

**PROGRAM NAME** **DVA - Eastern Colorado Hlth Care System**  
 DVA - Denver Medical Center  
 1055 Clermont Street - 112  
 Denver, CO 802203808

**CASPR #** **0306**  
**CRIP** Weekend 2

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Rescue Fund Insured: Yes  
 COTH Member thru 6/30: Yes

**HOSPITAL DESCRIPTION**

Entry Level Positions		
Type	# Approved	# Funded
PM&S-36:	3	3

**Accreditation:** JCAHO  
**# Staff DPMS:** 11  
**Affiliated Institutions:** Lutheran Hosp, Lakewood and Centrum Surg Ctr. (Denver Metro area). Memorial Hosp, Penrose Hosp, Audubon Surg Ctr, Printers Park Surg Ctr, Premier Surg. Ctr, Evans Army Hosp., (Colorado Sp

**Other Residency Programs:** All except Pediatrics & OB

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCES**

<b>Anesthesiology:</b> yes	<b>Internal Medicine:</b> yes	<b>Pathology/Lab:</b> yes	<b>Rehabilitation:</b> yes
<b>Behavioral Science:</b> yes	<b>Infectious Disease:</b> yes	<b>Pediatrics:</b> yes	<b>Rheumatology:</b> yes
<b>Dermatology:</b> yes	<b>Neurology:</b> no	<b>Plastic Surgery:</b> no	<b>Surgery (General):</b> yes
<b>Diabetic Wound Care:</b> yes	<b>Orthopedics:</b> yes	<b>Podiatry:</b> yes	<b>Trauma:</b> yes
<b>Emergency Room:</b> yes	<b>Office Rotations:</b> yes	<b>Podiatry (Surgery):</b> yes	<b>Vascular Surgery:</b> yes
<b>Family Practice:</b> no	<b>Outpatient Clinic:</b> yes	<b>Radiology:</b> yes	

**Other Clinical Experiences:** Endovascular surgery and vascular lab rotation part of general and vascular surgery rotation.

**Program Emphasis:** Residents learn surgery including advanced reconstructive rearfoot/ankle, enhanced clinical skills, wound care and hospital care. Residents generally exceed required surgical numbers in all categories

**DIDACTIC PROGRAM**

<b>Grand Rounds:</b> yes	<b>Research:</b> yes	<b>Book Club:</b> no
<b>Journal Club:</b> yes		<b>Lecture Series:</b> yes

**RESIDENT BENEFITS**

<b>Stipends:</b>	<b>CME Allowance:</b> no	<b>Housing:</b> no	<b>Uniforms:</b> yes
PM&S-36: \$44,107/ \$46,558/ \$49,621	<b>Health Insurance:</b> yes	<b>Meals:</b> no	<b>Vacation:</b> yes
	<b>Malpractice Insurance:</b> no	<b>Sick Leave:</b> yes	

**Other Resident Benefits:** Other insurance includes life, health/dental, and disability. \* professional liability coverage provided by VA while at VA Medical Center. Approved paid time off for conferences. Mileage reimbursement.

**APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS**

**Mail Additional Materials To:**  
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 Denver, CO 80220

<b>Passage of NBPME:</b>	<b>Ltrs of Recommendation:</b> no	<b>ACLS:</b> no	<b>CPR:</b> yes
<b>Pt I:</b> Yes <b>Pt II:</b> Yes <b>Pt III:</b> No	<b>Citizenship Required:</b> yes	<b>Clerkship Required:</b> no	
<b>Program Fee:</b> \$0.00	(see overview for more detail)	<b>Minimum GPA:</b> 2.7	
<b>Refundable:</b> n/a	<b>State License 1st yr:</b> training	<b>Minimum Rank:</b> no	
<b>Payable To:</b> n/a			

**Deadline:** 11/15/2010

**Other Applicant Requirements:** If matched must pass part 1 and 2 of NBPME prior to July 1st of starting date or forego residency. Residents sign a yearly contract. It is preferred that residency candidates extern at the facility.

**AVAILABLE RESOURCES**

**Sample Contract:** Contact Program **Benefit Package:** Contact Program **Curriculum:** Contact Program

**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

This is a PM&S-36 program with emphasis on academics. The program has been present for 25 years and has an excellent reputation. This podiatric residency is based in a teaching hospital and is integrated with other allopathic programs with residents from the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center. There is a large volume of elective, emergent and reconstructive surgery, including instruction in arthroscopy and frames. Exposure to lower extremity biomechanics, diabetic foot and wound care are integrated into the residency. Only US citizens can receive resident stipend. For more information about the program please call at 1-888-336-8262 ext 2019.