

Medstar Georgetown University Hospital Department of Psychiatry Residency Training Program

Thank you for your interest in Medstar Georgetown University Hospital Department of Psychiatry Residency Training Program. Our mission is to train compassionate, competent, ethical psychiatrists who think like scientists and act like humanitarians and to prepare residents for successful careers of their choosing in clinical practice, community psychiatry and academia. Our department provides a stimulating and supportive community and encourages high academic standards in a collaborative and service minded setting.

In the spirit of *cura personalis*, the Department of Psychiatry at MedStar Georgetown University Hospital has been recognized for expertise and innovation in such clinical areas as psychosomatic medicine, the integration of primary medical and psychiatric care, providing holistic evidence-based and community-based care to a wide range of patient populations including the underserved, and interdisciplinary clinical practice.

Psychiatry residents at Georgetown have access to our many affiliates including MedStar Washington Hospital Center, the Veteran's Administration Hospital and the National Institute of Mental Health amongst others. This provides residents with a diverse training that exposes them to different health care systems, clinical approaches and patient populations. We also offer individualized training for residents based on their interests using elective time in the second, third and fourth years. Our program's wellness initiative contributes to our residents personal and professional growth throughout training. Our aim is to train outstanding psychiatrists who are comfortable in any setting and who approach patient care from a nuanced multifaceted perspective integrating biological, psychodynamic and socio-cultural factors.

We are excited that you are interested in our field and in our program. Please reach out with any questions.