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About Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey

Horizon BCBSNJ is a not-for-profit organization headquartered in Newark, New Jersey. It is the state’s largest health insurer, serving nearly 3.3 million members. Our mission is to make health care work by improving the health care experience for our members and the communities we serve.

About Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy at Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey

The College of Pharmacy was founded in 1892, and was incorporated into the University in 1927. As the only pharmacy program in New Jersey, the Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy currently enrolls approximately 1,200 students in undergraduate and graduate programs.
The residency in managed care at Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey, in conjunction with Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, is a one-year post-Pharm.D. specialized training program geared towards the development of clinical skills in a managed care setting.

Residents will be trained to be an integral part of the formulary management process, presenting at quarterly Pharmacy and Therapeutics meetings, evaluating new drug literature and utilization patterns, researching and updating medical and pharmacy policies, and supporting disease state management programs. Residents will also participate in medication therapy management programs for Medicare Part D members, learn about pharmacy and medical benefit design, work with new technologies such as e-Prescribing and ELIZA (the electronic phone messaging system), and participate in research projects.

Residents will gain industry and Pharmacy Benefits Management perspective of managed care through routine business meetings and collaborative projects.

Other opportunities include teaching pharmacy students and presenting individual research projects at the spring AMCP national meeting.

Applications should include:

- Letter of intent.
- Curriculum Vitae.
- Official transcripts for all pharmacy education.
- Three letters of recommendation from health care professionals who can attest to your practice abilities and aptitudes.

Send completed applications to:

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