

Tift Regional Health System (TRHS)
Information for Applicants
Internal Medicine Residency Program

The Match

TRHS participates in the NRMP's Main Residency Match. All applicants must register with the NRMP to be considered for a residency position.

TRHS Internal Medicine NRMP program code:

Institution Name:

For more information and important deadlines for 'The Match', please refer to the NRMP website: [Get Ready for the Match | NRMP](#)

Application Service

Our Internal Medicine program utilizes the **Electronic Residency Application Service (ERAS)**: [Apply to Residencies with the ERAS® System | Students & Residents](#).

All applicants must apply to the IM program through ERAS. Please do not submit applications via email or fax.

Application Deadline and Interview Invitations

The deadline for your application to be considered is **December 15, 2025**. Our interview season runs October 1, 2025, to January 30, 2026, with invitations to interview issued on a rolling basis throughout the season on Tuesday and Friday afternoons after 3 pm. Virtual interviews with the Program Director and program faculty will be arranged at a mutually convenient time.

Minimum Requirements

Minimum requirements for applicants to our program include:

- Graduation from medical school within the past 5 years
- CV
- Personal statement
- 2 Letters of Recommendation (LOR) written within the past year by physicians who have worked with you during clinical experiences, with at least one of these LOR from a physician in the specialty of Internal Medicine
- Medical School Performance Evaluation (MSPE)
- Medical School Transcript
- ECFMG certificate / Status Report (IMGs only)
- Passing scores / transcripts on USMLE Step 1 and Step 2 or passing scores /transcripts on COMLEX Level 1 and Level 2

Requirements upon appointment to a TRHS residency program:

- Passing federal and state criminal background checks
- Passing a drug screen test
- Eligibility for medical licensure in the state of Georgia and meeting medical licensure requirements of the Georgia Composite Medical Board
- Attending Resident Orientation beginning Monday, June 22, 2026, through Tuesday, June 30, 2026, and beginning clinical assignments on July 1, 2026

Stipends (Salaries)

PGY-1	\$63,000
PGY-2	\$65,000
PGY-3	\$67,000

Benefits / Insurance

TRHS provides an attractive benefits package to all its employees, including availability of the following:

- Health Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Disability Insurance
- Professional Liability Coverage for physicians

Vacation and Leaves of Absence Policy

Each resident will receive a total of 4 weeks' vacation scheduled as (4) one-week periods interspersed throughout the academic year and approved by the Program Director. Vacation may not be taken during Wards, Night Float, Emergency Medicine, or ICU rotation assignments.

TRHS provides residents with up to six weeks of approved medical, parental, and caregiver leave(s) of absence, paid, for qualifying reasons that are consistent with applicable laws once during residency training with eligibility starting on the first day of orientation. Residents receive 100% of their salary for the first six weeks of the first approved medical, parental, or caregiver leave of absence taken. One week of paid time off will be reserved for use outside of the first six weeks of the first approved medical, parental, or caregiver leave of absence taken. Health and disability insurance benefits continue during the approved leave from the time of eligibility.

Candidates Invited to Interview

In addition to the above information, candidates who are invited to interview will be provided with a sample Resident Contract and will be asked to sign an Interview Non-recording Agreement and an Acknowledgement of Receipt of Information for Candidates Invited to Interview.

