


MedStar Georgetown University Hospital/
MedStar Washington Hospital Center
Residency Program in Ophthalmology 2014-2015

Welcome to our Program





“Is it not a privilege to be one of the founders of an institution established for the relief of human misery and the restoration of sight and hearing?”

-- Bishop Satterlee, announcing campaign to build Episcopal Hospital. Episcopal was built in 1897 and is our direct predecessor.



We are committed to:

- Superior medical and surgical education
- Compassionate, ethical and efficient medical and surgical eye care
- Your training
- Your success



Our Program:

- 18 Residents
- Over 150 Dedicated Faculty in All Subspecialties
- 7 Clinical Sites
- Focus on Autonomy and Clinical Confidence
- 117 Years of Resident Education, Patient Care and Innovation



Clinical Experience

In 2013-2014 Residents Performed (at MWHC alone):

- 18,000+ clinic procedures
- 11,000+ cataract/general evaluations
- 4,000+ glaucoma evaluations
- 2,500+ retina evaluations



Surgical Experience

The 2014 Senior Residents Performed:

- 2,400 Class I surgeries in all rotations
- 4,000+ total resident surgeries
- First year residents begin assisting in surgery early in the academic year
- Residents begin performing cataract surgery as primary physician in the second year



Quality: Patient Care

One of city's largest, most complete facilities, with comprehensive ophthalmology clinics and subspecialty clinics in:

Glaucoma

Ocular motility

Vitreoretinal disease

Low vision

Oculoplastics

Orbital disease

Uveitis

Contact lenses/Dry Eye

Cornea and external disease

Neuro-ophthalmology



We're All About Residents

- Protected Lecture Time
- Limited Number of Fellows
- Procedures: LASIK, Premium Lenses, K-Pro, Glaucoma Surgery, DSAEK, intravitreal injections
- Free Food!



Resources

- Georgetown University
- Wet Labs
- Surgical Simulator
- On-Site Ocular Pathology Lab
- Access to Superb Medical Libraries
- GME Support
- Practice Experience of More Than 150 Ophthalmologists



Cutting-Edge Research

- Majority of Residents Present at National Meetings
- Resident Research Day
- Full-Time PhD Research Faculty
- Faculty Involvement in National Studies



Accreditation

Full 4-Year Accreditation received from the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) at our last Site visit. Next site visit to occur in 2018.



Residency Program Affiliates

MedStar Washington Hospital Center

Jay M. Lustbader, MD

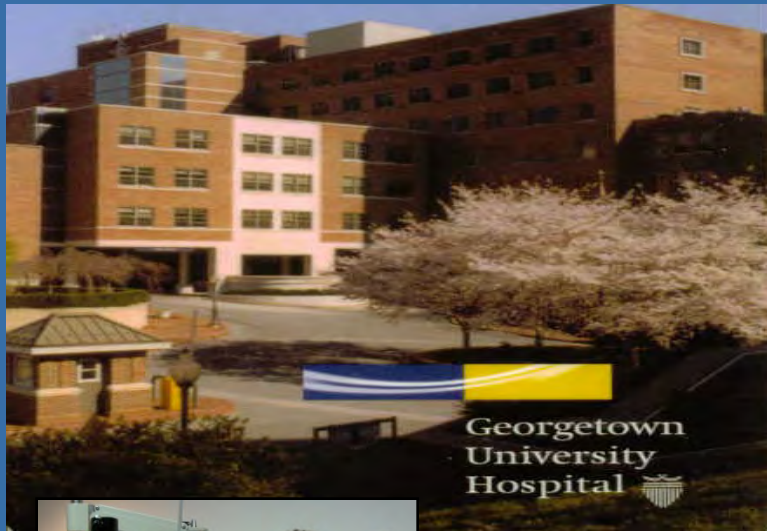
Michael Summerfield, MD



- Home Base
- Fully-supervised resident-run clinic
- Level I Trauma Center
- Excellent learning environment
- Extensive and varied pathology

MedStar Georgetown University Hospital

Jay M. Lustbader, MD



- Work directly with attendings in their practices
- Ophthalmic Pathology experience
- Basic science faculty available for research



DC Veterans Affairs Hospital

Soo Y. Shin, MD



- Resident-run clinic
- 2nd year cataract surgery
- Full subspecialty faculty

Walter Reed National Military Medical Center

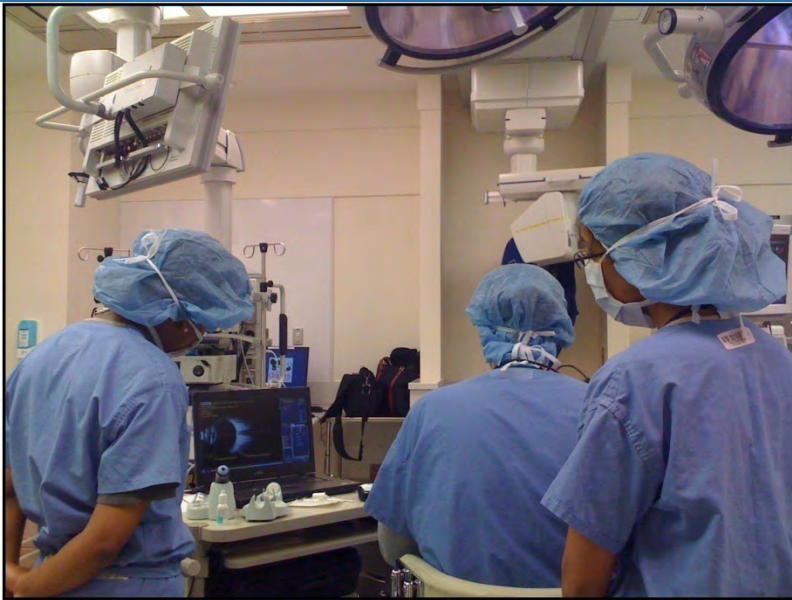
Marcus Colyer, MD



- 1st year rotation
- Glaucoma and retina experience
- Experience in a large general ophthalmology setting

Children's National Medical Center

William Madigan, MD



- Nationally recognized pediatric hospital
- Birthplace of Pediatric Ophthalmology
- Exposure to multiple rare inherited disorders

Inova Fairfax Hospital

Tofik Ali, MD



- General and subspecialty clinics and operating room experience during 2nd year rotation
- Private surgery center experience

The Laser Center (TLC)

Andrew Holzman,
MD



- Guidance in performing laser kerato-refractive procedures
- Opportunity for certification in LASIK in the 3rd year
- Opportunity to perform LASIK in the 3rd year



First Year Rotations:

MedStar Washington Hospital Center PLUS

- MedStar Georgetown University Hospital
- Walter Reed National Military Medical Center



2nd Year Rotations:

MedStar Washington Hospital Center PLUS

- 2-month pediatric rotation through Children's National Medical Center
- 2-month rotation through MedStar Georgetown University Hospital with experience in Cornea, Pediatrics and Neuro-Ophthalmology
- 4-month rotation through DC Veterans Affairs Hospital
- Refractive surgery rotation through TLC
- 2-month rotation through Inova Fairfax Hospital
- Dedicated research time
- Ocular Pathology



Rotation Schedule: Year 3

MedStar Washington Hospital Center PLUS

- DC Veterans Affairs Medical Center
- Private Practice
- Refractive Surgery
- Mission Trip



Academics

- Wednesday academic afternoon
- Visiting Professor Series
- Journal Clubs
- FA Conferences
- MRI Rounds
- Symposia
- WORC
- Grand Rounds
- Morbidity and Blindness Rounds
- Surgical Simulation



2013 Graduates:

Lei Jiang Private Practice – Comprehensive - San Gabriel, CA

Neha Kumar Private Practice - Comprehensive – Delaware

Mohit Mehtani Private Practice - Comprehensive – Napa, CA

Amy Nicholas-Hwang Private Practice - Comprehensive – Riverdale, MD

Lauren Taney Fellowship – Medical Retina – Tufts, MA

Brian Toussaint Fellowship – Retina – Univ. of Cincinnati, OH



2014 Graduates:

Vickie Addis Fellowship – Glaucoma – Kellogg Eye Inst./U of Michigan

Noureen Khan Fellowship – Glaucoma – Northwestern Univ./Feinberg SOM

Hubert Pham Private Practice – Seattle, Washington

Anjali Sheth Fellowship – Glaucoma – Baylor College of Medicine

Adam Sise Fellowship – Cornea – Bascom Palmer Eye Institute



Employee Benefits and Compensation

- Health and dental insurance
- Paid vacation
- Meal tickets
- Free parking
- Competitive salaries



From Last Year's Chiefs:

Anjali Sheth, MD

Class of 2014

Graduate: UMDNJ - RWJMS

Undergraduate: NY

“Two of the greatest assets of our program are the autonomy you gain from a resident-run clinic and the plethora of attendings that dedicate their time to teach their skills to us. We, unlike some other programs, have the benefit of learning different disease management and surgical techniques from well known surgeons in the community that ultimately help hone our own skills for the real world.”



From Last Year's Chiefs:

Adam Sise, MD

Class of 2014

Graduate: Temple Univ. SOM

“The Georgetown University Hospital & Washington Hospital Center residency prepares you extremely well to enter private practice or pursue the fellowship of your dreams. You will gain the confidence to manage the most complicated conditions and possess the surgical expertise to handle whatever walks through the door.”



Washington,
DC, has so
much to
offer...

See the sights!



Enjoy our
diversity!



Shopping and dining within easy reach!





Our program offers excellence in education and experience, providing comprehensive, compassionate care to all of our patients. Join us!



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Washington National Eye Center