

Eau Claire/Augusta Family Medicine Residency

Frequently Asked Questions

Are residents involved in teaching medical students?

There are regularly scheduled opportunities for residents to teach medical students. Most medical students are from the Medical College of Wisconsin, UW-Madison or osteopathic schools.

Are there moonlighting opportunities available?

Yes. Many second- and third-year residents choose to moonlight.

As a resident, will I have a voice in decision-making?

Yes. Residents contribute to program evaluation and improvement formally and informally through:

- Completion of rotation evaluations
- Res/Fac Rap monthly meetings
- Semi-annual advisor/advisee meetings
- Annual Program Evaluation participation
- Quality Improvement projects
- Informal interactions with program director, faculty and chief residents
- Resident input resulted in these recent changes:
POC ultrasound/MAT curriculum, rotation sequences (gyne before ob, family medicine service before hospitalist), 2nd continuity site with community pediatrician, retreats

Does the residency have a “night float” system?

We have experimented with this system a few times and did not find it beneficial for our small residency. We do not have night float.

Are there rural medicine opportunities?

Residents may choose electives in one of many rural clinic sites in the area, including Prevea Augusta Health Center. Augusta is our rural training site and we recruit one resident every other year, for even years.

Resident Benefits

- **Professional Liability Coverage** including legal defense and protection against awards from claims reported or filed during participation in the program, or after completion of the program if the alleged acts or omissions of a resident are within the scope of the program.
- **Health Insurance Benefits** for residents and their eligible dependents beginning on the first day of employment.
- **Disability Insurance Benefits** for residents beginning on the first day of disability insurance eligibility.
- **Paid Time Off** 20 days per year includes both vacation and sick leave.
- **Moving Allowance** reimbursement up to \$1,000.
- **Salary** levels for Prevea Family Medicine residents:

PGY1: \$63,500 PGY2: \$65,600 PGY3: \$67,650

What will most residents do when they graduate?

Residents train for full-spectrum family medicine practice and prepare for a wide variety of career options. The flexibility of our program allows residents to choose their second and third year electives to meet the expected needs of their future employers. Graduates have entered the following types of practice:

- Full spectrum with OB including C-sections
- Hospitalist
- ER/Urgent care
- Outpatient practices
- Solo, large multi-group specialty clinics, Indian Health Services, FQHC, fellowships and academic practices

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