TEXAS RESIDENCY PROGRAM INFORMATION

The following programs are certified residency programs offered in Texas.

The Texas Podiatric Medical Foundation is the charitable arm of the Texas Podiatric Medical Association. TPMF networks the residency programs, in addition to providing resource information, medical missions, indigent patient grants, residency grants and local training. Medical mission grants to the San Miguel, Mexico mission are open to all students and residents. Texas residents are given priority.

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Kingwood Medical Center Podiatric Surgical Residency Program (PMSR/RRA) has graduated over 150 podiatric surgeons. The program consists of over 50 active podiatric attendings and 20 surgeons of various medical specialties, including plastics, general and orthopedic surgery. We are a high volume program with an average of over 3500 foot and ankle cases per year. Many of the faculty services in leadership roles at the local, state, and national levels. These include the TPMA, APMA, ACFAS, and ABFAS.

Highlights:
• Hands on training in the operating room with more than 20 hospital and private surgery centers
• Dissection/Cadaver Labs, Clinical Case Conference, Journal Club Academics every month
• 36 month program training in lower extremity care including wound care, biomechanics, medicine, dermatology, rheumatology, orthopedics, general surgery, reconstructive foot and ankle surgery, pediatric orthopedic, vascular surgery and infectious disease.
• A fully equipped state of the art dissection lab with each resident given 3 cadaver limbs per year. Equipment includes: new forefoot, rearfoot/ankle power, arthroscopy units, external fixation and c-arm
• Many of the graduates are recruited to orthopedic, multi-specialty, and podiatric practices.

West Houston Medical Center Podiatric Surgical Residency Program (PMSR/RRA) was established in 1975, originally know as Harris County Podiatric Surgical Residency Program. The program has graduated over 200 podiatric surgeons. The program consists of over 50 active podiatric attendings and 20 surgeons of various medical specialties, including plastics, general, and orthopedic surgery. We are a high volume program with an average of over 3500 foot and ankle cases per year. Many of the faculty serve in leadership roles at the local, state, and national levels. These include the TPMA, APMA, ACFAS, and ABFAS. We are located in Houston, Texas, the fourth largest US city with numerous educational and social activities. Houston houses the largest medical center in the world.

Highlights:
• Hands on training in the operating room with more than 22 hospital and private surgery centers
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The Baylor Scott & White Health Care System/Texas A&M University, Podiatric Medicine & Surgery Residency program is located in central Texas (Temple) and has 12 hospitals and 15 supporting major regional clinics. The Scott & White ER in Temple is a level one trauma center. All didactic, clinical and surgical training is obtained at the main Scott & White hospital/clinic, which has 550 physicians, as well as the Scott & White Children’s Hospital and the Temple VA Hospital/Clinic. There is also a rotation to an active military base, Fort Hood (Killeen, Texas). Some travel is involved to regional clinics/hospital/surgery centers in central Texas. Our comprehensive 3 year medical/surgical program affords the residents the unique opportunity to learn at a university affiliated hospital system, training along with 17 other medical/surgical residency programs and fellowships.

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Hunt Regional Medical Center offers a PMSR/RRA program with an emphasis on foot and rearfoot reconstructive surgery, and trauma. Hunt Regional is located just outside of the DFW metroplex, with residents participating in surgical cases both in Greenville and through the metroplex giving residents a wide variety of cases, including 35 supervising physicians with whom to gain knowledge from. Our program offers residents the opportunity to complete the following rotations: Anesthesiology, Behavioral Science, Emergency Medicine, General Surgery, Infectious Disease, Orthopedic Surgery, Pathology, Physical Therapy, Plastic Surgery, Podiatric Office, Radiology, Research and Wound Care. Academics include weekly meetings, and bimonthly practical labs.

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John Peter Smith Hospital is the first and only Level 1 trauma center in Tarrant County (Fort Worth Area). The hospital holds 573 inpatient beds, and has dedicated facilities for primary and specialty service outpatient care. The residency is a 3 year PMSR-RRA accredited podiatry program, with 4 primary attending physicians. The program accepts two residents per year. The foot and ankle training is comprehensive, with a focus on trauma and limb salvage. Two and a half years of the residency is spent at the main hospital, working in both the inpatient and outpatient setting. Six months of the third year are spent in private practice, primarily operating in private surgical centers, focusing much more on elective reconstruction.

Being a resident at JPS means busy days and plenty of responsibility. During your training, you’ll become autonomous in treating foot and ankle pathology, all while enjoying the comradery of a tight knit group. Graduates of the program are suited for all career paths, from private practice to academia. Some have also gone on to further their training at prestigious fellowship programs. If you have any specific questions, please feel free to come and ask, or contact via phone or email.

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The St. Joseph Medical Center is a full service teaching hospital in downtown Houston. Our residents along with those from UT Medical branch/Galveston, the McGovern UT Medical school/Houston and the Houston Methodist Hospital, participate in a fully integrated teaching program with a full time Graduate Medical Department. We are excited about a recent addition of an affiliation and rotation at the Baylor College of Medicine, DeBakey Department of Surgery, Division of Vascular Surgery.

The program includes many Outpatient Surgical Centers, with multiple Podiatric Faculty (many of whom are former graduates of our program). The program includes rotation through a full time Wound Center at St. Joseph’s.

We have a full service Skills Lab in the Hospital with monthly programs and each resident is given a fresh cadaver each year.

Our residents receive an intense “hands on” experience in our active Emergency Department/Trauma Center and a 4 month Orthopedic rotation. The above is a small sample of activities our Residents participate in.

Our academic program is very robust, often with several activities per week. We review all possible new opportunities to continue improving the training program.