

Children's Hospital Colorado - Colorado Springs Pharmacy Residency Programs



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Hospital and Program Overview

- Free-standing children's hospital
- Approximately 128 beds
- Private, not-for-profit, community teaching hospital
- Level II Trauma Center
- Level III NICU
- Magnet employer
- U.S. News & World Report Top 10 Best Children's Hospital in the nation
- Ranked #1 in Colorado and #1 in the region
- Nationally ranked in multiple pediatric specialties



Hospital and Program Overview

PGY1 Pharmacy Residency

Established 2022

ASHP 8-year accreditation

3 positions available

PGY2 Pediatric Pharmacy Residency

Established 2024

1 position available

Two Focus Tracks:

General Pediatrics
Critical Care/Emergency Medicine



PGY1 Learning Experiences

Required Concentrated

- Antimicrobial Stewardship/Infectious Diseases
- Emergency Medicine
- Leadership
- Neonatal Intensive Care
- Orientation
- Pediatric Intensive Care
- Pediatrics
- Surgery and Trauma

Required Longitudinal

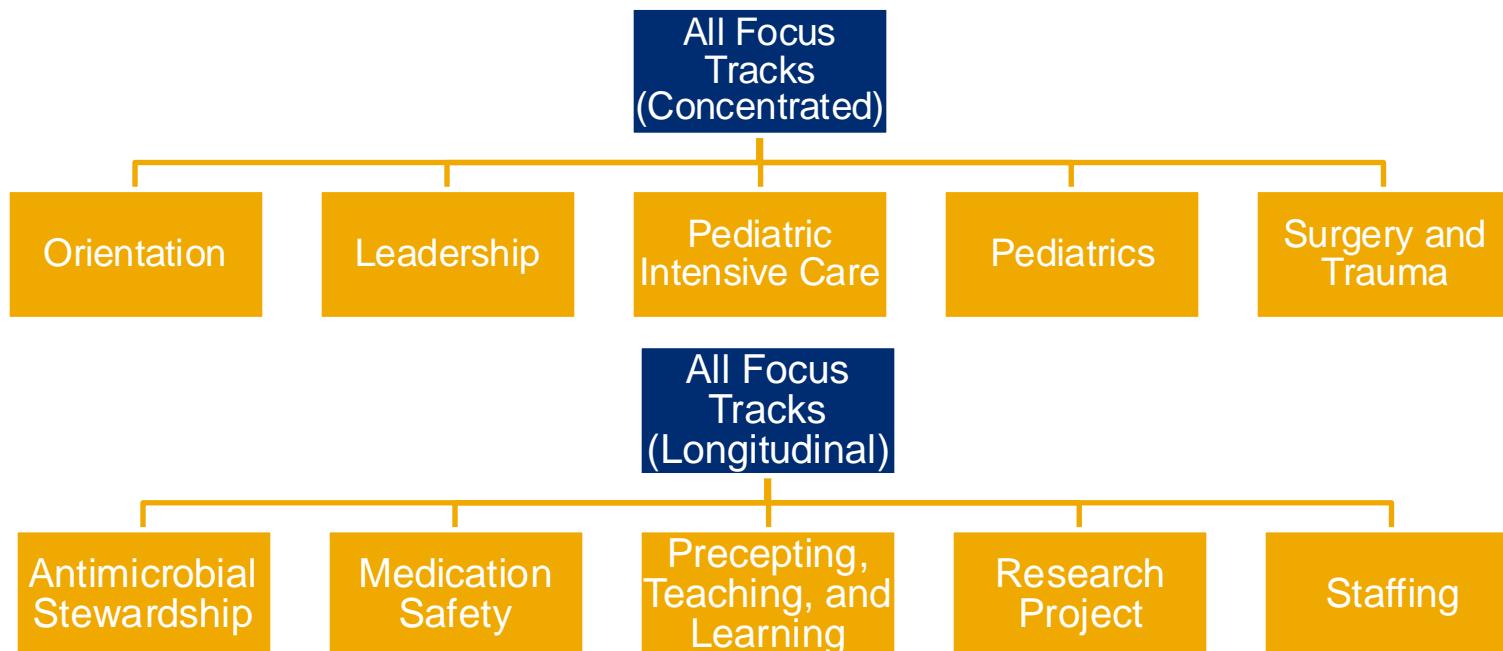
- Medication Safety
- Precepting, Teaching, and Learning
- Research Project
- Staffing
- Transitions of Care

Elective Concentrated

- Ambulatory Care
- Behavioral Health
- Emergency Medicine 2
- Leadership 2
- Oncology
- Oncology 2
- Pediatric Intensive Care 2
- Others, as approved



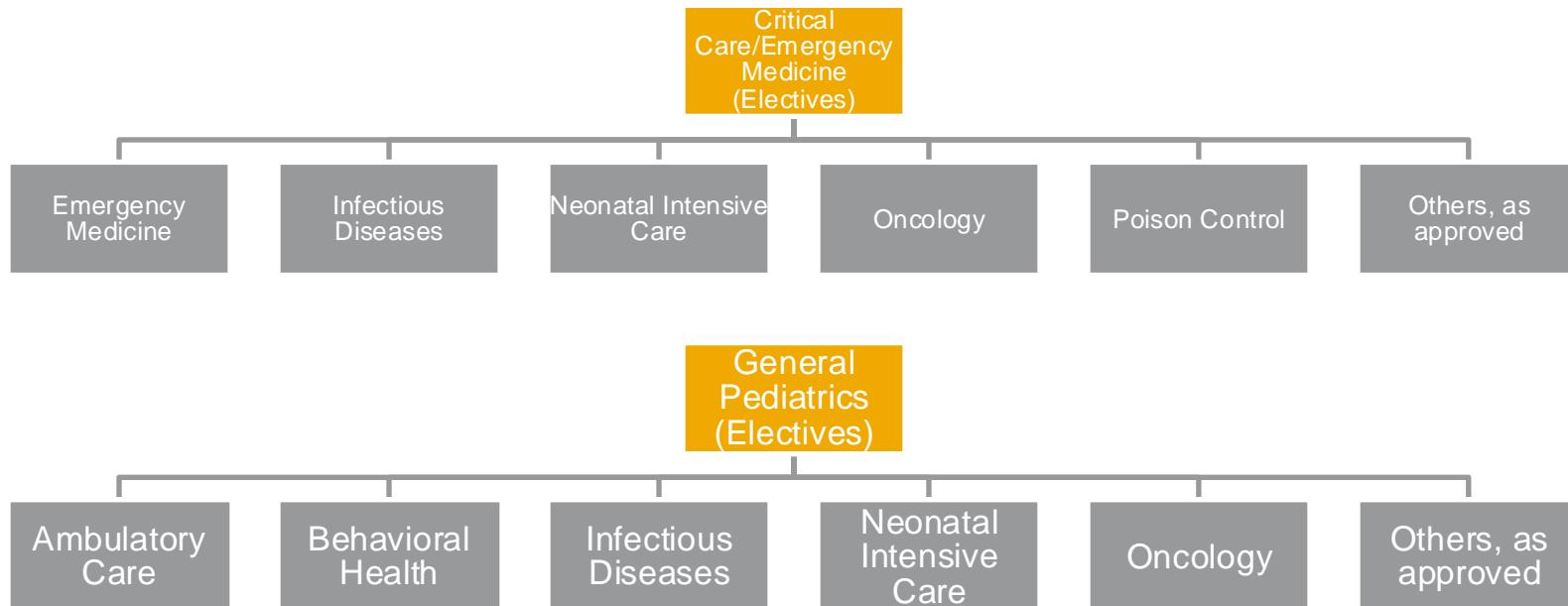
PGY2 Learning Experiences*



*Subject to change



PGY2 Learning Experiences (Focus Tracks)*



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Highlights



PALS and **ACLS** training

Support for professional conference attendance

Optional teaching certificate program through University of Colorado School of Pharmacy

Community service opportunities

RxReation and **social** events



Active engagement in **Colorado Pharmacists Society**



Highlights

Independent
clinical staffing
days



Code response
experience

Over 20
residency
trained
preceptors



IPPE and APPE
precepting
opportunities

Co-instructor for
pediatric
elective at Regis
University

Positive culture
is a top priority



Our Department

Decentralized pharmacy model with no division of clinical and operational roles

Clinical pharmacy services for a variety of subspecialties

Drug Therapy Management protocols in anticoagulation, parenteral nutrition, vancomycin, aminoglycosides, and many more

Asthma education, discharge counseling, medication reconciliation, medication access

University of Colorado supported ACPE accredited Pharmacy Grand Rounds

24/7 clinical services and code response

Level II Trauma Center Trauma Grand Rounds



Application

Updated curriculum vitae

Letter of intent

3 letters of recommendation
(Preferred: one from a pediatric pharmacist)

Pharmacy school transcripts
(Please send class ranking for pass/fail programs, if available)

Interview required



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Please reach out to the Residency Program Director, Residency Program Coordinators, or the current residents with any questions.

We'd love to share more about our program with you!

