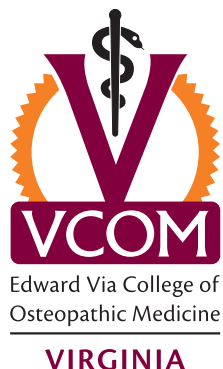


Pelvic Teaching Associates Needed

Pelvic Model Program

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The Pelvic Model Program is a training program for the 2nd year medical students that takes place each year during the fall and early winter. Each student is scheduled by the OB/GYN Administrative Assistant to attend one session of this very informative, patient-focused, hands-on program at the Simulation Center for the VA Campus. Students will be assisted by Dr. Champine or another OB/GYN professional during the exam. Students will perform a speculum exam and a bi-manual exam on the PTA (Pelvic Teaching Associate). The PTA will provide immediate feedback to each student following the session to increase his/her knowledge and to improve his/her skill set. Each PTA will attend a 2-hour paid training session and have the opportunity to learn more about the program and ensure that she is ready to assist the students with the learning experience.



Who:

Females – at least 18 years old.

What:

Pelvic Teaching Associates (PTA) - The role of a PTA is to be a simulated patient who is examined by medical students in a protected, professional setting. It is an opportunity to participate in the educational process of medical students who are learning to perform a pelvic examination. It is a service to students and faculty as well as the individuals who will be examined by them in the future. While many consider this role challenging personally, it is an opportunity to touch lives in the service of others.

When:

Fall 2021 – Winter 2021

Where:

VCOM Simulation
and Technology Center
309 N Knollwood Drive.
Blacksburg, VA 24060

Contact:

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Pay:

\$25.00 per exam (minus taxes). Each PTA is usually scheduled for at least 5 student exams. The amount of time required is between 1 hour and 1 hour and 30 minutes.