

George Washington University

The GW psychiatry residency is organized by its strong commitment to psychiatric humanism. Our residents learn clinical approaches that embrace the complexity of patients' lives in their family, community, and cultural contexts. They learn biological and psychosocial therapies within a broad and balanced biopsychosocial curriculum. They draw from multiple clinical perspectives and therapeutic traditions to tailor treatments that creatively address each patient's concerns. They provide both evidence-based treatments for patients' psychiatric disorders and relief from suffering due to grief, demoralization, spiritual anguish, humiliation from stigma or social injustice, and other normal syndromes of distress. By the end of their four years of training, our residents become well-prepared for practice in the urban and international environments that characterize the Washington metropolitan area.