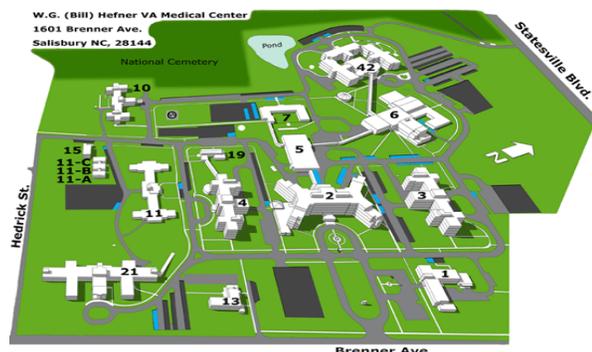


# W.G. (Bill) Hefner Veterans Affairs Medical Center

## Residency Learning Experiences



Located in Central North Carolina, Salisbury VAMC is a tertiary care facility affiliated with multiple Schools of Pharmacy including the University of North Carolina, Campbell University, Wingate University, University of Florida, University of South Carolina, and others. Salisbury VAMC is also affiliated with Wake Forest University School of Medicine and the Virginia College of Osteopathic Medicine. It serves as a training site for students and residents in multiple disciplines including: nursing, dentistry, optometry, pharmacy, psychiatry, psychology, rehabilitation, and medicine.

The medical center provides medical, surgical, psychiatric, oncology, and ambulatory care services to over 89,500 Veterans in the central Piedmont service area. It boasts large full-service clinics in Winston-Salem and in Charlotte, and a Community-Based Outpatient Clinic (CBOC) in Hickory. New Health Care Centers (HCC) are slated to open in Kernersville and Charlotte in 2016.

Salisbury VAMC has clinical pharmacy specialists with prescribing privileges in primary care, long-term care, mental health clinics, infectious disease, and acute care. The medical center also provides pharmacy services to home-based primary care and hospice Veterans.

### Required/Core Experiences

- Acute care, psychiatry, geriatrics/long term care, inpatient, rural health and pharmacist-managed anticoagulation and pharmacotherapy primary care clinics
- Precepting pharmacy students
- Participation in P&T Committee, MUEs, journal clubs, MAHEC teaching and learning program, and other quality management projects
- Completion of residency project

### Electives (on and off campus)

- Administration
- Cardiology
- Community Free Clinic
- Extension of core experiences
- Infectious Disease
- Mental Health
- Nephrology
- Oncology
- Pain Management
- Transplant

### Longitudinal Experiences

- Pharmacotherapy clinics including anticoagulation, diabetes, hypertension, dyslipidemia, and mental health management
- Multiple group clinics including smoking cessation, diabetes education, mental health and others
- Rural Health Outreach
- Practice Management
- Drug Information
- Service commitment (staffing)

### Benefits:

- Stipends are competitive per annual VA standards
- Health and life insurance available
- Paid Federal holidays
- Paid vacation and sick leave (4 hours accrued each pay period)
- Free parking



### Location

Salisbury is conveniently located near several major North Carolina cities, including Charlotte, Winston-Salem, and Greensboro. Salisbury is within driving distance of the mountains (3 hours) and beaches (4 hours). It has a rich history and plays host to many cultural events year-round.

## North Carolina



### Qualifications:

- Doctor of Pharmacy or equivalent
- Licensure in the U.S. (any state)
- U.S. citizen

### Application Requirements:

- Letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Pharmacy school transcript
- Three letters of recommendation
- Standardized request form
- Participation in ASHP's residency matching program

### Application Process:

All application materials should be submitted to PhORCAS: Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Service

### Number of Positions:

5 in primary care  
1 in mental health

**Deadline: January 1, 2014**

The WG (Bill) Hefner VAMC PGY-1 Residency Program participates in the ASHP Pharmacy Resident Matching Program. This residency site agrees that no person at the site will solicit, accept, or use any ranking-related information from any residency applicant.

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