

Carney Hospital

Internal Medicine Residency Program

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Carney Hospital is a 159-bed community teaching hospital in Dorchester, MA affiliated with Tufts University School of Medicine.



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Carney Hospital: A History of Firsts

- ◆ In 1877, the first outpatient department in Boston was established by the hospital.
- ◆ The first abdominal surgery in the USA was carried out in the hospital in 1882.
- ◆ The same year, the first ovariectomy in Boston was carried out in Carney.
- ◆ The first Catholic nursing school in New England was opened in 1892.
- ◆ In 1920 the hospital introduced the first residency training program in Boston.
- ◆ In 1950 the first plastic hip operation in the US was performed at Carney Hospital.
- ◆ In 1974, Carney Hospital provided the first medical emergency rooftop helistop in Massachusetts.
- ◆ In March 2020, Carney Hospital was announced as the first COVID19 only hospital in the US.

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Dorchester residents salute Carney Hospital workers

📍 Boston, MA | Boston Herald | 04-16



Steward Health Care



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<https://youtu.be/9u0dDa4ajTY>

Carney Hospital ER



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Carney Hospital Internal Medicine Training Program

1920-2020

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a Division of Drexel University



Celebrating **100** Years of the
Carney Hospital Residency Program

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7XybNwR64nQ&list=PLD7RUGfnUtHoX8NC4-09T60Vuoaza82KZ&index=13&t=5s&fbclid=IwAR3GbaIupGqbudHvdpr-Wpy-4YtDO24aMXv2WXwL0>

Affiliated Sites

St. Elizabeth's
Medical Center



Lemuel Shattuck
Hospital

Affiliated Sites

Tufts Medical Center



Program Structure

- Starting from the academic year 2020/2021 the program has switched to “ 4 + 2 ” structure.
- Interns and residents will spend 4 weeks on inpatient services (wards or ICU) followed by two week ambulatory experiences in the primary care continuity or specialty clinics
- The academic year is divided into 26 2-week blocks.

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Program Structure

The program currently offers:

- 7 categorical positions
- 2-3 preliminary medicine positions
- 7 transitional year positions

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PGY-1 Rotations (Categorical and Prelim)

- ◆ Wards (Carney and Shattuck): 10-14 weeks
- ◆ ICU: 6-8 weeks
- ◆ Cardiology (St Elizabeth's, categorical only): 4 weeks
- ◆ Cardiology Consult (Carney): 2-4 weeks
- ◆ Night Float: 4-6 weeks
- ◆ Ambulatory/Elective: 14-16 weeks (Specialty and continuity clinic/
electives at Carney)
- ◆ Vacation: 3 weeks

PGY1 TY Rotations

- ◆ Wards: 10-12 weeks
- ◆ ICU: 8-10 weeks
- ◆ Surgery: 14-16 weeks
- ◆ ED: 4 weeks (St Elizabeth)
- ◆ Cardiology Consult (Carney): 2-4 weeks
- ◆ Night Float: 0-2 weeks
- ◆ Elective: 6-8 weeks
- ◆ Vacation: 3 weeks

PGY-2 Rotations

- ◆ Wards: 20 weeks (Carney 16 and Shattuck 4)
- ◆ ICU Days: 6-8 weeks
- ◆ Night Float: 6-8 weeks
- ◆ Neurology at TMC : 2 weeks
- ◆ Elective: 4-6 weeks (at Carney or other Massachusetts hospitals)
- ◆ Ambulatory: 8 weeks (continuity and specialty clinics)
- ◆ Vacation: 3 weeks

PGY-3 Rotations

- ◆ Wards: 14 weeks (Carney 12 + 2 Shattuck)
- ◆ ICU Nights: 8 weeks
- ◆ Elective: 6-8 weeks (heme/onc, renal, geriatrics, GI)
- ◆ Ambulatory: 16-18 weeks (continuity and specialty clinics)
- ◆ ED: 4 weeks
- ◆ Vacation: 3 weeks

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Elective Rotations and Specialty Clinics

◆ Specialty Clinics:

Carney: Cardiology, Pulmonary, ID, Endocrine, Rheumatology, Neurology, Ortho, Pain, Wound Care, ObGyn

Shattuck: Hematology/Oncology, GI, Rheumatology, Dermatology, Nephrology

◆ Inpatient Elective Consult Rotations:

Carney: Cardiology, ID, GI, Endocrine, Anesthesia

St Elizabeth: Hematology/Oncology, Nephrology, GI, Cards, Pulmonary

Outside Electives at other Boston Hospitals

Schedule and Call

Wards (1 team = 1 resident & 1 intern):

- ◆ Long call (7am – 9pm) Q4, Post call (7am -1pm), Short Call (7-4pm)
- ◆ 1 golden weekend and 1 black weekend

ICU (1 team = 1 resident & 2 interns + 1 NP):

- ◆ Residents: 12 hours shifts: 7am to 7pm (PGY2)
- ◆ 2 Interns alternate between 12 hour and 9 hour shifts every other day
- ◆ Interns have 1 weekend day off, Residents have 2 golden weekends

Night Float (1 resident and 1 intern)

- ◆ Floor: 9pm to 7am. 6 night on, 1 night off
- ◆ ICU: 7pm to 7am

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Schedule and Call

Surgery (Team = 2-3 TY interns + 1PA):

- 🟢 6am to 6pm Q2 or Q3.
- 🟢 Weekends off

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Caps and Work Hours

We strictly abide by the ACGME rules including but not limited to:

- ◆ 80-hour weekly limit, averaged over four weeks (usually much less)
- ◆ An adequate rest period, which should consist of 10 hours of rest between duty periods.
- ◆ At least 1 day in seven free from patient care and educational obligations, averaged over four weeks.
- ◆ We strictly follow ACGME rules regarding patient caps for residents & interns.
- ◆ Additionally, we have NO 24 hours calls.
- ◆ A sick call system is in place to manage unforeseen emergencies, cap or duty hour issue.

Teaching Conferences

- ◆ Daily
 - Multidisciplinary Rounds
 - Morning Report
 - Noon Conference
- ◆ Weekly:
 - Grand Rounds
 - Board Review
 - Mock Codes
- ◆ Monthly:
 - Morbidity & Mortality

Scholarly Activity

Research requirement:

- Each resident must participate in 1 QI project every year
- In addition, many residents pursue other scholarly activities at Carney or at neighboring Boston institutions.



Department of Medicine Scholarly Activity:

A few examples of our resident's scholarly achievements:

- ◆ 1st Prize Poster Symposium Massachusetts Medical Society in Health Policy/ Medical Education (2016)
- ◆ Oral Presentation at the American Society of Nephrology (2018)
- ◆ Best Clinical Vignette SEMC Annual Research Day (2019)
- ◆ Multiple poster presentations at CHEST and American Thoracic Society conferences.
- ◆ Multiple poster presentations at AHA and HFSA.

Department of Medicine Scholarly Activity:

Current ongoing research projects:

- ◆ Utility of Tocilizumab in COVID19
- ◆ Sedation protocols in the ICU

Social Events

Annual Holiday Party



Outdoor Activities



Birthdays



Internal Medicine Program: Annual & Educational Stipends

PGY Level	Salary
1	\$
2	\$
3	\$

PGY2: ?USD educational stipend +MKSAP

PGY3: ?USD educational stipend

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Graduating Residents

2020

- ◆ Cardiology Fellowship University of Toledo
- ◆ Pulmonary Medicine Fellowship Roger Williams Medical Center
- ◆ Nephrology Fellowship University of Pennsylvania
- ◆ Academic hospitalist University of Iowa
- ◆ Endocrinology Fellowship Case Western Reserve University
- ◆ Rheumatology Fellowship Brown University
- ◆ Geriatrics Fellowship UCLA
- ◆ Primary care physician in Los Angeles
- ◆ Academic hospitalist in Maine

2019

- ◆ Geriatrics Fellowship University of Nevada
- ◆ Nephrology Fellowship Stanford University
- ◆ Rheumatology Fellowship Brown University
- ◆ Endocrinology Fellowship Case Western Reserve University
- ◆ Infectious disease Fellowship SUNY downstate University
- ◆ Nephrology Fellowship University of New Mexico
- ◆ Private practice hospitalist
- ◆ Academic hospitalist University of Missouri
- ◆ Academic hospitalist University of Mississippi
- ◆ Private practice hospitalist Texas

2018

- GI Fellowship Mayo Clinic Florida
- Endocrinology Fellowship Tufts School of Medicine
- Infectious Disease Fellowship University of Arizona
- Infectious disease Fellowship University of Miami
- Private Practice PCP
- Home Hospital Attending Brigham and Women's Hospital
- Hospitalist Cape Cod
- Hospitalist Maine
- Private Practice Hospitalist
- Hospitalist Massachusetts

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