



2026-27 Resident
Vera Burgos

Kaiser Permanente San Diego

PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy Residency

Program Overview

The Kaiser Permanente, San Diego Community-Based Pharmacy Residency Program will prepare the residency graduates to develop and provide advanced patient care services, become leaders, and practice change agents in the Community-Based pharmacy setting. It is a 52-week postgraduate curriculum that offers training in community pharmacy, drug information, practice leadership and a variety of ambulatory care services. The program is designed and implemented around the resident's professional and personal goals. The resident is offered a variety of core, elective, and longitudinal experiences. The resident will actively participate in Community-Based outreach events, as well as a variety of precepting and educational opportunities. An optional global outreach trip may be offered.

Current Accreditation Status:

This residency program is accredited by the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists in conjunction with American Pharmacists Association.

The PGY1 Community-Based Pharmacy Residency Program at the Kaiser Permanente Medical Center in San Diego follows guidelines set by the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and provides thorough training in a variety of specialties.

One resident will be accepted into the program to begin on July 1, 2027.

Program Contacts

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Kaiser Permanente SDMC Outpatient Pharmacy



Core Learning Experiences

Longitudinal

- Administration
- Community-Based Pharmacy
- Education
- Community Outreach
 - Optional Global Outreach
- Complete Care Management
- Medication Safety
- Residency Research Project

Rotational

- Orientation (2 weeks)
- Drug Utilization Management*
- Home Infusion*
- Medication Therapy Management*
- Transitions of Care*

Elective Learning Experiences

Rotational*

- Anticoagulation/DOAC
- HIV/Infectious Diseases
- Inflammatory Diseases
- Oral Chemotherapy
- Renal

*5-week rotations

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please visit the Kaiser Permanente Residency website
<https://pharmacyresidency.kaiserpermanente.org/>

This program will be participating in the ASHP *PhORCAS* service and all documents will need to be submitted via this service.

A personal interview is required. All applications must be received by
January 2, 2027.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Doctor of Pharmacy graduate from accredited college or school of pharmacy.
- California Intern License must be obtained before the start of program.
- Residents must be a licensed California pharmacist within 120 days from the program start. Term of appointment will be extended by the number of days the resident is without licensure past the 120-day deadline up to a maximum of 45 days.



Graduation Spotlight



Emily Shayota, PharmD
 (2025-2026)
 Community Pharmacist



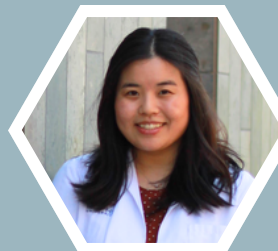
Vincent Phan, PharmD
 (2024-2025)
 Ambulatory Care
 Kaiser SCAL



Emily Koo, PharmD
 (2023-2024)
 Ambulatory Care
 Kaiser SCAL



Irene Chia, PharmD
 (2022-2023)
 Outpatient Pharmacy Supvr
 Kaiser San Diego



Audrey Kwon, PharmD
 (2021-2022)
 Oncology Supvr
 Kaiser SCAL



Lauren Cline, PharmD, MS, BCACP
 (2020-2021)
 Clinical Diabetes Specialist
 University of Maryland



Vishnavi Reddy, PharmD
 (2019-2020)
 Ambulatory Care
 Kaiser NCAL