

## **Program Director: Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation**

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*The Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC) School of Medicine in Lubbock, Texas is seeking a Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Residency Program Director to prepare and lead our new program. The ultimate goals of this program are to develop competent, compassionate, professional physicians who provide the highest quality care for West Texas and beyond, who participate in scholarship and quality improvement, and who provide academic and community leadership. This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced, motivated leader to build a program from the ground up.*

The new residency program will be community-based with TTUHSC as the sponsoring institution. The successful candidate will have protected time to develop the program in addition to clinical responsibilities in a private practice setting. Much of the clinical work will take place at the Trustpoint Rehabilitation Hospital of Lubbock, a 93-bed inpatient facility with a focus on stroke, brain and spinal cord injury recovery, and a new five-acre Transitional Learning Center.

### **Qualifications**

- Must be Board Certified in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.
- Must have recent, four years of participation as an active faculty member in an ACGME-accredited physical medicine and rehabilitation residency program.
- Previous administrative and educational experience.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills.
- Candidates with recent scholarly activity such as peer-reviewed funding, publication of original research or review articles in peer-reviewed journals, chapters in textbooks, publication or presentation of case reports or clinical series at scientific society meetings, or participation in national committees or educational organizations are highly encouraged to apply.

### **About TTUHSC**

TTUHSC is a premier destination for healthcare services in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. We have a vibrant medical community and we take particular pride in our diverse and talented staff, compassionate clinicians, inter-disciplinary teams of talented providers, and dedicated teachers. TTUHSC has established itself as a leader in education and patient care and is building a top-ranked research environment with significant studies under way in areas of aging, cancer, reproduction, genetic diseases, rural health, and telemedicine. TTUHSC has campuses in Lubbock, Abilene, Amarillo, Austin, Dallas/Fort Worth, Midland and Odessa. More than 10,000 health care professionals have been trained within TTUHSC's five schools (medicine, nursing, biomedical sciences, health professions, and pharmacy), and it continues to meet the health care needs of the 2.5 million people who live throughout a vast 108 counties stretching from the Texas Panhandle south to the Permian Basin and west into Eastern New Mexico.

- A recent AAMC survey ranked Texas Tech at the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile in overall faculty satisfaction
- Top 10% in the U.S. for diversity
- TTUHSC graduating medical students are in the top 10% nationally in overall satisfaction
- The Clinical Research Institute is available to faculty to develop and manage clinically-based research projects

### **About TTUHSC Graduate Medical Education**

For over 40 years, the TTUHSC School of Medicine has developed GME programs to provide excellent residency and fellowship training and serve a diverse and expansive patient population. The Lubbock campus has 25 ACGME-accredited and three TMB-approved GME programs with over 290 residents and fellows. With a focus on addressing the physician workforce needs of West Texas and with the support of the healthcare community of Lubbock, the GME operation has established 12 new programs and increased the school's total residency complement by 43% over the last 10 years.

### **Lubbock**

Lubbock is many things - the Hub City of the South Plains, home of Buddy Holly and numerous nationally prominent musicians, the cotton capital of Texas, and the center of a burgeoning wine industry. The cost of living is moderate, and opportunities for economic development are prevalent. Geographically located on the South Plains of Texas, in the beautiful Llano Estacado, Lubbock is a thriving city of approximately 312K very friendly people who take great pride in their community. Lubbock offers various charms – little traffic, art trails, outdoor activities, major college sports, theater, live music, and proximity to snow skiing and mountain activities.

### **Links**

Trustpoint: <http://trhl.ernesthealth.com/>

TTUHSC Lubbock: <https://www.ttuhsc.edu/campus/lubbock/>

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