

Tri-County Community Dental Clinic Fellowship Program

The Tri-County Community Dental Clinic in Appleton, Wisconsin is a community clinic providing dental care to the low income and Medicaid patients in Calumet, Outagamie and Winnebago counties serving in an atmosphere of kindness, compassion and respect.

Tri-County also serves as a Marquette University School of Dentistry Outreach Clinic for 3rd and 4th year dental students. In addition, dental hygiene and assistant students from two area technical schools rotate through Tri-County.

Since 2014, Tri-County has offered a one-year Fellowship Program for recently graduated dentists (see description below).

Tri-County Dental's Fellowship program provides graduates of accredited dental schools the opportunity to:

- Focus on the reason you want to be a dentist – dentistry!
- Gain confidence and improve your skills in diagnostics, problem solving, treatment planning and time management.
- Increase your hand skills, efficiency and quality in restorative, oral surgery, endodontics and crown bridge procedures.
- Gain a great deal of experience in treating patients with dental “emergencies”.
- Pediatric care is a very important part of our dental focus
- Full treatment dental care for veterans was added 2 years ago and allows full range of treatment modalities
- Provides an environment to practice holistic patient care- look at the patient, not only the procedure.



- Have the opportunity to experience the provision of care in a mobile dental clinic.
- Practice with and learn from over 70 volunteer general dentists and specialists (see below). You'll benefit from one-on-one mentoring and support for more complicated procedures. Shadow and work with oral and maxillofacial surgeons, endodontists, pediatric dentists and periodontists.
- The Fellowship program provides the opportunity for independent practice in a supportive environment, allowing for individuals to expand their skills in more challenging and complicated procedures than they may choose to pursue immediately upon completion of dental school if in a less supportive environment.
- Attend ADA/WDA component meetings/seminars and earn continuing education credits
- Have the opportunity to meet local dentists who may be considering taking on an associate.
- Earn a very competitive salary with insurance benefits

Should any candidate have questions, a current fellow, volunteer dentists and clinic leaders will be happy to connect virtually. We would also welcome in person visits. Please feel free to reach out to Sandy Drexler, CEO and Executive Director at 920-882-9989 sdrexler@tricountydental.org or Dr. Tim Brown, Fellowship Chairperson, 920-841-2320 Tim@brownfamilydentistry.com

Please see Fellowship program testimonials.