



# Family Medicine Residency Program

**University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine**

Concilio de Salud Integral de Loíza

PO Box 509, Loíza, Puerto Rico, 00772

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- Our Family Medicine Residency Program is an ACGME accredited 3 years training program structured in block rotations

# Requirements for Admission



- Graduates of School of Medicine approved by the LCME:
  - Fill out the NRMP application
  - Fill out duplicate application for programs provided by the GME office
  - Official transcripts of institution where premedical studies were done
  - Official transcript from Medical School
  - Dean's letter from the Medical School including ranking in class and narrative description of your qualifications
  - Two letters of recommendation from professors from the Medical School
  - Official evidence of having approved the USMLE part 1
  - Full domain of Spanish and English

# Requirements for Admission



- Foreign Medical School Graduates
  - Follow items 1 to 6 at previous page
  - Copy of Medical School Diploma
  - Official evidence of USMLE parts 1 and 2
  - Valid ECFMG certificate
  - Appropriate visas if needed
  - Full domain of written and spoken Spanish and English

# Curriculum PGY-1



- Introductory month (1 month)
- Emergency Medicine (1 month)
- Family Medicine Ward I (2 months)
- Pediatrics (2 months)
- Obstetrics (2 months)
- General Surgery (2 months)
- Intensive Care (1 month)
- Vacations (1 month)

# Curriculum PGY-2



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| ■ Family Medicine Ward II (2 mo.) | ■ Family Medicine Ward II (2 mo.) |
| ■ Floater-ER* (1½ mo.)            | ■ Floater-ER* (1½ mo.)            |
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| ■ Ambulatory Pediatrics (1 mo.)   | ■ Ambulatory Pediatrics (1 mo.)   |
| ■ Geriatrics (1 mo.)              | ■ Geriatrics (1 mo.)              |
| ■ Office Gynecology (1 mo.)       | ■ Office Gynecology (1 mo.)       |
| ■ Radiology (½ mo.)               | ■ Radiology (½ mo.)               |

\*Three periods of two weeks (non consecutive)

# CURRICULUM PGY-3



- Family Medicine Ward III (1 mo.)
- Otorhinolaryngology (½ mo.)
- Sports Medicine (1 mo.)
- Urology (½ mo.)
- Office Cardiology (1 mo.)
- Ophthalmology (½ mo.)
- Neurology (1 mo.)
- Practice Management (½ mo.)
- Pneumology (½ mo.)
- Elective (3 mo.)
- Community Medicine (½ mo.)
- Emergency Pediatrics (1 mo.)
- Vacation 1 (mo.)

# LONGITUDINAL EXPERIENCES

(DIDACTIC PROGRAMS, JOURNAL CLUBS, MORNING REPORTS, INTERACTION WITH PATIENTS AND CONSULTANTS)



Continuity of Care, Maternity Care, Nursing Home and Home Visits, Community Medicine, Behavioral Sciences, Management of Health Systems, Fatigue and Physician Impairment, Ethical and Legal Aspects of Medicine, and Research



# ELECTIVES



- Adult Medicine Subspecialties
- Surgical Subspecialties
- Women's Health
- Child and Adolescent Subspecialties
- Medical Directors
- Sexually Transmitted Diseases
- Office Procedures
- Research
- Human Behavior and Mental Health
- Emergency Care

# AMBULATORY FAMILY MEDICINE CLINICS



- PGY-1: 1-2 clinic session / week  
(6 patients / clinic)
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## AVERAGE NIGHT CALLS



- PGY-1: every 5<sup>th</sup> day
- PGY-2: every 14<sup>th</sup> day
- PGY-3: Pager calls, every 16<sup>th</sup> week
- Research: Required

## OTHER PROGRAM INFORMATION



- Offered positions: 8 per PGY level
- Annual Stipend (Tax Free):
  - PGY-1 : \$29,773
  - PGY-2 : \$30,345
  - PGY-3 : \$31,618

Liability Insurance / Time off for conferences / Vacation: 4 weeks per year /  
Health Insurance / Disability Insurance / Meals / Sick Time

# LINKS



- University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine:

<http://www.md.rcm.upr.edu/>

- Requirements for Admission

<http://www.md.rcm.upr.edu/gme/requirements.php>

- Application Form

<http://www.md.rcm.upr.edu/gme/pdf/application.pdf>