

Message From the Psychiatry Residency Program Director

Welcome to the Chillicothe VA Medical Center/Grandview Medical Center/Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine Psychiatry Residency Training Program. I am pleased that you are interested in our program. Our goal is to provide our residents with excellent and balanced training, preparing them for careers in academic, community, military, and clinical settings.

I feel the Chillicothe VA offers a rich and stimulating training environment. Residents learn fundamental skills of clinical psychiatry throughout our comprehensive Mental Health Department/Care line. The beautiful campus-style facility provides acute and chronic mental health services, primary and secondary medical services, extended care, a wide range of nursing home care services, and serves as a chronic mental health referral center for other VA facilities in southern Ohio.

We seek to foster in our trainees a commitment to lifelong learning, patient centered care, and a strong sense of professional responsibility and integrity. Our department is relaxed and friendly, while also being committed to excellence in patient care and residency education.

The Chillicothe VAMC/Grandview Medical Center/OUCOM Psychiatry Residency Program is fully accredited by the AOA and the American College of Osteopathic Neurologists and Psychiatrists (ACONP) as a four year General Adult Psychiatry Program. When a resident successfully completes the Adult Psychiatry Residency Program they are eligible to take the certification examination (boards) offered by the ACONP. The program was established in 2010. We are pleased to have an outstanding group of residents and faculty. Three trainees will be matched annually and it is anticipated that at capacity the residency will have twelve trainees (PGY-1 through PGY-4).

I hope that you will visit us and that we will have the opportunity to introduce you to our residents, faculty, and training program. If you have further questions, please feel free to call or e-mail me. I look forward to hearing from you!

Respectfully,

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