The University of Minnesota Medical Center Family Medicine Residency is a university-based, community-focused training program, operating in an award-winning clinic and hospital in Minneapolis.

The program leads an independent family medicine service, with patient-centered bedside rounding. Residents benefit from daily didactics by a variety of disciplines.

The curriculum emphasizes chronic and ambulatory care, women’s health, integrated behavioral health, and procedures.

What Our Residents Say:

“Training opportunities in women’s and global health drew me to the program. Faculty were warm and supportive, and I knew this was a place I would grow professionally.”

“It’s an urban, academic family medicine program that serves a diverse patient population. The faculty and staff are supportive, and the program allows residents to explore their interests within family medicine.”
CURRICULUM
> Cutting-edge, dedicated, and flexible ambulatory care curriculum
> Longitudinal training opportunities in adolescent medicine, research, sports medicine, academic medicine, and women’s reproductive health
> Variety of procedures in both ambulatory and inpatient settings, including bedside ultrasound
> Opportunity to work in school-based clinics

FACULTY
> Core faculty includes MDs, PharmD, and PsyD (behaviorist)
> Areas of interest include transgender healthcare, women’s reproductive health, quality improvement, adolescent medicine, research, procedures, and behavioral health
> Guided by principles of excellence, innovation, partnership, respect, and humor

COMMUNITY OUTREACH
> Opportunities include a student-run free clinic; Reach Out and Read; Prison, Volunteers of America Transitional Programs; Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis Program; and the Rainbow Health Initiative

CLINIC
Smiley’s Family Medicine Clinic
> Part of U of M Physicians, the multispecialty practice group for U of M Medical School faculty
> Among Minnesota’s first certified health care homes

HOSPITAL
University of Minnesota Medical Center
> Respected, independent family medicine service in a University-based hospital, caring for a broad range of diagnoses
> Patient-centered bedside rounding
> Access to daily didactics, led by various disciplines
> Inpatient procedural curriculum, including point-of-care ultrasound and paracentesis
> Obstetrics training by family medicine and OB/GYN faculty, as well as certified midwives, provides a rich experience from water births to high risk care

CALL
> Interns: supervised night float on adult and pediatrics rotations
> Seniors: average four weeks of night float, plus five-seven calls per year