



Neurologic Physical Therapy Residency Program



In July 2009, TIRR Memorial Hermann, in collaboration with Texas Woman's University and The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston, welcomed the first group of residents in a new neurologic physical therapy residency program, one of only a few in the country, designed to advance physical therapists' knowledge and skills in caring for patients with neurologic diagnoses.

The goal of the program is to develop expert clinicians who are compassionate and skilled at using leading-edge interventions to achieve the best clinical outcomes. We focus on developing our residents' problem-solving, decision-making and case management skills.

To allow residents to practice physical therapy across the continuum of care and patient lifespan, they will rotate through the following clinical sites within Memorial Hermann:

- The Mischer Neuroscience Institute at Memorial Hermann- Texas Medical Center, which houses a newly expanded Neurotrauma ICU, a dedicated neuro unit and a stroke center
- TIRR Memorial Hermann's Neuromuscular Disorders and Multiple Trauma Program, Brain Injury and Stroke Programs, and Spinal Cord Injury Program
- TIRR Memorial Hermann Kirby Glen, a center for Outpatient Rehabilitation and Day Rehabilitation, including Challenge, a community reintegration program
- Children's Memorial Hermann Hospital

Applications for the program are due January 29, 2010.

For more information about the residency program or to request an application packet, contact:
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