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## WHO SHOULD APPLY

Physicians who have completed at least one year of clinical training in an ACGME-approved residency program and who wish to specialize in the field of occupational and environmental medicine are eligible. Many of our trainees have completed a primary care residency. Resident applicants with one year of clinical training and additional experience relevant to OEM will be considered. Training in our program requires a license to practice medicine in the State of Colorado.

## FUNDING

Financial support including stipend and tuition is available on a competitive basis through the MAP ERC.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Go to our website: <http://maperc.ucdenver.edu>

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All application materials must be received by **December 15** to receive consideration. Early application is advantageous since we may fill available positions by the uniform notification date of December 15. Personal interviews, scheduled after application, are strongly encouraged.

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## Occupational & Environmental Medicine Residency



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## MOUNTAIN & PLAINS ERC

The Mountain and Plains Education and Research Center (MAP ERC) is one of 17 Education and Research Centers funded by the Centers for Disease Control/National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health (CDC/NIOSH). Spanning from the borders of Canada to Mexico, the MAP ERC will help to meet the occupational health education needs of Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Montana, Wyoming, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Five institutions – University of Colorado Denver (UCD), Colorado State University (CSU), National Jewish Health (NJH), Denver Health and Hospital Authority (DHHA) and the University of New Mexico Health Sciences Center (UNM) – have come together to provide graduate training, continuing education and outreach in the seven-state region in the area of occupational and environmental health and safety. As a Center within the Colorado School of Public Health, we share an established track record of commitment to training, research and continuing education.

## OCCUPATIONAL & ENVIRONMENTAL MEDICINE RESIDENCY

The Occupational & Environmental Medicine (OEM) Residency Program at the Colorado School of Public Health in Denver is an ACGME accredited two-year training program that provides residents with the qualifications to meet the American Board of Preventive Medicine eligibility requirements for Board Certification in Occupational Medicine. The Program Mission is to train outstanding, board-certified physicians with the knowledge, leadership and skills to provide occupational and environmental professional services in a wide variety of settings including academic, governmental, corporate, military, and community based organizations.

Established in 1992, our program strengths include its outstanding clinical training particularly in pulmonary medicine and toxicology; epidemiologic and translational research opportunities; and integration with longstanding industrial hygiene, ergonomics, occupational health psychology and health physics programs through the NIOSH-funded Mountain and Plains Educational Research Center (MAP ERC). Our program is rigorous and dynamic, with the additional attraction of being located at the foot of the Rocky Mountains with all of the associated recreational opportunities.

*“Improving occupational and environmental health and safety through education, research, and community partnerships”*

## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Board Certification in occupational/environmental medicine requires three years of training: a clinical year, an academic year and a practicum year. We do not offer the clinical training year. The OEM Residency at the Colorado School of Public Health in Denver offers both a two year program (academic and practicum years) and a one year program (practicum year only). Physicians who have already completed an MPH degree and have experience in the field are eligible to enter the practicum year only option.

The first (academic) year of our residency focuses primarily on completing requirements for the Masters in Public Health degree (MPH) at the Colorado School of Public Health (<http://publichealth.ucdenver.edu>). Residents complete core course requirements and Environmental & Occupational Health (EOH) concentration coursework including:

### Core Requirements:

- Epidemiology
- Introduction to Biostatistics
- Introduction to Environmental and Occupational health
- Social & Community Factors
- Health Care Systems
- Foundations in Public Health

### EOH Concentration Requirements:

- E/O Epidemiology
- E/O Toxicology
- E/O Exposure Assessment
- Environmental Health Policy and Practice
- Health Effects from Occupational and Environmental Exposures

The second (practicum) year focuses on clinical and policy practicum rotations and research opportunities. Practicum sites include:

- National Jewish Health Consultation Clinic
- Denver Health Occupational Medicine Clinic
- National Renewable Energy Laboratories
- NIOSH Regional Office, Denver
- OSHA Regional Center, Denver
- Airline Pilots Association Union
- Colorado Department of Labor, Division of Workers' Compensation
- Denver International Airport Travel Clinic
- Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment
- Community and industry-based occupational health clinics

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