

# Residency and Fellowship Programs





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**A place that gives you  
opportunity and takes  
your breath away.**

Tight-knit communities in beautiful PA

An institution with a legacy of pioneering innovations

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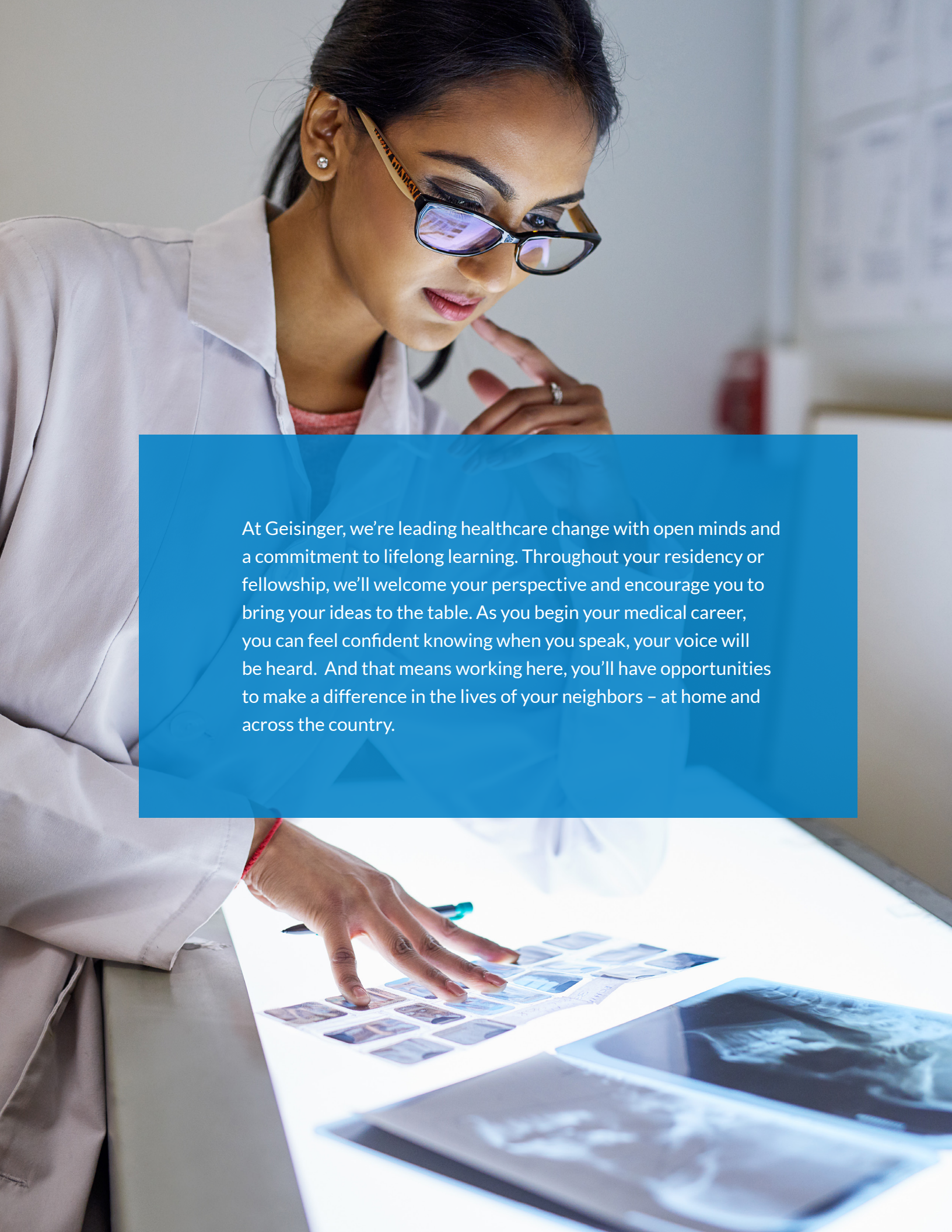


*“The country looks to Geisinger as a leader in bringing world-class care and coverage to everyone we serve. I am incredibly proud of the progress we are driving in expanding our value-based care model. Geisinger has a bright future ahead, and I am committed to building upon our legacy working with our dedicated and talented physicians and staff.”*

Jaewon Ryu, MD, JD, Geisinger President and CEO

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At Geisinger, we're leading healthcare change with open minds and a commitment to lifelong learning. Throughout your residency or fellowship, we'll welcome your perspective and encourage you to bring your ideas to the table. As you begin your medical career, you can feel confident knowing when you speak, your voice will be heard. And that means working here, you'll have opportunities to make a difference in the lives of your neighbors – at home and across the country.

# Physicians leading healthcare change

Visit [www.geisinger.edu/education/residencies-fellowships](http://www.geisinger.edu/education/residencies-fellowships) to hear from our Geisinger family.



## **Michelle Thompson, MD**

**Associate Chief Academic Officer, Associate Dean for GME and DIO and Associate Professor Internal Medicine**

“Robust clinical volumes with diverse patient pathophysiology along with exceptional clinical teaching first attracted me to Geisinger. I have stayed for the abundant opportunities that are increasingly present in our innovative healthcare system that allow ongoing professional development in education, informatics, research, leadership, and healthcare delivery. I have been honored to lead the educational mission for Graduate Medical Education and continually strive to leverage Geisinger’s strengths in developing programs that create the healthcare teams of tomorrow.”



## **Michael J Paglia, MD, PhD**

**Associate Designated Institutional Official and Associate Professor, Maternal Fetal Medicine**

“People often think of Geisinger as being innovative as a patient-centered healthcare delivery system, however, we are constantly striving to improve and develop GME training programs in unique and innovative ways as well. Pennsylvania offers a relaxed and beautiful setting to return home to at the end of a busy workday while also providing the opportunity to be in a busy city within a matter of hours.”



## **Megan Rapp, MD**

**General Surgery Specialist**

“As a fourth-year medical student, I knew I wanted a surgical residency. I thought I wanted a big academic medical center, but then I had a rotation at my dream hospital. I did not see junior residents operating much. I thought I did more as a medical student than some of the second-year residents I observed. What attracted me to Geisinger was the early operative experiences for residents. When I was done with residency, I wanted to be able to hit the ground running with my surgical skills. That’s what I got at Geisinger.”



## **Dan Dometita, DO**

**Associate Program Director and Director of Osteopathic Education, Internal Medicine Residency Program**


“Almost immediately, I was greeted with smiling faces from residents, nurses and faculty alike. Little did I know then that those people would become great colleagues for years to come. Even on a busy ICU rotation, the residents were always willing to take the time to help me learn. It was clear to me that the program selected residents who are not only brilliant but also ‘play well’ with each other.”



## **Thomas Lettich, DO**

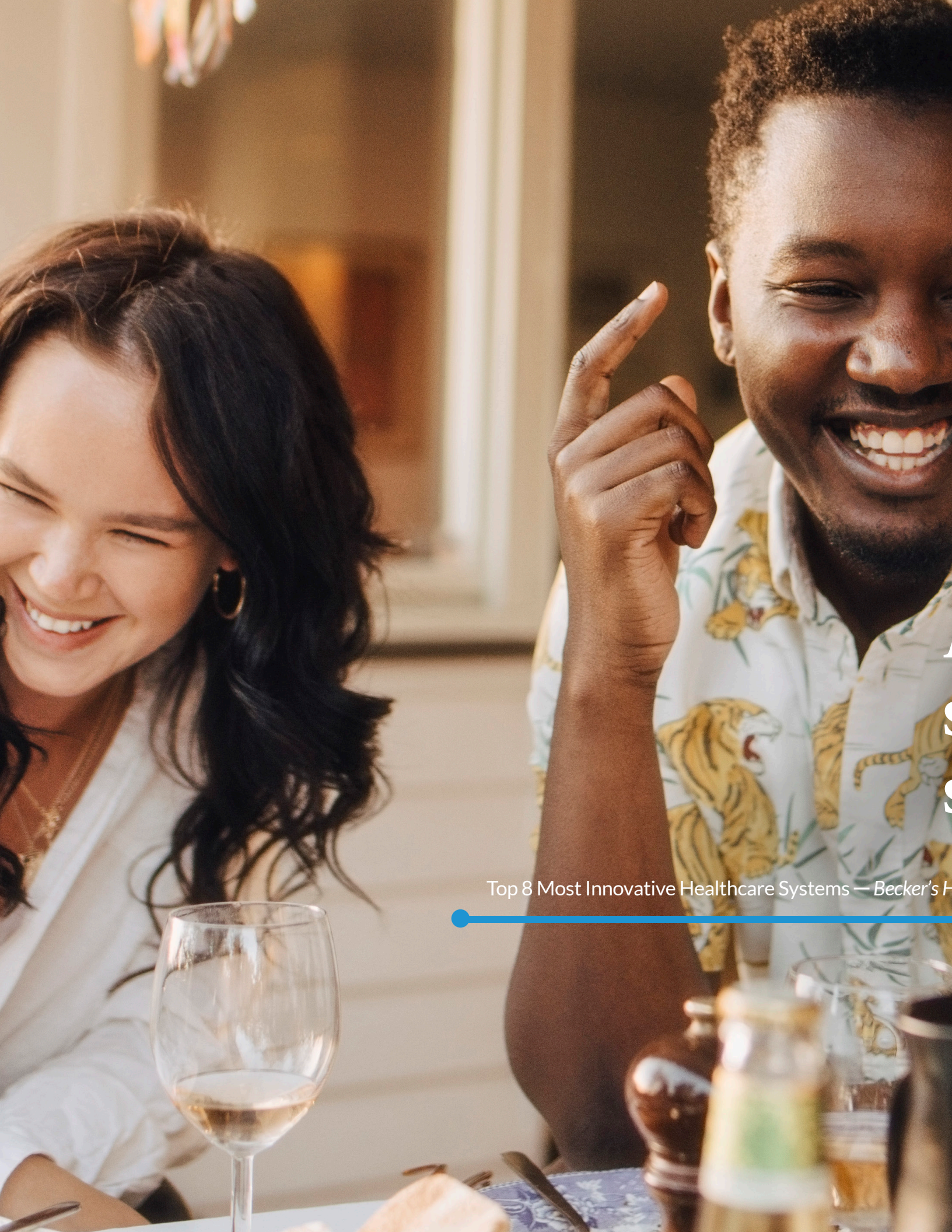
**Hospitalist and Pulmonary Critical Care Fellow**

“Attendings make it a point to bring residents into decision-making. They grant you a lot of autonomy, so I had confidence in many, varied situations. Being a med-peds, your input is sought after for cases that they may not have much experience with (i.e., Cystic Fibrosis, ear infections, hypertension, etc.) which makes you feel valued, but, also demands that you really know your stuff.”

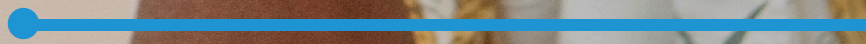


You're ready for your next challenge, the kind that only a nationally recognized healthcare system can provide. As a resident or fellow at Geisinger, you'll join an institution with a legacy of pioneering innovations, like MyCode Community Health Initiative, one of the first health system genome sequencing programs. Living and working here, you'll have the freedom to lead groundbreaking projects and the space to clear your mind to dream up new ones. You'll join one of our tight-knit communities and experience a quality of life you can't get elsewhere.

**Only at Geisinger.**



Top 8 Most Innovative Healthcare Systems — Becker's H





A photograph of two men sitting at a table in a restaurant or bar. The man on the left is wearing a white short-sleeved shirt with a yellow and black tiger pattern. The man on the right is wearing a dark blue and white striped short-sleeved shirt. They are both smiling and looking towards each other. In the foreground, there is a clear wine glass filled with white wine. The background is softly blurred, showing vertical light sources.

**A place where you have a  
seat at the table and also  
stand for what you believe in.**

Hospital Review

Diversity & inclusion resource groups

Nationally recognized by Forbes, Fortune and TIME

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## Geisinger Education and Medical Simulation (GEMS) Center

The Geisinger Education and Medical Simulation (GEMS) Center provides a comprehensive program comprised of both a clinical skills program and a healthcare communication program. These programs include standardized patients, task trainers, high fidelity simulations, web-based modules and workshops for medical students, residents, attending physicians, advanced practitioners, nurses, respiratory therapists, and other members of the healthcare team. The GEMS Center is accredited through the Society for Simulation in Healthcare for Teaching/Education.

### Residency programs

#### Danville

- Anesthesiology
- Clinical psychology internship
- Dermatology
- Emergency medicine
- General surgery
- Internal medicine
- Internal medicine/pediatrics
- Medical physics
- Neurology
- Neurosurgery
- OB/GYN
- Oncology pharmacy

#### Bloomsburg

- Physical medicine & rehabilitation
- Transitional year

#### Lewistown

- Family medicine

#### State College

- Pharmacy – Geisinger Clinics (West)

- Ophthalmology
- Oral & maxillofacial surgery
- Orthopaedics
- Otolaryngology
- Pathology
- Pediatrics
- Pediatric dentistry
- Pharmacy
- Plastic surgery
- Psychiatry
- Radiology
- Urology

#### Wilkes-Barre

- Family medicine
- General surgery
- Internal medicine
- Pharmacy

#### Scranton

- Pharmacy – Geisinger Clinic (Northeast)
- Podiatry

### Fellowship programs

#### Danville

- Adult reconstruction
- Bariatric & minimally invasive surgery
- Cardiology & interventional cardiology
- Clinical cardiac electrophysiology
- Clinical informatics
- Clinical psychology & behavioral medicine
- Critical care
- Cytopathology
- Dermatopathology
- Gastroenterology
- Hematology & medical oncology
- Hospice & palliative medicine

- Interventional radiology/diagnostic radiology (IR/DR) – independent radiology
- Maternal-fetal medicine
- Micrographic surgery & dermatologic oncology
- Nephrology
- Neuroendovascular surgery
- Neuropsychology
- Pulmonary & critical care
- Rheumatology
- Sports medicine
- Vascular surgery

#### Wilkes-Barre

- Sports medicine

#### Waverly

- Addiction medicine



## **The Geisinger Academy**

Engagement, professional development and retention is part of our commitment to you at Geisinger. The Geisinger Academy provides a continuum of learning opportunities including courses, certificates, master's degrees, communities of practice and executive education. The Academy fosters the development of competencies and skills focused on teaching and learning, communication, management and leadership, scholarly activity and precision medicine. Curriculum is evidence based, holistic and focused on best practices and the future of health with Geisinger's competency model woven throughout our diverse curriculum.



During your residency, fellowship and beyond, you'll be leading operational excellence and delivering our patients easier access to the best care. Through programs like Geisinger at Home, a team-based approach to treating patients in the home, Destination Medicine for cardiac, spine, bariatric and joint replacement patients nationwide, and our Primary Care Redesign which includes expanded care teams that bring together physicians with specialists and subspecialists to better manage patient health, you'll have the opportunity to make a difference — at home and across the country.

## Geisinger by the numbers



**11**  
HOSPITAL  
CAMPUSES

**253**  
CLINIC SITES

MORE THAN  
**1,700**  
EMPLOYED  
PHYSICIANS

OVER  
**250,000**  
MYCODE  
PATIENT-  
PARTICIPANTS

NEARLY  
**560,000**  
GEISINGER  
HEALTH PLAN  
MEMBERS

**523**  
MBS/MD  
STUDENTS

**65**  
RESIDENCY &  
FELLOWSHIP  
PROGRAMS

**505**  
RESIDENTS  
& FELLOWS

**1,000+**  
ACTIVE  
RESEARCH  
PROJECTS



## Experience a better quality of life in Pennsylvania

Imagine being worlds away while close to so much. Working and living in Geisinger communities across the state, you'll have the freedom and flexibility to explore everything Pennsylvania has to offer.

Whether you choose to stay closer to home or take a short drive to four of the nation's biggest cities, you'll have access to award-winning dining, artisan shops, expansive farmer's markets and ample state parks.

Here, physicians can catch up with friends at a downtown bistro, and the next day head to New York City for an opening exhibition at the Met. From Danville to Scranton and all our communities in between, there is something to uncover everywhere you turn.



### Easy Weekend Trips to Major Metro Areas

Philadelphia, New York City and Washington, D.C. are all within a few hours' drive of Pennsylvania. You'll have access to arts and culture including:

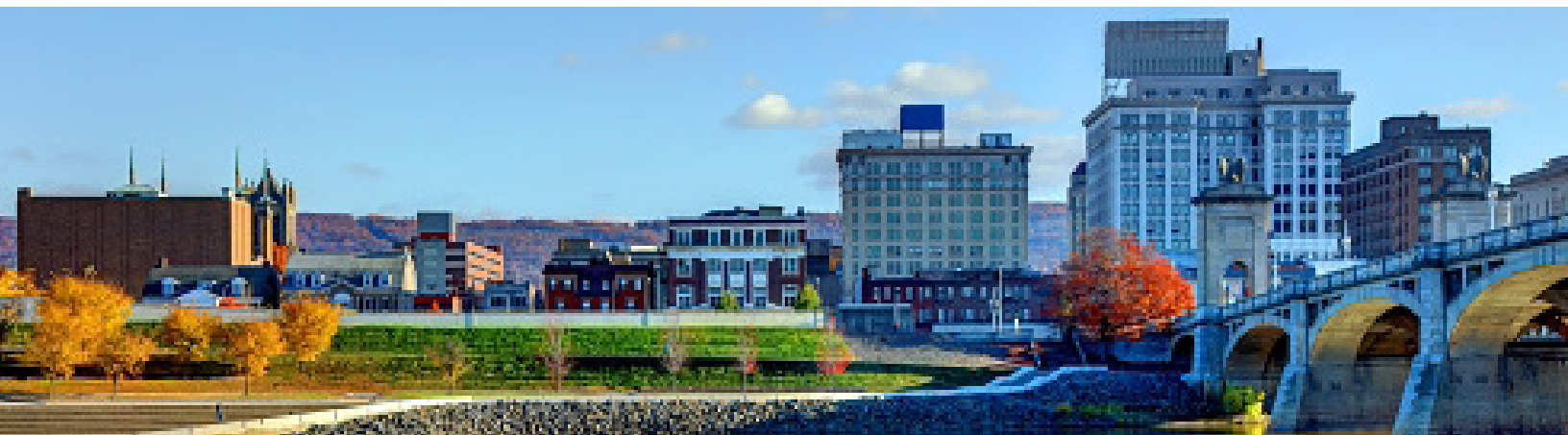
- Live music
- Shopping
- Theater
- Dining
- Museums
- Sightseeing



### Tight-Knit Communities

Here, we know our neighbors and we're there to support and celebrate them every chance we get. For that reason, Pennsylvania is a great place to put down roots with perks that include:

- Quaint towns
- Local festivals
- Unique small businesses
- Excellent schools
- Safe neighborhoods
- Quiet streets





### Lower Cost of Living

In communities across Pennsylvania, you'll find a significantly lower cost of living than in nearby cities. That means you'll be able to experience a better quality of life with perks that include more affordable:

- Housing
- Restaurants, cafés, coffee houses
- Groceries



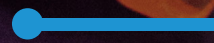
### The Great Outdoors

With over 121 state parks, Pennsylvania is a playground for outdoor enthusiasts. Activities you can partake in include:

- Mountain biking
- Fishing
- Hiking
- Camping
- Skiing
- Boating



Lower cost of





A woman with brown hair tied back, wearing a purple long-sleeved shirt, is seen from the side in a forest. She is holding a clear plastic water bottle with an orange cap. The background is filled with tall, thin tree trunks and lush green foliage, with sunlight filtering through the leaves. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and natural.

# A place where you'll find open minds and wide open spaces.

of living

Access to 121 state parks

Best employer for healthy lifestyles — *National Business Group*

**Only at Geisinger.**

## In the news

### Harvard Business Review

“Geisinger focuses on innovating with the patient at the center.”

### FORTUNE

“If data is the oil of modern day, Geisinger—which serves 3 million patients in rural Pennsylvania—may just be health care’s Saudi Arabia.”

### Forbes

Geisinger President and CEO, Dr. Jaewon Ryu, featured at the 2018 Forbes Healthcare Summit to discuss behavior-based health innovations like Geisinger’s Fresh Food Pharmacy program.

### THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

Published in the Wall Street Journal, we are proud to be the first health system to do large-scale genomic sequencing with our MyCode Community Health Initiative, the world’s largest biobank.



Published in the New England Journal of Medicine, we are proud to feature the Abigail Geisinger Scholars Program, our groundbreaking initiative which offers free medical school tuition to attract physicians to serve our communities.

### TIME

“Geisinger’s program is one of a number of groundbreaking efforts that finally consider food a critical part of a patient’s medical care – and treat food as medicine that can have as much power to heal as drugs.”

### Modern Healthcare

Geisinger and Medline’s groundbreaking partnership rethinks innovative ways hospitals can enable sustainable cost controls while improving overall quality.

## **Find your fit at Geisinger**

At Geisinger, you'll work on a collaborative team, driven by a mindset where everyone plays an integral part in our long-term success. We are continually seeking to improve in big and small ways, and with the support of your colleagues and leadership, you'll be able to achieve your goals and lead a successful career.

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