IMPORTANT NOTE:
After the application has been completed and reviewed, selected applicants will be contacted to arrange an on-site interview. Potential applicants are encouraged to complete their application as soon as possible, as files are reviewed in the order they are received in their completed form. Applicants may contact us at the listed e-mail addresses or by phone to check on the status of their application. Please be sure to inform your references that March is a firm deadline. They may use U.S. Mail, fax or e-mail to send letters of recommendation.
PURPOSE
The MTM Communication and Care Center PGY-1 Residency Training program provides the resident with the knowledge and skills necessary to provide evidence-based patient-specific medication therapy management (MTM) for Medicare and Medicaid patients as part of unique telehealth environment.

Residents will be provided with the opportunity to accelerate their growth beyond entry-level professional competence in patient-centered care, focusing on advancing the growth of their clinical judgment and shaping their decision-making skills fostered by performance feedback. The program will develop the resident’s knowledge and skills in effective project management, quality improvement initiatives and medical informatics for both providing direct patient care and the provision of effective drug information.

TRAINING SITE & PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
Resident training takes place at the University of Florida East Campus Building in Gainesville, FL (2 residents) as well as the University of Florida Research and Academic Center at Medical City in Lake Nona, FL (1 resident). In addition, there are numerous opportunities for interactions and experiences with the University of Florida College of Pharmacy, and state Medicare and Medicaid providers.

INSTRUCTIONAL COMPONENTS

1. SERVICE PROVISION
   • Performing MTM services to Medicaid and Medicare Patients
   • Developing Medication Action Plans (MAPs) based on supporting literature
   • Proficiently and correctly providing recommendations to physicians via telehealth or facsimile
   • Producing effective written and oral communications
   • Competently Producing a Continuing Education program for the Department of Pharmacotherapy and Translational Research
   • Providing staff coverage for an average of 10 hours per week

2. EDUCATION PROVISION
   • Instructing 4th year pharmacy clerkship students
   • Lecturing in various courses and other potential teaching opportunities within the College of Pharmacy
   • Acting as a teaching assistant in pharmacy skill laboratory for 3rd year pharmacy students
   • Provided with the opportunity to complete a Teaching Certificate program offered free of charge by the UF College of Pharmacy

3. RESEARCH PROVISION
   • The resident will conduct a minimum of one research project that is to be presented at a national meeting in the form of an abstract, poster, roundtable or otherwise.

STIPEND
The residents will receive a stipend paid by the MTM Communication and Care Center. The stipend, coupled with the cost of living in Gainesville and Orlando should ensure a financially sufficient year.

REQUIREMENTS
Academic: The applicant should have a Doctor of Pharmacy Degree from a school or college accredited by ACPE.
Professional Experience: Eligible for Florida Pharmacist licensure.
Interview: An on-site interview with presentation is required.
Documents: Letter of intent, curriculum vitae, three (3) letters of recommendation, and academic transcripts.
Non-resident Alien Applicants: To be considered for employment, you must presently have an employment authorization that is valid throughout the residency period.

Any interested pharmacist or pharmacy resident can obtain additional information and all necessary application materials by emailing or writing:

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TIMELINE
• Application deadline: 03/07/16
• Review of applications: 03/11/16-03/18/16
• Interviews:
  o Phone interviews: 03/14/16-03/18/16
  o On-site interviews: 03/28/16-04/15/16
• Decision deadline: 04/22/16
• Residency start date: 06/27/16
• Residency end date: 06/27/17