CAVHCS provides health care to veterans living in:
1) Central, South, East & West Alabama
2) Western Georgia
3) Western Florida
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2 Hospitals Systems Established:

1923
Tuskegee VA Medical Center

1940
Montgomery VA Medical Center
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- Hospital-Based Eye Clinic – Tuskegee, Alabama
- Four Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOCs)
  1) Chantilly (MVAC) Montgomery, Alabama
  2) Poydasheff VA Clinic, Columbus, Georgia
  3) Ft. Moore Army Base, Columbus, Georgia
  4) Ft. Novosel Army Base, Enterprise, Alabama

CAVHCS provides full complement of Eye, Medical, Dental, Surgical, Mental Health, Rehabilitative, Extended care, Primary Care and Home Based Primary Care (HBPC) services
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Externship Rotation & Lodging

• Extern clinical locations / rotations will be: Montgomery Outpatient clinic & Tuskegee Hospital Clinic sites

• Lodging will be in Montgomery Hospital Campus in a lockable hospital (dorm-type) room w/ bath, TV, refrigerator, microwave, and security
Montgomery VA – Perry Hill Campus

***not my room***
Optometric Attendings / Preceptors:

- Dr. Steve Bordlee, OD  
  Externship Director  
  Montgomery Outpatient Clinic Location
  
- Dr. Jordan Rockwell, OD  
  Tuskegee Hospital Clinic Location
• Disease Diagnosis and Management of:
  ✓ Glaucoma
  ✓ Diabetic Retinopathy
  ✓ Macular Degeneration
  ✓ Dry Eyes
  ✓ Cataract stages
  ✓ Eye Emergencies
  ✓ Refractive Challenges
  ✓ Etc.
• Your own clinic room!

• No need to bring in equipment (unless you want to)

• Rotations with visiting OMDs (Retina, Glaucoma and Anterior Segment / Corneal Specialists)

• Favorites Parts of Montgomery
  • Historical buildings/museums
  • Montgomery Biscuits
  • Montgomery Zoo/Safari Park
  • Great restaurants
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Eye Clinic Facilities

- Fully equipped eye lanes
- Corneal Pachymeters
- Topcon Retinal Photography (All Locations)
- Optos Daytona (soon to be California model) @ MVAC

- VF Technologies with multiple Threshold Strategies:
  - Sita Standard / Sita Fast / Std for both 30-2 and 24-2
  - 10-2 Macular Threshold

- Cirrus OCT Retinal Tomographic Imagery
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Local Opportunities

- 52 miles to – AUBURN
- 160 miles to Atlanta
- 170 miles to Pensacola
- 98 miles to Birmingham
MVAC loves to celebrate holidays…Halloween 2023!
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