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St. Mary’s Family Medicine Residency offers four-week Acting Internships to fourth-year medical students from LCME-accredited or AOA-approved medical schools. This is a great opportunity to learn what it is like to be a family medicine resident in our program. This internship will include:

- One week in our PCMH-certified outpatient clinic, working one-on-one with a physician faculty or a senior resident
- Two weeks of days and one week of nights on our inpatient family medicine service where you will assist with admitting, rounding, and cross-covering for our busy and diverse inpatient service
- Time to interact with our robust behavioral health team, our care coordinators, and our nursing staff
- “Education Days,” a series of weekly didactic lectures on attended by all residents and faculty
- Half-day experiences on the labor and delivery unit, in the OMT clinic, or with our behavioral health team, if the schedule permits

Beyond the great clinical opportunities, you will also have a chance to explore what the Western Slope of Colorado has to offer. [Learn more about life in Colorado here.](#)

We typically have housing on the St. Mary’s Regional Hospital campus available to rotating medical students for a reasonable fee.

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- 8/10/26-9/4/26
- 8/24/26-9/18/26
- 9/7/26-10/2/26
- 9/21/26-10/16/26



10/5/26-10/30/26
10/19/26-11/13/26
11/2/26-11/27/26
11/16/26-12/1/26
11/30/26-12/25/26
12/28/26-1/22/27

The application below will ask for a preferred date for your rotation. It is important to acknowledge that early in the academic year, our inpatient service can be less busy than usual as we orient our new residents to their roles in a new hospital setting. However, the early dates for rotations may allow students to request a letter of recommendation from a faculty member that can be used in their ERAS application. Please consider your date selection based on your specific needs and interests.

Application

[Apply for Fourth-year Family Medicine Acting Internships](#)

Open March 1-May 1

Requirements*

Please note that applications will only be accepted and reviewed from March 1 - May 1. We will be in communication with you via email once your application has been received and reviewed. We encourage you to apply early as spots are filled on a rolling basis.

To Apply

- Completed application form
- CV
- Unofficial medical school transcript

To Rotate

Students involved in training at an Intermountain Health facility in Colorado or Montana must submit to and successfully pass a urine drug screen, a criminal background check, and complete specified immunizations. Documentation of these tests and immunizations are maintained by



the student's school/institution. Verification of completion, with acceptable results, must be provided by the school/institution to Intermountain Health upon request.

We also require:

- Letter of good standing
- Proof of school-provided liability insurance
- School-provided attestation of immunizations, background check, and drug screening

*A Note for International Students

Unfortunately, Intermountain Health is unable to sponsor individuals who require a visa and we are therefore unable to host International medical students at this time.

The program is aware of the passage of bill HB22-1050 regarding pathways to licensure for graduates from schools outside of the USA. There are multiple process and operational changes that will need to be created before there is a clear path to Colorado licensure for International Medical Graduates. We do not anticipate any change in our process or requirements.

Questions?

For questions regarding this family medicine rotation or application, please contact stmarysfmresidency@imail.org