UCSF Fresno Acute Care and Trauma Surgery – Physician Assistant Residency Program (ACTS-PAR)

**Postgraduate Surgical Residency**

This 12-month surgical residency program will provide intense training in the perioperative and operative management of patients. PA Residents will develop critical thinking and surgical assistant skills throughout the year. Residents can expect to gain the fundamentals of surgical care through both didactic and clinical settings in a multitude of surgery subspecialties to best prepare you for a career in surgery. Surgical rotations include, but are not limited to trauma and acute care, burns, orthopedics, emergency medicine, surgical oncology, and urology. Monthly skills lab and periodic assessments are utilized to fine tune skills and measure improvement over time.

**Deadlines for July 2017 Start:**
- Applications: Postmarked by: 02/17/2017
- Phone Interviews: Upon receipt of application
- Formal Interviews: 03/17/2017
- Notifications: 04/01/2017
- Start Date: July 2017

**Why UCSF Fresno**

**Education and Experience**
*Strong* didactic, clinical, multidisciplinary critical care and surgical education; evidence-based practice principles.

**Skill development** in pre-operative assessment, perioperative/postoperative care, surgical assist and the full realm of patient management.

**Work with** renowned surgeons and strong PA/NP team.

**Individualized** instruction and mentoring.

**Confidence**

*Develop* your ability to manage acute and critically ill medical and surgical patients regardless of subspecialty or complexity.

**Employment opportunities**

*Experience* and competencies gained in the training program confer a distinct advantage to our graduates in a competitive job market. *Potential* employment in the UCSF health system following program completion.

For additional information please contact us:

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**Postgraduate Critical Care Residency**

This 12-month residency focuses on providing an educational environment whereby the Physician Assistant is trained to the highest level of proficiency in critical thinking to achieve the skills required to manage acute and critically ill patients. Didactic and clinical settings will be utilized to gain the basic and advanced physiologic knowledge required to manage such patients. At the completion of the program, the resident will be well versed in the care of acute and critically ill patients found in both medical and surgical settings.

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