

## Program overview:

Number of positions: 2  
Length of program: 12 months  
Application deadline: Dec. 27 2021  
Start date: June 27, 2022  
End date: June 23, 2023

## Benefits:

- Full medical/dental
- Ten days paid time off
- Educational leave

## Application requirements:

- PharmD degree from an ACPE-accredited college/school of pharmacy
- Eligibility for licensure in Washington state
- On-site or virtual interview
- Participation in the ASHP match program
- Completion of human resources application
- Three letters of recommendation
- Letter of intent
- Curriculum vitae
- Pharmacy school transcripts
- Submission of all application materials to PhORCAS

## Contact:

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## More information:

[Pharmacyresidency.kaiserpermanente.org/](https://Pharmacyresidency.kaiserpermanente.org/)



# Managed Care Pharmacy Residency in Seattle

Post-graduate year one (PGY1) ASHP and  
AMCP accredited



### Kaiser Permanente Washington Pharmacy Administration

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## Managed care program overview:

Our PGY1 Managed Care Pharmacy Residency Program builds upon the PharmD education to develop managed care pharmacist clinicians with diverse patient care, leadership, and education skills.

We strive to develop clinically adept managed care pharmacists with strong leadership qualities who can manage projects, communicate effectively, and critically analyze data.

## Residents will learn to:

- Design and implement clinical programs to enhance the efficacy of patient care.
  - Provide medication and practice-related information, education, and training.
  - Exercise leadership and practice management skills.
  - Demonstrate project management skills.
  - Execute formulary management and health plan benefit adjudication.
  - Collaborate with plan sponsors to design effective benefit structures to service a specific population's needs.
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## Key areas of learning:

### Health plan and population-based care management

- Drug use management (DrUM)
- Clinical coverage determinations
- PBM oversight
- Pharmacy benefit design
- Pharmacy newsletters
- Formulary management
- Monograph development
- Clinical program support

### Clinical services and direct patient care

- Ambulatory care
- Chronic disease management
- Specialty disease management
- Medication reconciliation
- Medication therapy management (MTM)
- Medication safety



### Pharmacy administration and business management

- Quality improvement and accreditation measures
- Health informatics
- Budgeting and forecasting
- Project management
- Staff education/training
- Purchasing, pricing, and contracting
- Provider relations
- Specialty pharmacy

### Elective rotations

- Analytics and outcomes
- Leadership and special projects
- Specialty pharmacy services

### Graduation requirements

- Final residency project suitable for publication
- Satisfactory completion of required learning experiences
- Achieve all required competency goals
- Obtain Washington state pharmacist license by Sept. 30