



BILL GATTON
COLLEGE of PHARMACY

EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

East Tennessee State University Gatton College of Pharmacy
Post-Graduate Year 1 (PGY1) Community Pharmacy Residency Program

Program Description

The East Tennessee State University (ETSU) Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy (BGCOP) is seeking applicants for its inaugural 12-month PGY1 community pharmacy residency. Our program is designed to prepare community-based pharmacist practitioners as leaders and innovators through unique practice experiences, with the hope of elevating pharmacy practice and overall healthcare both in our region and nationally.

The clinical practice site will be [Boone Drug and Healthcare](#) in beautiful Boone, North Carolina. Boone Drug, Inc. consists of seventeen independent community pharmacies, including a specialty pharmacy, two long-term care pharmacy sites, and multiple collaborative practice sites in the surrounding region. Boone Drug participates in North Carolina's Community Pharmacy Enhanced Services Network (CPESN) to address the needs of patients with complex, chronic conditions. Additional innovative clinical services offered by the site include: transitional care programs, clinical medication synchronization, collaborative practice under a Clinical Pharmacist Provider (CPP) embedded in local provider offices, medication therapy management (MTM), immunizations, compounding, point-of-care testing, and other health and wellness services. The resident will broaden their clinical knowledge through active participation in patient care and interactions with experienced preceptors at the site. Additionally, the resident will play a key role in the implementation, expansion, and enhancement of services.

Other resident opportunities include: precepting pharmacy students at the practice site and during outreach events; participating in a Teaching and Learning Certificate program through the BGCOP; teaching in a classroom setting at the BGCOP; staffing requirements; and conducting a practice-based research project. The resident will join a group of residents and fellows affiliated with the BGCOP, allowing for collaboration, support, and encouragement throughout the residency year.

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The [Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy](#) is part of the Academic Health Sciences Center of ETSU, which also includes the Colleges of Medicine, Nursing, Public Health, and Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences. ETSU enrolls 15,000+ students and is located in Johnson City, TN.

Benefits

Resident salary is competitive with national averages. In addition, the resident is provided paid leave, health insurance, and a travel allowance for professional meetings.

Qualifications

The successful candidate will be a graduate of an accredited school or college of pharmacy and eligible for licensure in the State of North Carolina.

Qualified applicants should submit their application materials via this [link](#), including a letter of intent, curriculum vitae, and contact information for three (3) references. For additional information, please contact:

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