



Family Medicine Residency Program

Mission Statements (rev. 02/2024)

Residency Program Mission Statement

Our Mission is to develop competent, compassionate family physicians with the skills necessary to provide high-quality medical care and promote the well-being of all individuals, families, and communities through exceptional resident education.

BSW Health Mission

Founded as a Christian ministry of healing, Baylor Scott & White Health promotes the well-being of all individuals, families, and communities.

Texas A&M College of Medicine's Mission

Our Mission is to improve the health and well-being of the people of Texas through excellence in education, research, and healthcare delivery.

Residency Program AIMS (rev. 02/2024)

1. **Comprehensive Patient Care:** To train residents in providing comprehensive, high-quality patient-centered care across the lifespan, emphasizing preventive measures and holistic approaches to health management; in the communities they serve.
2. **Holistic Approach / Integrative Medicine:** To educate residents in the principles of integrative medicine, incorporating evidence-based complementary therapies alongside conventional treatments to address the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of patients.
3. **Lifelong Learning and Professional Development:** To foster a culture of lifelong learning among residents, encouraging them to stay abreast of the latest advancements in family medicine, preventive care, and integrative medicine through continued education and professional development opportunities.
4. **Promote Healthy living in patients:** Educate residents in promoting healthy living. Residents have an opportunity to participate in the “Lifestyle Medicine Residency Curriculum (LMRC)” offered by the American College of Lifestyle Medicine.
5. **Community Engagement:** To cultivate a sense of social responsibility and community engagement in residents, empowering them to actively participate in community health initiatives, and address social determinants of health.
6. **Leadership and Innovation:** To develop residents as future leaders in family medicine; equipping them with the skills, knowledge, and professional responsibility to drive innovation, quality improvement, and positive change in healthcare delivery and health systems.
7. **Personal wellness and Self-Care:** To prioritize resident wellness and self-care, implementing strategies to mitigate burnout, promote work-life balance, and support the physical and emotional well-being of residents throughout their training.
8. **Continuous Program Evaluation and Improvement:** To regularly assess and evaluate the residency program's effectiveness in achieving its aims, soliciting feedback from residents, faculty, and stakeholders to identify areas for improvement and innovation.