



Nurturing Our Future



Internal Medicine

Residency Program



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Program Director's Welcome

What excites me about this program is the fact that it is a new step forward in benefiting the next generation of doctors, which is all challenging and fulfilling for me and my team of faculty. With more supervision, protected study time and opportunities to question and learn, the residency journey would be an effective one for you on your path to becoming a good doctor.

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The Internal Medicine Residency Program boasts of an outstanding faculty team whom I have personally invited to join the program. They are senior members of the healthcare team with a wealth of experience to share, and invaluable knowledge to impart. Most of all, they are greatly passionate about teaching and responded to my invitation on joining the team affirmatively, without hesitation.

I invite you to share our ethos of wanting to provide high quality care to our patients and to be part of the continuum of raising proficient physicians for our people and country.

A/Prof Chow Wan Cheng
Program Director (Internal Medicine)
SingHealth Residency Program



Nurturing Competent Internists

The Internal Medicine Residency Program at SingHealth is a three-year program offering a thoughtful balance of inpatient and ambulatory experiences, together with a wide-ranging competency-based curriculum. This prepares you well for the practice of medicine in a tertiary institution or a career in clinical practice in an academic institution.

Our program is designed to provide you with excellent clinical skills, a broad knowledge base with the necessary tools to keep that knowledge current, and an appreciation of the interrelationships between health and diseases for the community at large. Most importantly, we aim to educate you as an individual, encourage independent thinking and the development of an enquiring mind so as to prepare you to be clinician leaders of the future.

Our Subspecialty Areas

- Cardiology
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology
- Geriatric Medicine
- Hematology
- Infectious Disease
- Internal Medicine
- Medical Oncology
- Neurology
- Palliative Medicine
- Pulmonary
- Renal Medicine
- Respiratory & Critical Care
- Rheumatology



"Training in the largest healthcare cluster in Singapore provides me an exposure of both breadth and depth that is unmatched by any other institution. Also, right in the core of the training is the dedicated faculty that comprises some of the best clinicians and most passionate educators. Simply put, it was a natural choice for me to join SingHealth for my postgraduate training."

Dr Lee Guo Zhang
SingHealth Resident,
Internal Medicine Residency Program

Learn From The Best

Gain your competitive advantage as an internist by training with SingHealth.

Depth and Breadth of Clinical Rotations

As the nation's largest and leading healthcare cluster, SingHealth offers the largest number of clinical specialties as well as an unrivalled and comprehensive range of case-mix. The wide exposure to clinical cases allows you to gain different perspectives, develops your confidence and cultivates your mindset as a physician.

Academic Activities

The large number of subspecialties and subspecialists coupled with a wide variety of academic activities will imbibe you with the best in academic medicine. Our academic activities include not only standard subspecialty journal clubs, but also sessions on ethics, professionalism, evidence-based medicine, patient safety and healthcare financing, among many others – all pressing issues in modern medicine.

Renowned Faculty, Dedicated Mentors

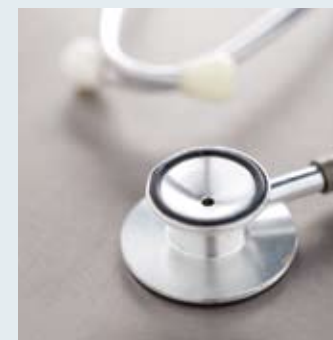
The specialty of Internal Medicine in SingHealth has a long tradition of producing dedicated teachers. You will train under the supervision of subspecialists who are widely-recognized as leading clinicians in their field and have an excellent track record in teaching and medical education.

Rigor of Training

With competency-based, structured assessments and regular feedback by mentors on your progress, you would be equipped to learn effectively. Program features such as continuity clinics, educational conferences and research opportunities are in place to enhance your training as an internist.

Program Curriculum

Our program builds on SingHealth's considerable strengths to offer you the finest training in Internal Medicine. Training takes place mainly at two sites – Singapore General Hospital (SGH) and Changi General Hospital (CGH). Rotations may also include National Cancer Centre Singapore (NCCS), National Heart Centre Singapore (NHCS) and National Neuroscience Institute (NNI), three well-established national referral centres in Singapore, which will greatly enrich your working experience.



Sample Rotation Chart

	Singapore Medical Council (SMC) Licensing Requirement		Cardiovascular Medicine*	Respiratory Medicine*
R1	General Medicine* 4 months	General Surgery* 4 months	3 months	3 months
R2	Neurology* 3 months	Elective^ 3 months	Critical Care* 3 months	General Medicine* 3 months
R3	Elective^ 3 months	General Medicine* (Supervisory Role) 3 months	Emergency Medicine* 3 months	Elective^ 3 months

* Compulsory Postings
^ Elective Postings: Dermatology, Endocrinology, Family Medicine Continuing Care, Gastroenterology & Hepatology, Geriatric Medicine, Hematology, Infectious Diseases, Rehabilitation Medicine, Renal Medicine, Rheumatology & Immunology, Medical Oncology and Palliative Medicine

Our Faculty

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A/Prof Julian Thumboo
A/Prof Lee Lai Heng
A/Prof Lo Yew Long
A/Prof Loo Chian Min
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"In the public and private sector, many would say that if you've trained at SGH and its associate specialty centers, you'd have 'seen it all'. The exposure I've gained at SingHealth has benefitted me and today, it gives my patients confidence. Most of all, we have a breadth of mentors – many of whom are local legends in clinical medicine – and I have learned a lot from working with them."

Dr Tan Wu Meng

Registrar, Department of Medical Oncology, National Cancer Centre
(Dr Tan completed his training as a House Officer and Medical Officer in SingHealth)

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