

Meet Our Faculty



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Our Mission

The goal of the Mercy Health Internal Medicine Residency program in Muskegon is to train highly skilled, compassionate and purposeful physicians in a diverse and cooperative environment. We strive to foster individuality, teamwork, service to the community and oneself, personal and professional integrity, and intellectual growth, resulting in exemplary physicians.

Our program emphasizes integrity, respect and support for all, accountability, learning and continuous improvement.

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Internal Medicine Residency

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Medical Education

Opportunities

- Large, diverse patient population with complex conditions in a busy, inpatient hospital setting
- Entire floor dedicated as resident teaching service unit
- Resident-run ambulatory continuity clinic
- Freedom to choose electives in area of interest
- Faculty who are supportive, experienced and engaged to teach
- Competitive salary with excellent benefits, including health, CME and paid time off
- Brand new, state-of-the-art hospital
- Beautiful beachside location in West Michigan
- Muskegon is known for sunny days on the water, spectacular fall colors and Olympic-style winter recreation

Program Overview

The Internal Medicine program at Mercy Health began in July 2014 with five residents and has continued to grow every year since. The ACGME-accredited program is approved for five well-qualified interns each year.

Our program offers a wide variety of internal medicine cases and services within a large geographic area where the population varies from rural to urban. The hospitalist service covers approximately 90% of all hospital admissions, of which the residents are intricately involved.

Curriculum by Year

PGY1

- 6 Blocks of Internal Medicine Teaching Service
- Internal Medicine, Ambulatory
- Cardiology
- Emergency Medicine
- Intensive Care Unit (ICU)
- Pulmonary
- 1–2 Electives

PGY2

- 4 Blocks of Internal Medicine Teaching Service
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology
- Geriatrics
- ICU
- Nephrology
- Neurology
- 2 Electives

PGY3

- 4 Blocks of Internal Medicine Teaching Service
- Hematology/Oncology
- Hospice/Palliative Care
- ICU
- Infectious Disease
- Office, Internal Medicine/Family Medicine
- Rheumatology
- 3 Electives

PGY1 Electives

- Allergy/Immunology
- Anesthesia
- Dermatology
- Emergency Medicine, Ultrasound
- Ear, Nose & Throat (ENT)
- Office, Family Medicine
- Office, Internal Medicine

- Ophthalmology
- Orthopedics
- Palliative Care/Hospice
- Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (PM&R)
- Podiatry
- Radiology

PGY2 & PGY3 Electives

- All PGY1 Electives
- Cardiothoracic Surgery
- Neurosurgery
- Plastic Surgery
- Psychiatry, Inpatient/Outpatient
- Urology
- Vascular Surgery

Note that this curriculum model is adjusted depending on the focus for each resident.

Beyond Internal Medicine Residency

Physicians who successfully complete the Internal Medicine Residency at Mercy Health Muskegon have a variety of attractive career options. Practice opportunities for internists at Mercy Health or elsewhere in the state and region are numerous. Graduates of our program have obtained fellowships in cardiology, endocrinology, gastroenterology, immunology/allergy and pulmonary/critical care.

Residency Application & Information

Our program accepts applications sent electronically via the Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS).