

Baptist Health

North Little Rock APPE Opportunities

Pharmacists at Baptist Health Medical Center - North Little Rock work with the healthcare team to ensure positive patient outcomes. Services provided by pharmacists span beyond decentralized clinical consultation (dosing - pharmacokinetic, antimicrobials, anticoagulation; antimicrobial stewardship - culture review, de-escalation; IV to PO; nutrition support; electrolyte replacement; etc.) to include Graduate Medical Education integration, multidisciplinary rounds, and transitions of care.

Why Choose BHMC-NLR?

Collectively, as a department, we feel there is great value in the experience that students gain at our facility. Our institution serves a wide variety of patient populations and numerous medical specialties that allow for a well-rounded adult medicine experience. Students will work closely with their preceptor and other pharmacists, pharmacy residents, medical residents, and physicians to appropriately design, implement, monitor, evaluate, and adjust patient specific pharmacotherapy care plans.

BHMC-NLR Overview

- 225 licensed beds
- 6 clinical pharmacists, 1 emergency department pharmacist, and 2 pharmacy residents on staff each day
- Majority of preceptors are BPS board certified pharmacists

Learning Opportunities

- Engage with other healthcare professionals on multidisciplinary rounds – intensive care unit, rehab, and family medicine teams
- Provide continuing education for pharmacists and other healthcare professionals
- Participate in P&T Committee meetings
- Complete an MUE or drug monograph
- Participate in at least one journal club and provide at least two patient case presentations monthly

Longitudinal APPE Benefits

- Opportunity to complete a 4-month or 5-month APPE at one facility (longitudinal experience may be in the spring or fall depending on your specific college of pharmacy)
- Build rapport with physicians and other healthcare professionals
- Stand out as a residency applicant by earning a longitudinal APPE
- Remote access to Baptist Health's electronic health record (EHR), EPIC
- No need to learn a new EHR each month

Longitudinal APPE Application Process

Students must submit their application via the google form and email the Program Coordinator, Jamie Ballard (jamie.ballard@baptist-health.org), the following:

- Letter of intent
- Curriculum Vitae
- Current unofficial transcript

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MEDICAL CENTER
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Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences EPIC Training/Orientation Day 1 Required Internal Medicine 4 weeks Required Required Critical Care 4 weeks **Practice Management** 4 weeks Required Antimicrobial Stewardship 4 weeks Elective 4 weeks **Emergency Medicine** Elective Informatics 4 weeks Elective

Additional electives may be available upon request.

Interested in pursuing a PGY-1 Pharmacy Residency? Check out our program using the QR code below!



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