

OBGYN RESIDENCIES FRIENDLY TO CONSCIENCE DECISIONS

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MICHIGAN	Providence Hospital and Medical Centers Program	Southfield										
MICHIGAN	St. Joseph Mercy -Oakland	Pontiac										
MINNESOTA	U of Minnesota	Minneapolis		1	0	0	0	0	0		2016: Listed on http://medicalmatins.blogspot.com/ as friendly to NFP-only residents from a historical applicant. *18-'19 Season: Jonathan Scaffold graduated 2017, but now new PD. Ryan program. PD said could possibly accommodate NFP-only, but would be challenging and would require "a very special resident". However, candidate with good stats and personal connections to area did not match here.	
MINNESOTA	Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science	Rochester									18-'19 Season: PD said would need to discuss with department, and called me back to say they could not accommodate NFP only.	
MISSISSIPPI	U of Mississippi	Jackson										
MISSOURI	U of Missouri	Columbia										
MISSOURI	Saint Louis University (SLU)	St. Louis	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	17-'18 Season: Very receptive to NFP-only residents. Excellent program. No BC or Sterilizations in the hospital (except for what is approved by the ethics committee, which seems to be more than what ERDs allow). No LARCs placed in clinic.	
MISSOURI	Mercy St. Louis	St. Louis	2	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	17-'18 Season: Multiple NFP-only residents have graduated from here. Napro Dr Gavin Puthoff is a private attending here as of 2017. In 2012, there were 6 NFP-only residents in the program. See article: http://archstl.org/files/nfp_st_louis_review_3-9-2012.pdf . The program director however is growing in her support of termination training. 2 residents graduating this year are going on to NaPro fellowship. Currently 2 other NFP-friendly. Other residents were very supportive. 2018: PD allows NFP-only residents, but doesn't necessarily encourage it. PD helps other residents get into family planning fellowships. *18-'19 Season: Multiple NFP-only residents and previous grads including Napro fellows. Napro Dr Gavin Puthoff private attending here. PD stated in program presentation that program is welcoming of residents who don't prescribe contraception.	
MISSOURI	U of Missouri-Kansas City	Kansas City									18-'19 Season: PD said "thinks could make it work since we have lots of residents" (in interview)	
MISSOURI	Wash U	St. Louis										
NEBRASKA	U of Nebraska	Omaha									18-'19: Ryan program. Pro-choice culture, PD never responded to my email after interview.	
NEBRASKA	Creighton University	Omaha	0	0	0	0	0	0			17-'18 Season: Fairly anti-NFP, despite the name and proximity to Napro Fellowship. Would NOT recommend. Hostile towards me as a med student and during interviews. *18-'19 Season: Not connected to Pope Paul/Napro. Has possible current NFP resident (not sure his exact stance). PD stated could accommodate my beliefs if willing to prescribe for certain medical indications (in interview).	
NEVADA	Mountain View Hosp	Las Vegas										
NEVADA	UNLV	Las Vegas										
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Dartmouth Hitchcock	Lebanon									18-'19 Season: Ryan program, 2nd year at Catholic hospital in Manchester that has 2 Napro docs. Pro-choice culture, but PD said could accommodate.	
NEW JERSEY	Monmouth Medical Center	Long Branch										
NEW JERSEY	Newark Beth Israel Medical Center	Newark			0	0	0	0	1		17-'18 Season: PD prolife and supportive of NFP-only applicants.	
NEW JERSEY	Inspira Health Network (DO)	Vineland										
NEW JERSEY	Jersey Shore University Center	Neptune										
NEW JERSEY	Rutgers New Jersey Medical School Program	Newark										
NEW JERSEY	New York Medical College at St. Joseph's Medical Center	Paterson									17-'18 Season: Appear to go step-in-step with the bishop. With a more liberal bishop in the past they have performed more controversial procedures. However, current bishop is extremely conservative. They do not even counsel for birth control because they do not prescribe it; they refer to another provider who can both prescribe and counsel. Asked if I would be okay with book-learning about contraception. Residents seem fine with this state of affairs, say that tubal ligations and contraception is easy to learn about and that they don't feel deprived by the hospital being Catholic.	
NEW JERSEY	St. Peter's University Hospital/Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Program	New Brunswick									2017: VERY supportive due to former NaPro fellow's presence: Dr. Kyle Beiter. I felt very welcomed here. Would highly recommend looking into the place as Beiter has a good reputation.	

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NEW YORK	Icahn SOM Mount Sinai Program	New York										
NEW YORK	New York Presbyterian Hospital Columbia University	New York										
NEW YORK	New York University SOM Program	New York										
NEW YORK	New York Medical College	Westchester										
NEW YORK	Icahn School of Medicine Jamaica Program (Queens Hospital Center)	Queens										
NEW YORK	NYU Winthrop Hospital	Mineola										
NEW YORK	Albert Einstein COM, Montefiore	Bronx										
NEW YORK	U at Buffalo	Buffalo										
NEW YORK	U at Buffalo (Sisters of Charity)	Buffalo		1	1	0	1	1	2	2	'17-'18 Season: Very Catholic PD (Pivarunas) and assistant PD (Strittmatter) and the program is at a Catholic Hospital, so there is no issues for NFP-only residents. 16 NFP-only residents have graduated from here. I think half of the faculty are Catholic! '17-'18 Season: Current resident said that outside rotations are aware of the Catholic nature of the program and allow them to take part in only those things which they are comfortable with. 2018: No contraception in hospital or clinic. No tubals approved. '18-'19 Season: Very supportive. Catholic Chair (Pivarunas), PD (Strittmatter) and hospital. Multiple current NFP only residents and past graduates.	
NEW YORK	Brooklyn Hospital Center	Brooklyn										
NEW YORK	Flushing Hospital	Queens										
NORTH CAROLINA	ECU	Greenville										
NORTH CAROLINA	Duke University	Durham										
NORTH CAROLINA	Mountain Area Health Education Center Program	Asheville										
NORTH CAROLINA	Carolinas Med Center	Charlotte										
NORTH CAROLINA	U of North Carolina	Chapel Hill										
NORTH CAROLINA	New Hanover Regional Medical Center Program	Wilmington										
NORTH CAROLINA	Wake Forest University	Winston-Salem										
NORTH CAROLINA	Campbell University	Fayetteville										
NORTH CAROLINA	Womack Army Medical Center	Fort Bragg										
OHIO	Aultman Hospital	Canton										
OHIO	Case Western Reserve MetroHealth	Cleveland										
OHIO	Cleveland Clinic Foundation	Cleveland										
OHIO	Case Western Reserve University	Cleveland										
OHIO	TriHealth	Cincinnati										
OHIO	Riverside Methodist Hospitals (OhioHealth) Program	Columbus									17-'18 Interview Season: Very open to NFP-only resident. PD stated that the only thing he couldn't accommodate was someone who wanted to do terminations after the 2nd trimester.	
OHIO	Wright State Program	Dayton	0	0	0	0	0				2016: Graduated 2 NFP-only military residents, most recently in 2014, but none since. Hospital does not do abortions, but they do sterilizations. '17-'18 Season: PD wasn't thrilled about NFP, but had a few prior colleagues so he was familiar and thought it would be "ok" '18-'19 Season: PD said could accommodate no abortions or prescribing contraception, but would need to assist with tubals.	
OHIO	University of Toledo	Toledo									17 - '18 Season: PD stated she thought it could work, but she didn't seem very sincere. However, she was recently removed. As this is my home institution, I was very close with the chair and he didn't think it would be a problem at all, very nice man, willing to work with you. I think the way this program operates and the residents would make it very hard to be NFP only here. Also there is talk of transgender surgeries in the next couple years, so possibility more moral dilemmas on the way.	

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SOUTH CAROLINA	Greenville Hospital System	Greenville										
SOUTH CAROLINA	Palmetto Health/U of SC	Columbia										
SOUTH CAROLINA	MUSC	Charleston										
TENNESSEE	U of Tennessee Chattanooga	Chattanooga									2012: They were "fascinated by my [NFP-only] views." Like I was an alien. The residents were unwelcoming.	
TENNESSEE	ETSU	Johnson City										
TENNESSEE	U of Tennessee Medical Center at Knoxville	Knoxville										
TENNESSEE	U of Tennessee	Memphis										
TENNESSEE	U of Tennessee COM	Nashville										
TENNESSEE	Vanderbilt U	Nashville										
TENNESSEE	Meharry Medical College	Nashville										
TEXAS	Texas Tech University Affiliated Hospitals	Lubbock										
TEXAS	U of Texas Health Science Center	San Antonio									2015: Would be supportive due to high volume of hispanic Catholics in this area.	
TEXAS	U of Texas at Austin Dell Med Sch Program	Austin			0	1	0	0			2017: NFP-only resident likes the program, but the the PD is now a family planning specialist; this program requires about a month at Planned Parenthood. there is an alternative month that the single NFP-only resident created, but has not been used since. '18-'19: NFP only resident (PGY4), Catholic hospital	
TEXAS	John Peter Smith Hospital Program	Fort Worth									2017: Very supportive of Family practice NFP residents who practice NaPro - would highly consider looking into it! 2015: Several NFP only FM residents as well as an OB resident in 2013. Very supportive.	
TEXAS	TEXAS A&M	Temple	0	0	0	0	0	0			2016: open and friendly in interview process to specific questions about not prescribing contraceptives. No actual residents have been NFP only here. 2015: PD at the time was Catholic and very supportive. It hasn't been done in the past, but she said it could be arranged.	
TEXAS	U of Texas Southwestern	Dallas	0	0	0	0	0	0			2015: NFP-only applicant rejected out of hand despite excellent scores. Very pro-abortion program	
TEXAS	Methodist Hospital of Dallas	Dallas									2016: Listed on http://medicalmatins.blogspot.com/ as friendly to NFP-only residents from a historical applicant.	
TEXAS	U of Texas Medical Branch	Galveston										
TEXAS	Texas Tech University Affiliated Hospitals	Permian Basin										
TEXAS	Methodist Hospital	Houston									2015: At least 2 NFP only docs have graduated from this program, in 2011 and 2013. Supportive and well aware of the path you would want to take.	
TEXAS	Baylor College of Medicine	Houston									2015: NFP-only subintern offered an interview which was then never scheduled after that person asked about PD's opinion of trying to be NFP-only. Perception is that the program would not be friendly. 2015: Very malignant program. I was interrogated regarding my religious beliefs repeatedly and was very intimidated. The APD is the director of the largest Planned Parenthood in the US, which happens to be in Houston.	
TEXAS	Baylor University Medical Center	Dallas									2015: PD open to "making it work" when asked about not prescribing contraceptives. No abortions in the hospital. Chair was possibly less friendly but now not the chair anymore.	
TEXAS	U of Texas (RGV) (DHR) Program	Harlingen										
TEXAS	Texas Tech University Affiliated Hospitals	El Paso										
TEXAS	Texas Tech University Affiliated Hospitals	Amarillo			0	0	0	0			17-'18 Season: PD stated that she would have no problem with NFP-only resident (unsure if this is a genuine answer or a legal-protection answer). However, there are no other NFP-only residents.	
TEXAS	U of Texas Houston - MH / LBJ Program	Houston									2015: PD stated in interview that it could work, but perception of interviewee was that this may have been an olive branch or may not have been a durable promise.	
UTAH	U of Utah	Salt Lake City									2016: Listed on http://medicalmatins.blogspot.com/ as friendly to NFP-only residents from a historical applicant.	

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VERMONT	U of Vermont	Burlington									18-'19 Season: Ryan program, but PD said could accommodate (via email) and "individualize clinical training to be aligned with my beliefs." However, pro-choice culture and despite good stats didn't match here.
VIRGINIA	Cariilion Clinic	Roanoke									
VIRGINIA	Medical College of Virginia/VCU	Richmond									
VIRGINIA	Inova Fairfax Medical Campus Program	Falls Church									
VIRGINIA	U of Virginia	Charlottesville									18-'19 Season: PD out of town at interview, and never responded to multiple emails asking if could accommodate.
VIRGINIA	Riverside Regional Medical Center	Newport News									
VIRGINIA	Eastern Virginia Med School	Norfolk									
VIRGINIA	Naval Med Ctr	Portsmouth									
WASHINGTON	University of Washington Program	Seattle									
WASHINGTON	Madigan Army Med	Tacoma									
WEST VIRGINIA	Marshall University SOM	Huntington									
WEST VIRGINIA	West Virginia Univ Charleston	Charleston									
WEST VIRGINIA	West Virginia University Robert Byrd HSC	Morgantown									
WISCONSIN	Medical College of Wisconsin	Milwaukee									18-'19 Season: Ryan program, 6 wks at Planned Parenthood can opt out of abortion/sterilization but need to go for colposcopy clinic. 2/3 of time spent at Catholic Hospitals, can do continuity clinic at Catholic hospital with supportive faculty. PD responded with VERY thorough email about how could accommodate, and seemed supportive (but acknowledged would be counter cultural at program).
WISCONSIN	U of Wisconsin	Madison									18-'19: Ryan Program, Cancelled interview here, as after researching program further it is very pro-choice/pro-LARC with heavy emphasis on "Family Planning"
WISCONSIN	Aurora Health Care	Milwaukee				0	0	1	0		17-'18 Season: Possibly one NFP resident and PD seemed to be supportive. '18-'19 Season: NFP-only resident (PGY2), PD seemed supportive and stated could accommodate.