Residency Sponsored Courses

PGY1:
- ACLS
- PALS
- SCCM Critical Care Course
- Basic Ultrasound Course
- Advanced Ultrasound Course
- Advanced Airway Course
- Gross Anatomy Procedure Lab

PGY2:
- ATLS
- Ballistics Lab
- Medical Legal Course
- Ophthalmology Slit Lamp Lab

PGY3:
- ACLS / ACLS Instructor
- PALS
- Hazardous Materials Lab

PGY4:
- ACOEP Intense Board Review
  (5 Day Course in Chicago)

Highlights of Residency
- Accepting 4 New Residents a Year
- 70,000 ED Visits Per Year
- 16,000 Pediatric Visits Per Year
- 379 Bed Community Hospital
- 24-Hour Cardiac Cath Lab for PCI
- Certified Stroke Center
- Early Goal-Directed Therapy Protocol for Severe Sepsis
- Induced Hypothermia for Cardiac Arrest Protocol
- Electronic Medical Record
ePACS Radiology System
- Close Affiliation with Henry Ford Hospital, a Tertiary Level 1 Trauma Center
- Member of Statewide Campus System through the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine
- Resident First / Family Environment

For more information or a tour of the hospital please contact the Emergency Medicine Coordinator Cassandra Mills at (734) 287-9029 or cmills1@hfhs.org or view our website at www.henryfordwyandotte.com/body_wyandotte.cfm?id=48054

Interview dates scheduled for the first Wednesdays of November and December.
Our Emergency Medicine Residency Program

Henry Ford Wyandotte Hospital is a 379-bed community teaching hospital located in a beautiful downtown community south of Detroit, Michigan. The department of emergency medicine sees over 70,000 patients annually including a pediatrics area which sees 16,000 children per year. Our department is recently renovated and equipped with state of the art equipment including complete electronic medical records and a digital EPACs radiology system. We are a recognized stroke center, with a 24 hour cardiac cath lab for emergency PCI, a 64 slice CT scanner, and an early goal directed therapy program for severe sepsis. This high volume and high acuity training environment creates an exceptional learning experience for its residents.

Our emergency medicine residency program’s mission is to train residents to excel in using osteopathic principles in the clinical practice of emergency medicine. The emergency medicine residency is a four year, specialty track, AOA-accredited program that fulfills the State of Michigan’s internship requirement. Our program’s curriculum is uniquely designed to provide its residents a diverse experience by utilizing the extensive resources of the Henry Ford Health System and the Statewide Campus System (SCS) of Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Our affiliation with Henry Ford Main Hospital, a 903-bed, level 1 trauma center, located in downtown Detroit clearly augments the resident experience. Residents spend 4 months on trauma services at the Main Hospital, along with other opportunities to rotate in their ED as well. Pediatric EM experiences at Children’s Hospital of Detroit, a toxicology rotation at the Detroit Medical Center, and a trauma critical care rotation at the renowned Baltimore Shock Trauma Center round out the clinical experience.

Our Curriculum

Four Year Curriculum

PGY1
- Emergency Medicine: 4 MO
- Pediatric EM (DMC): 1 MO
- MUC: 1 MO
- Pulmonary/MIUC: 1 MO
- Orthopedic Surgery: 1 MO
- Internal Medicine: 1 MO
- OB/GYN: 1 MO
- Trauma/Surgical ICU (HFMH): 1 MO
- Trauma Surgery (HFHM): 1 MO

PGY2
- Emergency Medicine: 7 MO
- MUC: 1 MO
- Radiology: 2 WK
- Ultrasound: 2 WK
- Anesthesia: 2 WK
- EMS: 2 WK
- Pediatric EM (DMC): 1 MO
- Vacation: 1 MO

PGY3
- Emergency Medicine: 6 MO
- Plastic Surgery: 2 WK
- Elective: 1 MO
- Trauma/Surgical ICU (HFHM): 1 MO
- Ortho Trauma (HFHM): 1 MO
- Toxicology (DMC): 1 MO
- Medical Examiner (DMC): 2 WK
- Vacation: 1 MO

PGY4
- Emergency Medicine: 7 MO
- Research: 2 WK
- Ophthalmology: 2 WK
- Legal: 2 WK
- Administration: 2 WK
- Elective: 1 MO
- Trauma Critical Care (Shock): 1 MO
- Vacation: 1 MO

Enriching Our Curriculum

With our extensive network of educational resources, our program is able to provide its residents with a rich array of didactic opportunities. All residents have protected didactic time and attend a weekly lecture series in emergency medicine, as well as monthly journal clubs, M/M conferences, and SCS educational activities. The 12,000-square-foot, Center for Simulation Education at Henry Ford Hospital gives our residents the ability to practice clinically challenging procedures and refines their clinical skills using state-of-the-art simulation in a risk-free environment. The program also sponsors each resident to take a variety of high quality courses and labs over all four years of training.

Compensation and Benefits

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- PGY 2: $49,141, $300 educational stipend
- PGY 3: $51,295, $1250 educational stipend
- PGY 4: $53,112, $1250 educational stipend

- 3-4 weeks paid vacation yearly
- Excellent health, dental and vision plans

Creating a Diverse Experience

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Residents have multiple elective months to do rotations of their choice. As well as having access to a financial stipend all four years to help broaden medical knowledge and travel to conferences. Clinical research is highly encouraged and residents presenting at national conferences are financially supported. Senior residents are eligible for the EPMG international medicine scholarship which allows them to explore the realms of emergency medicine throughout the world.

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