Welcome from Dr. Talal Khan, Fellowship Director

Greetings and a warm welcome. We are looking for enthusiastic, dedicated, compassionate individuals, who wish to become experts in the field of Addiction Psychiatry, and be front runners in fighting the addiction epidemic surging through the country.

Why Addiction Psychiatry is the field for you

There is a high prevalence of addictive disorders and an increasing proportion of all psychiatric patients struggle with co-morbid disorders. The odds are that half the patients you encounter in a psychiatric setting need help with some substance use disorder. Regardless of their expertise, all psychiatrists are treating addicts. The importance of doing this correctly can be lifesaving. The Addiction Psychiatrist is more effective and successful in the treatment of this population, which has very few opportunities to heal in their lifetime. The correct and timely treatment of addiction improves the quality and life expectancy for the client, and the impact goes far beyond. The difference this makes to the family, the neighborhood, and society as a whole is immeasurable. The skills acquired at this training program will equip you to be able to identify, motivate and treat patients that often don’t get the help they need for their chronic disease.

Pine Rest Provides Endless Opportunities

As the fourth largest behavioral health organization in the country, Pine Rest offers countless opportunities because of our size, scope of services, specialty programs, research and focus on education.
- Serving over 48,000 clients annually
- Over 80 psychiatrists on staff
- Full continuum of addiction services including detox, residential, outpatient addiction clinic with medication assisted treatment
- 8 specialty inpatient units, including a 22-bed dual diagnosis unit
- Outpatient network of 19 locations

How to Apply

Visit our website for a list of required documents and email them to Lisa Hearns at lisa.hearns@pinerest.org.

Grand Rapids, Michigan – A Great Place to Live and Work!

Our main campus and many of our outpatient clinics are located in and around Grand Rapids, Michigan, home to several award-winning hospital systems, Michigan State University College of Human Medicine and the Van Andel Institute, a world-class primary research facility. The city of Grand Rapids features a bustling downtown with many restaurants, nightclubs, theaters, museums, sports venues and cultural events. Low cost of living, great schools, ease of getting around and very engaged communities make the entire Grand Rapids metropolitan area one of the best places to live in the United States. The beaches of Lake Michigan are only a 40 minute drive away from Grand Rapids. West Michigan is home to numerous natural attractions including swimming, golfing, boating, biking and much more.

Grand Rapids receives top rankings in a lot of areas
- #1 – Best Places to Raise a Family (Forbes)
- #1 – Best U.S. City to Invest in Housing (Forbes)
- #1 – Housing Market in the U.S. (Trulia)
- #2 – Best Cities for Finding Employment (Forbes)
- #2 – Best City to Own a Home in the U.S. (Grand Rapids Business Journal)
- #9 – Hottest Hipster Market in U.S. (Realtor.com)
- #11 – Best U.S. Cities for Doctors (MedScape)
- #15 – U.S. Cities with Emerging Downtowns (Forbes)
- #19 – Best Place to Live in U.S. (US News & World Report)
- #20 – World Travel Destinations (New York Times)