

# CLINCH VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER



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## *Richlands, Virginia*



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Clinch Valley Medical Center (CVMC) is a 175-bed acute care hospital located in Southwest Virginia. Clinch Valley offers comprehensive cancer services, specialty care for hearts and lungs, emergency services, physical rehabilitation, skilled nursing, pediatrics, outpatient services, obstetrics, advanced wound center, bariatrics and advanced diagnostics. CVMC operates as part of Lifepoint Health.

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### *Rotations Available*

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Allergy</li><li>• Anesthesiology</li><li>• Otolaryngology</li><li>• Emergency Medicine</li><li>• Family Medicine</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Inpatient Internal Medicine</li><li>• Radiology</li><li>• Radiation/Oncology</li><li>• Surgery</li></ul> |
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## **VCOM Housing**

Clinch Valley offers student housing in the Richlands area.

## **Site Orientation**

Prior to beginning their clinical rotations, students are required to participate in facility orientation. The orientation lasts approximately 1.5 hours. Following orientation, students will be provided with their ID badges.

# Community Information



Located along the banks of the Upper Fork of the Clinch River, Richlands evolved from the land grant of 1785 by Patrick Henry, Governor of Virginia. The town's name reflects the abundance of "rich land". Beginning as a farming community, the area was quickly recognized for its natural resources and coal reserves. With the arrival of Norfolk and Western Railroad, enterprising capitalists understood the potential for our area. In the 1890s, the Clinch Valley Coal & Iron Company began to develop Richlands in hopes of capitalizing on readily available coal, iron and timber.

The town was incorporated in 1892.

Nestled in the Appalachian Mountains and along the banks of the Clinch River, the Town of Richlands is privileged by the exposure of a diverse and unique culture. Many of the local attractions reflect the unique culture of the Appalachian Mountains.



Local Attractions include the Appalachian Arts Center, Crab Orchard Museum and Pioneer Park, Richlands Miners' Memorial, Clinch Valley Millworks, Clinch River Artisan Trail.

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## Helpful Links

Clinch Valley Medical Center:

<http://www.clinchvalleymedicalcenter.com>

Town of Richlands: <http://town.richlands.va.us>