Twenty-one new resident physicians begin post-graduate training in Reno at School of Medicine Lynne Williams, medical school information June 28, 1993

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Twenty-one new resident physicians have recently begun post-medical school residency training in Reno. This is "on-the-job" training that must be completed before they can become full-fledged, practicing physicians. Depending on the chosen area of specialty, their residency training will last from three to five years.

The University of Nevada School of Medicine offers residency programs in internal medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, surgery and family medicine. The training programs are based at Washoe Medical Center, the Veterans Affairs Medical Center and at the medical school's Family Medicine Center, located in the Brigham Building on the school's Reno campus.

Resident physicians provide a great deal of patient care during their training. Residents also are an integral part of medical education, helping School of Medicine faculty to teach medical students.

The successful completion of a residency program is required in Nevada and in most states before a medical doctor can receive a license to practice. The School of Medicine is currently training 46 residents physicians in Reno. An additional 87 residents are training in the school's affiliated hospitals in Las Vegas.

New Resident Physicians by Specialty

Family Medicine

Robert Bailey, M.D. Cathy Endo, M.D. Paul Levitan, M.D. Gail Pearson, M.D.

Internal Medicine

Brent Aikin, D.O.
Sangeeta Baronia, M.D.
Antoinette Cortese, M.D.
Vince Dutra, M.D.
Paz Eilat, M.D.
Maruja Fernandez-Boratti, M.D.
Michelle Hryniuk, D.O.
Danka Michalecho, M.D.
Dean Miyagawa, M.D.
James Rho, M.D.
Jesus Saucedo, M.D.
Robert Topman, M.D.
Lise Wiltse, M.D.

Psychiatry

Michael Fitting, D.O. Regan Gallaher, M.D. Zenoa Meservy, M.D. Sandra Schroeder, M.D.