundant recreational opportunities. Set amidst beautiful pine-covered, rolling hills, this vibrant and friendly community is known for the annual Azalea and Spring Flower Trails and Texas Rose Festival activities that attract thousands. For outdoor enthusiasts, nearby lakes and streams offer prime sporting opportunities. Golf, tennis and swimming venues, both public and private, abound.

CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Residency Program
The PGY2 Residency at CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Health System is a one-year, post-doctoral training program designed to enhance and strengthen the resident’s clinical skills and knowledge of the practice of pharmacy. This is accomplished using the principles of the Residency Learning System (RLS) framework. The resident gains practice experience in direct patient care by working independently under the direction of his/her preceptor and participating in team-based interdisciplinary care in various areas of the hospital. The resident also works with a research mentor to develop a project to be presented at a regional or national pharmacy conference.

While learning experiences are tailored to meet the needs of the resident based on personal interest and learning style, a high priority is placed on teaching principles of evidence-based care. Patient safety, pharmaco-economics and quality metrics are emphasized throughout the program as well.

Residents are given the opportunity to attend the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists Mid-Year Clinical Meeting, as well as the Annual Alcalde Southwest Leadership Conference.

Residency Specifics
- Program Start Date: June 24, 2019
- Duration: 12 Months
- Number of Positions: 2
- Stipend: $50,000
- Practice Setting: Community Hospital
- Interview Required: Yes

Requirements
- Application Deadline – All materials must be received by January 1, 2019
- Doctor of Pharmacy Degree from an ACPE Accredited School of Pharmacy
- Texas State Board of Pharmacy Licensure or Be eligible for immediate TSBP Licensure
- Three recommendations submitted via PhORCAS online application system
- Official Transcript(s) for all Pharmacy Coursework
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- Letter of Interest
- Curriculum Vitae
- PhORCAS Application

Program Benefits
- Comprehensive Benefits Package
- Spouse and Family Coverage Available
- Paid Vacation and Sick Leave
- Life Insurance
- 403(b) Retirement Plan

CHRISTUS Trinity Mother Frances Pharmacy
- Staff of Approximately 84
- Provides hospital inpatient services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- Provides decentralized services across eight service lines
- Daily participation on interdisciplinary patient care rounds
- Clinical Services include inpatient anticoagulation management, pharmacokinetic dosing, antimicrobial stewardship, therapeutic substitution, IV to PO conversion and renal dosing
- Online database accessible throughout the hospital for intervention documentation
- Uses comprehensive EHR to improve patient safety and work efficiency