

St. Joseph's University Medical Center



About Us

St. Joseph's University Medical Center is a 650 bed Magnet-designated private, non-profit teaching facility with a mission and commitment to charity, dignity, justice, excellence, and stewardship.

St. Joseph's University Medical Center continues to evolve as a leading health resource in the community and for the community. The hospital provides a comprehensive spectrum of services designed to heal the minds, bodies, and spirits of those in need.

Recognized as one of New Jersey's most respected healthcare providers. St Joseph's Health includes St. Joseph's University Medical Center, a quaternary state-designated trauma center and state-designated St. Joseph's Children's Hospital (651 adult and pediatric beds) on the Paterson campus; St. Joseph's Wayne Medical Center (229 beds), an acute care community hospital on the Wayne campus; St. Joseph's Healthcare and Rehab Center (151 beds), Cedar Grove; Visiting Health Services of NJ, Totowa; and more than 30 North Jersey community-based facilities.

A major academic healthcare organization, St. Joseph's is a regional clinical branch campus of New York Medical College, a member of the Touro College and University System and is also affiliated with Seton Hall School of Health and Medical Science and the University of New England School of Osteopathic Medicine. Three levels of medical education are available at St. Joseph's: a pre-doctoral program for medical students in clinical clerkships, post-graduate residency programs and continuing medical education programs for medical staff and local physicians.

Services Provided

The Department of Pharmacy Services is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Pharmacists work directly with physicians, nurses, and allied health personnel, in a decentralized practice model. Distributive pharmacy services are provided through the Central Pharmacy together with decentralized automated dispensing cabinets and two pharmacy satellites. Clinical pharmacy services include anticoagulation management, infectious disease, transition of care, ambulatory care, pediatrics, emergency medicine, critical care and palliative care. SJUMC has a 4 PGY1 pharmacy residents and a PGY2 pharmacy residency in ambulatory care. SJUMC pharmacists routinely precept students from various schools of pharmacy. SJUMC is an academic teaching and practice site for the Rutgers University, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy.

Rotational Experiences for Knight Scholars

Number of Knight Scholars: 2

APPE rotations (cycle 1-5) - Students to complete 4 rotations

- Hospital Pharmacy Practice - Preceptor: Wilma Leftin
- Ambulatory Care, HIV - Preceptor: Humberto Jimenez (faculty)
- Critical Care - Preceptor: Nicole Castoro (faculty)
- Psychiatry - Preceptor: Daniel Greer (faculty)

Longitudinal Experiences

- Antimicrobial stewardship
- Patient counseling services
- Medication management/administration

Research

- A longitudinal research project suitable for publication or presentation must be completed by the end of the final rotation

A certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of the program

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