
Battle Creek VAMC
Average Rating for 2021 – 2022 4.82

Response Scale: 1 = Poor; 2 = Marginal; 3 = Adequate; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent; N = NA

- The entire experience at BC VAMC was very well put together. Every doctor and staff member here were helpful and the environment was very conducive to a good learning experience.
- I had a great experience at the Battle Creek VA. The amount of ocular disease seen at this rotation made me a lot more comfortable with diagnosis, treatment/management, and referral strategies. The attendings (and residents) treat you like a fourth-year intern, making sure you understand what is done and why for each patient case so that you're ready to go into practice yourself. I feel like I learned a lot here I would recommend this site to future students.
- Great rotation, front desk staff could use some improvement but great doctors to learn from and great place to work

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- The optometry side of the site was very good. The doctors were always willing to teach and there was a lot of disease encounters to further develop treatment and management strategies. The front desk staff in charge of checking patients in/out and scheduling return visits created a level of uncertainty. I felt we (the students and doctors) ended up micromanaging the front desk on all aspects of their job; we never knew if a patient was actually checked in or if the patient would be appropriately scheduled for their follow-up. Overall this site was enjoyable and I'm sure the staffing issue will be addressed in the near future.
 - My education would not have been complete without the ocular disease experience I had at this VA. Overall, good experience with very knowledgeable instructors.
 - I enjoyed my time at the Battle Creek VAMC. The patient population allowed me to further my knowledge with regards to ocular disease and the equipment allowed the diagnostic tests needed to work through complex cases.
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