



PMC HOUSE, Carthage New York



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Year 2015: THE YEAR OF ACHEIVEMENT

We have achieved the milestone of training 100 students in our externship program (Mini Residency) at Carthage Area Hospital.

The Externship Program started in 2006 and up till 2015 around 100 students have been trained. Among those 100 students, 50 students did externship this year.

During this Externship Program, all students have to rotate at the following departments:

- Internal Medicine
- Cardiology
- Emergency Department
- Radiology Department
- Sleep study.
- Nursing Care Unit

All students have to take detailed history, perform physical exams, come up with a diagnosis and a management plan, write their patient notes and present the case to their attending. So they have the same responsibilities as those of a 1st year Resident.

Students are also provided with the opportunity of doing Neurology and Nephrology observer ship in Watertown, New York.

- There is great emphasis on improving communication skills, vocabulary and time management.
- The accommodation provided during the stay is just across the street from the hospital having separate floors for male and female students.