



DEPARTMENT OF
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Rural Health Equity (RHE) Track: Belleville Family Medical Center

Purpose:

Create a unique residency experience in family medicine, community health and leadership/advocacy that emphasizes health disparities specific to rural populations.

The Basics:

- Two additional residents located at the Belleville Clinic site per year (four total each year)
- First residents will start in June 2017
- Core experience as part of the Madison program including annual orientation, seminars and all other resident activities
- Assigned to Belleville for continuity clinic
- Funding for additional CME time in the R2 and R3 years to gain specific leadership and advocacy experience

Rotation Experiences

- Same rigorous full-spectrum clinical rotations as other Madison residents
- Twenty-five weeks of varied rural health clinical training sites over the three-year residency
- Longitudinal community health experiences (3-4 weeks in each of the R2 and R3 years) including intensive training in community assessment and population health data interpretation
- Specific training in management of acute and chronic mental health and medically assisted substance use disorders (4 weeks)

Application Process

- Once matched at the UW-Madison FM residency, list clinic site preferences in rank order (Belleville, Northeast, Verona, or Wingra) with your educational rationale for each site. If interested in the Belleville RHE Track, indicate this on this clinic site preference form.
- The Program Director will match residents to clinic sites, including the BV RHE track, taking all resident educational goals into consideration. For the Belleville RHE track, predictors of practice in a rural area and prior demonstrated interest in rural medicine will also be considered.

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