

PROGRAM NAME DVA - Cntrl Alabama Hlthcare Sys

Surg Serv/Pod (115-S)
215 Perry Hill Road
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CASPR # 0336

CRIP Section 1

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Program Web Site: centralalabama.va.gov/careers/Podiatry_Residency.asp

Rescue Fund Insured: Yes
COTH Member thru 6/30: Yes

Entry Level Positions

Type	# Approved	# Active
PMSR:	1	1
PMSR/RRA	1	1

HOSPITAL DESCRIPTION

Accreditation: JCAHO **Has Clerkship Program:** yes
Staff DPMS: 5
Affiliated Institutions: Maxwell Air Force Base, University of Alabama @ Birmingham Medical School; DVA Birmingham; Baptist East & South Medical Center, Montgomery; East Alabama Medical Center, Auburn

Other Residency Programs:**CLINICAL EXPERIENCES**

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

Other Clinical Experiences: High Risk Foot Clinic. Active Duty Air Force patients and their dependents including children at Maxwell Air Force Base.**Program Emphasis:** Well-rounded Forefoot and Reconstructive Rearfoot and Ankle Surgery, in-patient medical management, limb preservation and high risk foot care through podiatric medical and surgical means.**DIDACTIC PROGRAM**

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

RESIDENT BENEFITS

Stipends:	CME Allowance: no	Housing: no	Uniforms: yes
PMSR: \$41,098/ \$43,381/ \$46,235	Health Insurance: yes	Meals: no	Vacation: yes
PMSR/RRA: \$41,098/ \$43,381/ \$46,235	Malpractice Insurance: yes	Sick Leave: yes	

Other Resident Benefits: Opportunity to lecture at the AL State Association Scientific meeting each year.**APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS****Mail Additional Materials To:**

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ACLS: no	CPR: yes	Ltrs of Recommendation: 3	Clerkship Required: no
APMLE Pt III: No		State License 1st yr: none	Minimum GPA: 2.3
Program Fee: \$0.00		Fee Refundable: n/a	Minimum Rank: no
			CV: yes

Deadline: 11/8/2017**Payable To:** n/a**Other Applicant Requirements:** Must have registered with Selective Services, Background checks and Drug Screening required.**AVAILABLE RESOURCES****Sample Contract:** At CRIP**Benefit Package:** At CRIP**Curriculum:** At CRIP**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

One of the few VA's that has a fully implemented sharing agreement with the military that has combined podiatry clinics from the VA and medical clinics at an Air Force medical clinic to allow veterans and active duty and their families to be treated side-by-side. Our facility is one of the very few VA's that treats children in our own clinics. Our Wound Care Foot Clinics prepare the resident for an active wound care practice. The clinic deals with high risk pre- and post-amputation patients, advanced wound technology, bioengineered tissue grafts, and limb preservation surgery. Podiatry Service at this VA is a Direct Admit Service and we are involved in all phases of a patients care, we have OR time on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Fridays. Montgomery has a very affordable cost of living and is close to Atlanta and the Gulf beaches.