

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE
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Value of Our PGY-4 Fellow Salary and Benefits Surgical Critical Care



Description		Amount
•	2020 – 2021 PGY-4 Salary	\$ 59,604*
	(includes \$660 offset for basic disability and life premiums)	
•	Employer paid FICA (Social Security)	4,660
•	Employer portion of average health, dental, and vision premiums	10,996
•	Orientation and GME electronic communication stipend for incoming residents	750
•	Immunity from professional liability (i.e., malpractice protection via the State Claims Commission)	1,300
•	Workers Compensation premiums	149
•	Unemployment premiums	165
•	Funding for call meals within Erlanger for Surgical Critical Care Fellows (not taxable)	1,560
•	Evening and weekend food in the Main Resident Lounge	980
•	Free parking	720
•	Monogrammed lab coats, ACGME fees, medical license exemption, background checks, drug screens, titers, certifications, IHI modules, Resident Assistance Program	
•	(NexGen Well-Being), IT exams, learning resources, etc. Funding for conference and educational books for PGY-4s	4,000
	at the discretion of the Chair and Program Director	1,000

*Tennessee does not have a state income tax.

Total \$85,884

Work, learn, and live where "Life is Good" ... Chattanooga



All accredited residencies have the same requirements to ensure quality education, but think about what else the Chattanooga programs have to offer ...

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- Great quality of life
- Four distinct seasons
- Excellent, competitive pay scale
- Funding toward call meals
- Low Premiums for Health, Life, Disability, Dental, and Vision Insurance
- Free, attached, covered parking
- Discounted, on-site child care
- 70% of our residents own homes
- Low cost of living
- America's talking about Chattanooga as a great place to visit, work, and play

