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Palm Beach Centre for Graduate Medical Education, Emergency Medicine Residency, Dermatology Residency, Internal Medicine Residency, Pediatric Residency, Family Medicine Residency, Psychiatry Residency, Palliative Care Fellowship, and Traditional Rotating Internship

Additional Information: www.pbcgme.com
The Palm Beach Centre for Graduate Medical Education is an AOA-recognized consortium comprised of four acute inpatient hospitals affiliated with HCA, Inc., the nation’s leading provider of healthcare services. We have been training osteopathic physicians for over 35 years with an emphasis on teamwork and professionalism. Our leadership team is comprised of graduates of our programs, affording them a true understanding of our residency experience and vested interest in our programs’ successes. Our training programs include rotating osteopathic internship, emergency medicine, family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, psychiatry, dermatology and hospice/palliative care.

**Base Facilities:**

- **West Palm Hospital:** The hub of our campus, West Palm Hospital is accredited by HFAP/AOA and Joint Commission. The first teaching hospital between Miami and Orlando, West Palm Hospital has been actively involved in osteopathic medical education since it was founded, in 1975. With an experienced, motivated, and energetic teaching staff, West Palm Hospital boasts excellent didactics in addition to strong clinical rotations with ample opportunity for “hands-on” experience. West Palm Hospital is the base for Internal Medicine, Dermatology (combined with IM) and combined Internal Medicine/Pediatrics residencies as well as a fellowship in Hospice & Palliative Care, and a Traditional Osteopathic Rotating Internship.

- **Palms West Hospital:** Palms West Hospital is an acute care facility with a modern environment for training. Palms West Hospital has partnered with Miami Children’s Hospital to create the Children’s Hospital at Palms West, and to provide onsite emergency services. Palms West Hospital and the Children’s Hospital at Palms West currently host residency training in Pediatrics as well as a Traditional Osteopathic Rotating Internship.

- **St. Lucie Medical Center:** Located a few miles inland from Atlantic beaches, St Lucie Medical Center is a comprehensive healthcare facility serving Florida’s vibrant and rapidly growing Treasure Coast community. The first teaching hospital on the Treasure Coast, St. Lucie Medical Center is accredited for osteopathic residency training in Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine and Traditional Rotating Internship.

- **University Hospital and Medical Center:** University’s Psychiatric Pavilion is a free standing state of the art behavioral health facility which features four units with 30 semi-private patient rooms, cafeteria, gym, pool, and indoor and outdoor group areas. In partnership with the West Palm Beach VA Medical Center, University Hospital and Medical Center hosts PBCGME’s Psychiatry Residency Training Program.

**Academic Partners:**

To enhance the quality of care rendered in our facilities, as well as the academic programs offered to our externs, interns and residents, the Palm Beach Centre for Graduate Medical Education has formed strategic alliances with some of the area and world’s finest healthcare organizations.
- **Consortium for Excellence in Medical Education (OPTI):** High-tech compressed video equipment provides our programs with real-time access between our hospitals and Nova Southeastern University’s College of Osteopathic Medicine and the other hospitals within NSUCOM’s Consortium.

- **Veterans Administration Medical Center:** The West Palm Beach VA provides primary and secondary level health care to eligible veterans in a seven-county area along Florida’s Treasure Coast. The VA Medical Center has partnered with PBCGME to support our Internal Medicine, Dermatology, Psychiatry and Hospice & Palliative Care training programs.

- **Hospice of Palm Beach County:** A leading provider of hospice care, Hospice of Palm Beach County averages 1,200 patients daily throughout Palm Beach County and serves as a model for other programs nationwide.

- **The Joseph L. Morse Geriatric Center** with 280 beds is one of the nation’s foremost private geriatric facilities, providing long-term care, short-term rehab and a hospice inpatient unit. Geriatric training is supervised by a fellowship-trained, board certified medical director.

- **JFK Medical Center** hosts ACGME-accredited residencies through the University of Miami, providing outstanding didactic opportunities for our house staff.

- **University of Miami:** House staff and faculty are afforded opportunity to attend UM grand rounds at our sister facility, JFK Medical Center. UM also hosts our Toxicology rotation.

- **Florida Atlantic University:** Recently accredited for a new four-year allopathic medical school, Florida Atlantic University’s high-tech Simulation Laboratory provides training for our Housestaff in Advanced Life Support, and Pediatric Advanced Live Support.

**Annual Stipend:**

- OGME1/Traditional Internship: $46,500
- OGME2: $48,000
- OGME3: $50,000

**Benefits:** Corporate health and malpractice insurance; paid vacation; meals while on duty, lab coats, CME allowance, paid CME time.