

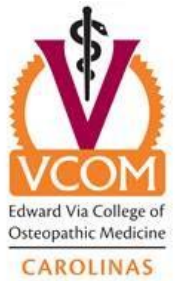


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### Hospital Information

Piedmont Medical Center is a 288-bed Trauma Level III full-service hospital in Rock Hill, South Carolina providing a wide range of medical care, an extensive network of experienced physicians and nurses, and some of the most innovative technology and equipment available today. Piedmont has been awarded an "A" Grade Hospital Safety Score 5 times in a row, an elite designation from The Leapfrog Group, and has been recognized for Cardiac and Stroke Care with several Get with the Guidelines Gold Plus Achievement Awards.

#### Services:

- Cancer care programs
- Imaging
- Neurological treatment and help
- Heart care
- Pediatrics
- Orthopedics
- Women's health
- Pregnancy and childbirth
- Rehabilitation
- Surgical care
- Emergency care and procedures
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### 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Rotations Available

Family Medicine (Rock Hill, Fort Mill, Indian Land, Lancaster, Chester, Charlotte, Gastonia), Geriatrics (Rock Hill, York, Lancaster and Gastonia), IM1 at Piedmont Medical Center, IM2 (Gastonia and Rock Hill), OB/GYN (Rock Hill) Pediatrics (Lancaster and Columbia), Psychiatry (Gastonia), Surgery (Rock Hill), Underserved Care (Rock Hill, Fort Mill, Indian Land, Lancaster, Chester, Charlotte, Gastonia)

Please note that there is a considerable amount of commuting at the Piedmont site. Rotations are located in Rock Hill, Fort Mill, York, Chester, Lancaster, Indian Land and across the state line in Gastonia, NC and Charlotte, NC. No matter where you live, you will have some commutes that are 45-55 minutes depending on traffic and some commutes may be 15-20 minutes. There is no option to rotate only at Rock Hill practices, so you should be prepared to do a fair amount of driving during your 3<sup>rd</sup> year at this site. Pediatric rotations are currently offered in Lancaster and Columbia. Housing is provided for the Columbia rotations.

#### **4<sup>th</sup> Year Rotations Available**

Cardiology (Rock Hill and Fort Mill), Emergency Medicine (Rock Hill and Fort Mill), Dermatology (Rock Hill and Gastonia), ENT & Plastic Surgery (Rock Hill and Lancaster), Endocrinology (Rock Hill), Gastroenterology (Rock Hill), Hematology/Oncology (Rock Hill and Lancaster), Infectious Diseases (Rock Hill), Inpatient IM (Rock Hill), Outpatient IM (Rock Hill and Gastonia), Neurology (Rock Hill), Oral/Maxillofacial Surgery (Rock Hill), Pathology (Rock Hill and Lancaster), Outpatient Pulmonology (Rock Hill), Radiology (Rock Hill), Trauma Surgery (Rock Hill), Urgent Care (Fort Mill), Urological Surgery (Rock Hill and Fort Mill), Vascular Surgery (Rock Hill and Fort Mill)

#### **Residency Programs**

N/A

#### **Attendance Requirements for Lectures and Seminars**

Rounds are a requirement for some rotations at the discretion of the preceptors. Students attend Tumor Board meetings twice per month during IM1 and Surgery rotations. OMM labs are required and students are expected to participate while on their rotations. Case presentations are held once a month and are required for 3<sup>rd</sup> year students. Each student is required to give two case presentations during the year.

#### **VCOM Housing**

N/A

#### **Housing Resources for Students**

- Rinehart Realtors in Rock Hill specializes in rental apartments/townhomes/houses <http://www.rinehartproperties.com/residents>
- Whisper Creek Apartment complex is located within walking distance to the hospital <http://www.tributeproperties.com/communities/whisper-creek-apartments-rock-hill-sc/>
- Galleria Point Apartments <http://www.galleriapointepts.com/>
- Brookstone Apartments <http://www.brookstonejmg.com/apartments/sc/rock-hill/neighborhood>
- River Walk Apartments <http://www.riverwalkcarolinas.com/living-at-riverwalk/apartments/>

#### **Site Orientation**

Orientation/credentialing process for Piedmont involves a background check run by the hospital, 12 panel drug screen within 30 days of the start date of the first rotation, and reviewing an HR presentation and completing a short quiz based on that information. 3<sup>rd</sup> year students will meet as a group with the

coordinator to tour the hospital before their first rotation begins as well attend a casual informational dinner hosted by the DSME and Site Coordinator. 4<sup>th</sup> year students will complete the orientation forms online and get the drug screen at a location convenient to where they are rotating if they are unable to visit Piedmont.

## Community Information

Rock Hill is an outer suburb of Charlotte, NC located about 25 miles south of the Uptown area with a population of around 70,000 residents. Rock Hill has several great community parks as well as outstanding tennis and soccer facilities. The city recently completed a mixed use development called River Walk situated along the Catawba River that includes housing, restaurants, parks, a three mile paved greenway, kayak launch, mountain bike trails and much more. Rock Hill has a small but lively downtown area with local restaurants, an awesome coffee shop, breweries, and Food Truck Fridays at Fountain Park.



*River Walk – A dynamic, riverfront community in Rock Hill with a distinctive, outdoor lifestyle.*



*Ann Springs Close Greenway – 2,100 acre Nature Preserve with hiking, biking and horseback riding trails, a lake with kayak rentals and a pavilion for live music events. Located 15 minutes away in Fort Mill, SC*

## Helpful Links

- Hospital Website: <https://www.piedmontmedicalcenter.com/>
- Community Website: <http://www.visitrockhillsc.com/>
- River Walk: <http://www.riverwalkcarolinas.com/>
- The Pump House: <http://rockhillpumphouse.com/>
- Amelie's French Bakery: <http://www.ameliesfrenchbakery.com/rock-hill>
- Grapevine Wine Bar: <http://www.grapevine.wine/riverwalk/>
- Millstone Pizza: <http://millstonepizzaandtap.com/>
- Legal Remedy Brewpub: <https://legalremedybrewing.com/>
- Earth Fare: [http://www.earthfare.com/our-stores/rock-hill\(250\)](http://www.earthfare.com/our-stores/rock-hill(250))
- Upper Palmetto YMCA: <http://www.upymca.org/>
- Anne Springs Greenway: <http://www.ascgreenway.org/>
- US National Whitewater Center: <http://usnwc.org/>