

University Of Washington Internal Medicine Residency Program

Nephrology-Directed Residency Training

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Subspecialty web site address

<http://depts.washington.edu/nephron/welcome.htm>

Deadline for fellowship applications

ERAS applications accepted after November 1st and Match day is usually in May or June one year in advance of anticipated July 1 start date.

General suggestions for residency training

The University of Washington Internal Medicine Residency Program provides ideal preparation for subspecialty training in nephrology. All internists gain experience in the management of acute and chronic kidney disease, fluid and electrolyte disorders, and hypertension. A balanced exposure to both inpatient and outpatient medicine is recommended, with attendance in the more specialized clinics listed below as time allows. Residents should make an effort to attend some of the many nephrology-related teaching and research conferences held in the Seattle area and are encouraged to develop a dialog with nephrology faculty members. A clinical or research elective may position a resident better for some or the more competitive nephrology fellowships.

Suggested curriculum during residency

Nephrology inpatient consultation service (UWMC, HMC, or VAPSHCS)
Endocrinology (UWMC, HMC, or VAPSHCS)
Rheumatology (UWMC, HMC, or VAPSHCS)
Hepatology

Local subspecialty-specific conferences open to residents

Friday Renal Grand Rounds 8:00 – 10:00 (location Northwest Kidney Center, 700 Broadway, Seattle)

Local subspecialty-specific social/educational events open to residents

Quarterly Nephrology Days (day-long symposia held at various Puget Sound venues)

Dates of important national meetings

Yearly meeting of American Society of Nephrology Association* – early November
Yearly meeting of National Kidney Foundation* – spring (April)

*Travel grants available for trainees