

**PROGRAM NAME****DVA - Palo Alto Hlthcare Sys**3801 Miranda Avenue  
(112POD)  
Palo Alto, CA 94304**CASPR # 0113****CRIP** Section 2**DIRECTOR****Chatra Klaisri DPM**

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Program Web Site:

Rescue Fund Insured: Yes  
COTH Member thru 6/30: Yes**Entry Level Positions**

Type	# Approved	# Active
PMSR/RRA	4	4

**HOSPITAL DESCRIPTION**

**Accreditation:** JCAHO      **Has Clerkship Program:** yes  
**# Staff DPMS:** 32  
**Affiliated Institutions:** Stanford University Medical Center and School of Medicine  
**Other Residency Programs:** Multiple allopathic programs through Stanford University teaching affiliation

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCES**

<b>Anesthesiology:</b> yes	<b>Internal Medicine:</b> yes	<b>Pathology/Lab:</b> yes	<b>Rehabilitation:</b> yes
<b>Behavioral Science:</b> yes	<b>Infectious Disease:</b> yes	<b>Pediatrics:</b> yes	<b>Rheumatology:</b> yes
<b>Dermatology:</b> yes	<b>Neurology:</b> no	<b>Plastic Surgery:</b> yes	<b>Surgery (General):</b> yes
<b>Diabetic Wound Care:</b> yes	<b>Orthopedics:</b> yes	<b>Podiatry:</b> yes	<b>Trauma:</b> yes
<b>Emergency Room:</b> yes	<b>Office Rotations:</b> yes	<b>Podiatry (Surgery):</b> yes	<b>Vascular Surgery:</b> yes
<b>Family Practice:</b> no	<b>Outpatient Clinic:</b> yes	<b>Radiology:</b> yes	

**Other Clinical Experiences:** Multiple month rotations in Podiatric Medicine and Surgery and Orthopedic Surgery/Trauma during the PGY-3 year at Kaiser San Jose.**Program Emphasis:** Reconstructive foot and ankle surgery, limb salvage**DIDACTIC PROGRAM**

<b>Grand Rounds:</b> yes	<b>Research:</b> yes	<b>Book Club:</b> yes
<b>Journal Club:</b> yes		<b>Lecture Series:</b> yes

**RESIDENT BENEFITS**

<b>Stipends:</b> PMSR/RRA: \$48,870/ \$51,585/ \$54,979	<b>CME Allowance:</b> no	<b>Housing:</b> no	<b>Uniforms:</b> yes
	<b>Health Insurance:</b> yes	<b>Meals:</b> no	<b>Vacation:</b> yes
	<b>Malpractice Insurance:</b> yes	<b>Sick Leave:</b> yes	

**Other Resident Benefits:** none.**APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS****Mail Additional Materials To:**3801 Miranda Avenue  
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<b>ACLS:</b> yes	<b>CPR:</b> yes	<b>Ltrs of Recommendation:</b> 2	<b>Clerkship Required:</b> no
<b>APMLE Pt III:</b> No	<b>State License 1st yr:</b> training		<b>Minimum GPA:</b> 3.0
<b>Program Fee:</b> \$0.00	<b>Fee Refundable:</b> n/a		<b>Minimum Rank:</b> no
			<b>CV:</b> yes

**Deadline:** 11/7/2018**Payable To:** n/a**Other Applicant Requirements:** Must have registered with Selective Services if applicable. Background checks and Drug Screening required. Student clerkship is highly recommended.**AVAILABLE RESOURCES****Sample Contract:** Contact Program      **Benefit Package:** Contact Program      **Curriculum:** Contact Program**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

The VA Palo Alto Podiatric Medicine and Surgery Residency with the additional credential in Rearfoot and Ankle Reconstructive Surgery program accepts applications from graduates of all colleges of Podiatric Medicine. The program emphasizes reconstructive foot and ankle surgery and diabetic limb salvage. Surgery is performed under the direction of a highly experienced staff of board certified physicians. Surgical and clinical experiences occur at the VA Palo Alto Hospital and Clinics, Stanford University, Kaiser Permanente Medical Center San Jose, private office locations and multiple surgery centers. The DVAMC Palo Alto residency program provides an excellent educational experience in a diversified university environment in the San Francisco Bay Area of California.