Emory Saint Joseph’s Hospital of Atlanta Pharmacy
Postgraduate Year 1 (PGY-1) Residency Program

About Emory Saint Joseph’s Hospital
Founded by the Sisters of Mercy in 1880, Emory Saint Joseph’s Hospital (ESJH) is Atlanta’s oldest hospital. Today, the 410-bed, acute-care facility, part of Emory Healthcare, is a leader in cardiac, neurologic, vascular, gastrointestinal, respiratory, and orthopedic services. ESJH offers patients the latest procedures and treatments by providing its medical staff, comprised of more than 750 physicians, with research services and advanced technology.

As a result of its medical excellence, compassionate care and cost-effectiveness, ESJH has received numerous awards including the distinguished Magnet Recognition for Nursing Excellence. It was the first in Georgia to earn Magnet Recognition and has now earned its fifth Magnet Recognition making it one of only three hospitals — and the only community hospital — in the world to receive five consecutive designations.

Pharmacy Services
The Department of Pharmacy is committed to providing exceptional care to the patients at Saint Joseph’s Hospital. Inpatient services include comprehensive unit dose distribution and IV admixture, automated dispensing systems, investigational drug services, and decentralized pharmaceutical care. Pharmacists are members of the Code Response Team, participate in Critical Care patient rounds, provide nutrition support services, monitor all patients on anticoagulant therapy, educate patients being discharged on warfarin, and offer pharmacokinetic monitoring services to our patients.

Goal of Emory Saint Joseph’s PGY-1 Residency Program
The PGY1 residency program of Emory Healthcare utilizes the collective assets of the Emory Hospitals to train and educate residents in contemporary pharmacy practice in an organized health-care system so that the resident may:

- Function effectively as the pharmacist on the healthcare teams.
- Utilize practice management skills to promote rational and safe use of medications.
- Identify, prevent and resolve medication-related problems for patients in acute health care settings.
- Master personal development skills for life-long learning and professional growth.
- Gain skills in, as well as contribute, to teaching and research.

Required Learning Experiences
- Cardiology
- Critical Care
- Emergency Medicine
- Infectious Disease/Antimicrobial Stewardship
- Nutrition Support (focused)
- Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee
- Practice Management
- Research

Electives Learning Experiences
- Anticoagulation
- Bone Marrow Transplantation*
- Drug Information
- Leukemia*
- Medical Oncology (Inpatient or Outpatient)*
- Neonatology*
- Neuro Critical Care*
- Pharmacy Administration
- Solid Organ Transplant (Liver, Kidney/Pancreas, or Heart/Lung)*
*Offered at EUH/EUHM

Hospital Benefits
- $40,000/year salary
- Accrued paid time off
- Dental and health insurance
- Flexible rotation scheduling to meet individual needs and interests

Application Requirements
- B.S. or Doctor of Pharmacy Degree from an ACPE accredited pharmacy school
- Georgia pharmacist licensure eligibility
- Letter of interest
- Curriculum vitae
- College of pharmacy transcripts
- Three letters of recommendation
- On-site interview
- Participation in the ASHP matching program

Important Dates
Application Deadline: January 10
Interviews: January-February

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