

**PROGRAM NAME** Geisinger Community Medical Ctr

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Program Web Site: <https://www.geisinger.edu/education/residencies-fellowships/residencies/podiatry-resi>

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

**Entry Level Positions**

Type	# Approved	# Active
PMSR/RRA	5	5

**HOSPITAL DESCRIPTION**

**Accreditation:** JCAHO      **Has Clerkship Program:** yes  
**# Staff DPMS:** 38  
**Affiliated Institutions:** Geisinger Health System, Northeast Surgery Center, Rubin Institute for Advanced Ortho at Sinai Hospital, Regional Hospital Surgery Center of Scranton

**Other Residency Programs:****CLINICAL EXPERIENCES**

<b>Anesthesiology:</b> yes	<b>Internal Medicine:</b> yes	<b>Pathology/Lab:</b> yes	<b>Rehabilitation:</b> no
<b>Behavioral Science:</b> yes	<b>Infectious Disease:</b> yes	<b>Pediatrics:</b> yes	<b>Rheumatology:</b> no
<b>Dermatology:</b> no	<b>Neurology:</b> yes	<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:** 2nd year Residents complete a rotation at Rubin Institute for Advanced Orthopedics at Sinai Hospital in Maryland.**Program Emphasis:** Trauma, rearfoot reconstructive surgery, charcot reconstructive surgery, forefoot surgery and wound care.**DIDACTIC PROGRAM**

<b>Grand Rounds:</b> yes	<b>Research:</b> yes	<b>Book Club:</b> no
<b>Journal Club:</b> yes		<b>Lecture Series:</b> yes

**RESIDENT BENEFITS**

<b>Stipends:</b>	<b>CME Allowance:</b> yes	<b>Housing:</b> no	<b>Uniforms:</b> yes
PMSR/RRA: \$53,551/ \$56,259/ \$58,115	<b>Health Insurance:</b> yes	<b>Meals:</b> yes	<b>Vacation:</b> yes
	<b>Malpractice Insurance:</b> yes	<b>Sick Leave:</b> yes	

**Other Resident Benefits:** \*On-Call Meal Allowance**APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS****Mail Additional Materials To:**

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**ACLS:** yes    **CPR:** yes    **Ltrs of Recommendation:** 3  
**APMLE Pt III:** Yes    **State License 1st yr:** full  
**Program Fee:**    **Fee Refundable:**

**Clerkship Required:** no  
**Minimum GPA:** no  
**Minimum Rank:** no  
**CV:** yes

**Deadline:** 11/7/2018**Payable To:****Other Applicant Requirements:** Incoming Residents are expected to attend hospital wide orientation in the middle of June. Orientation schedules are emailed after residency match.**AVAILABLE RESOURCES****Sample Contract:** At CRIP**Benefit Package:** At CRIP**Curriculum:** At CRIP**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

Geisinger Community Medical Center is a PMSR/RRA certified program involved in all facets of podiatric medicine and surgery. Residents rotate with all specialties and implement wound care practices and Hyperbaric Oxygen therapy in a hospital based wound care center. Strong surgical skills are enforced with excellent guidance from staff Attendings in all aspects of foot and ankle surgery including Charcot reconstruction, rearfoot and forefoot procedures, ankle arthroscopy, Ilizarov frames, limb salvage, and trauma. Private practice and hospital based clinics are included in the curriculum encompassing all aspects of podiatric medicine. Residents experience a strong focus on pediatric pathology and deformity correction during a rotation at the Rubin Institute for Advanced Orthopedics at Sinai Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland. Research and education remains a priority as residents continue to present research at national conferences and publish in multiple print medias each year.

An externship is strongly recommended however, not required to be considered as an applicant.