

PROGRAM NAME

West Houston Med Ctr
 c/o Greater Texas Education Foundation
 12121 Richmond Ave, Suite 417
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CASPR # 0263
CRIP Section 1

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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:** no
Staff DPMS: 65
Affiliated Institutions: Affiliated with approximately 25 facilities including hospitals and surgery centers
Other Residency Programs: The West Houston Medical Center Program works in conjunction with the Kingwood Medical Center Program

CLINICAL EXPERIENCES

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

Other Clinical Experiences: Program learning center with wet lab fully equipped for forefoot, rearfoot & ankle procedures on cadaveric specimens including arthroscopy. Each resident receives three cadaveric limbs per year.

Program Emphasis: Heavy surgical volume in forefoot, rearfoot/ankle, orthopedic, general, plastic surgery. The program also offers a complete clinical experience.

DIDACTIC PROGRAM

Grand Rounds: yes	Research: yes	Book Club: no
Journal Club: yes		Lecture Series: yes

RESIDENT BENEFITS

Stipends: PMSR/RRA: \$39,500/ \$41,500/ \$43,500	CME Allowance: no	Housing: no	Uniforms: yes
	Health Insurance: yes	Meals: yes	Vacation: yes
	Malpractice Insurance: yes	Sick Leave: yes	

Other Resident Benefits: Each resident will have individual access to Podiatry Residency Resource. In addition, dues for TPMA, APMA, ACFAS, ACFOAM are provided by the residency program.

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

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ACLS: yes	CPR: yes	Ltrs of Recommendation: 2	Clerkship Required: no
APMLE Pt III: No	State License 1st yr: temporary	Minimum GPA: no	Minimum Rank: no
Program Fee: \$0.00	Fee Refundable: no	CV: yes	

Deadline: 11/8/2017

Payable To:

Other Applicant Requirements: All residents must have Texas State license, DEA (if required) numbers at start date. All residents must have valid Texas drivers license.

AVAILABLE RESOURCES

Sample Contract: Contact Program **Benefit Package:** Contact Program **Curriculum:** Contact Program

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Program is approved PMSR/RRA.

Past graduates hold leadership roles in many state and national organizations. This creates a networking opportunity for post residency employment. We have alumni located throughout the entire USA and Puerto Rico. Many of the graduates are recruited by large podiatric, orthopedic, and multi-specialty groups. All interviews shall occur on the dates established by the national resident application matching service. Each candidate granted an interview will be interviewed individually (Could be done individually or in a group setting) on academic and social skills. Call-back interviews may occur and could be an individual or group setting. Each final candidate will be assessed and ranked by the individual interviewers and final rankings are established by group consensus. Curriculum is available to candidates upon request.