



U.S. Department
of Veterans Affairs

Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital PGY-1 Residency Application Process

Applicant Requirements

- US Citizenship
- Doctor of Pharmacy degree from an ACPE Accredited College of Pharmacy or equivalent experience
- Eligible for licensure to practice pharmacy in one of the states or territories of the United States or District of Columbia on or before September 30th

Application Information

- Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital utilizes the Pharmacy Online Residency Centralized Application Service (PhORCAS) to gather application materials and also participates in the ASHP Resident Matching Program (administered by National Matching Services, Inc).
- All application materials should be submitted through the PhORCAS site at <https://portal.phorcas.org> by **1/2/2022**. If you need assistance with starting your PhORCAS application or managing your PhORCAS account go to [PhORCAS - ASHP](#)
 - Application materials include:
 - PhORCAS application
 - Resume or Curriculum Vitae
 - Personal statement/letter of interest
 - College of Pharmacy transcripts
 - Three (3) letters of recommendation
- All applicants must register for the Match. It's recommended to register for the Match by 12/31/21, but the latest you can register (to be included in Phase I of the match) is by **3/3/2022**. You can register for the Match by going to [National Matching Services \(natmatch.com\)](https://natmatch.com).
- The National Matching Services (NMS) Code for Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital PGY-1 residency is 166813
 - You can search the residency directory here [Residency Directory \(ashp.org\)](https://ashp.org)