

The University of Texas at Austin School of Nursing
Children's Wellness Center Internship Application

Application is Due May 3, 2019

Student _____ UT EID _____

Phone _____ Email _____

GPA _____

In Fall 2019, I will be a: Junior II Senior I Senior II

(Pedi experience preferred; Spanish-speaking desirable but not required)

Dates: July 29 to August 27: **Mandatory orientation is July 25-26; DVISD immunization clinic is tentatively scheduled for August 6 and 7.** The rest of schedule is variable. Students will work approximately 12 hours/week.

Note: If you would like to receive course credit for this internship, please also complete the Independent Study Form and follow the instructions to register and pay for the course.

Students should complete questionnaire on page 2 explaining interest in this learning experience

- Applicants will be reviewed and finalists may be called for a phone interview. Decisions will be made by May 20th

Program description: Student interns will be trained to analyze shot records, administer immunizations, practice physical and developmental assessment, and care for children seeking well child care and care for acute and chronic illnesses, including sports physicals in a primary care setting. The Children's Wellness Center (CWC), located in Del Valle, is a nurse-managed school-based clinic serving newborns to adolescents and working in the community to promote health and prevent illness. Since many of the families served by the CWC are Hispanic and low-income, the interns will have the opportunity to practice cultural and linguistic skills.

Program objectives:

1. Demonstrate knowledge of childhood immunizations and perform patient /parent teaching
2. Administer pediatric medications via oral, intramuscular, subcutaneous, and intra-dermal routes
3. Determine necessary immunizations to meet community and school district requirements
4. Practice history taking and physical examination skills
5. Provide culturally sensitive and linguistically appropriate health care to underserved and indigent populations
6. Practice nursing in a primary care setting

Activities to achieve objectives:

- Orientation and practice with immunizations, physical exams, patient teaching, acute and chronic disease management.
- Students are required to meet the same professional expectations and responsibilities as in any clinical course, including attendance and completion of internship.

*All students completing internship will receive \$1000 stipend. Funding is provided by the UTSON's St. David's Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research in Underserved Populations (CHPR)

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Programs (Faculty of Record) _____ Date _____

Please provide the name and phone number of your most recent clinical instructor as a reference:

Submit this form to cmcavoy@mail.nur.utexas.edu via email by April 30, 2019.

Children's Wellness Center Internship Questionnaire
Please type your response; it should fill one page.

Are you available for all the mandatory dates (July 25-26—8:00 AM to 4:30PM)? YES NO

Why do you want this internship?

What is your previous work experience?

What is your previous experience working with children?

What is your previous experience with vaccines and vaccinations?

What do you hope to get out of the experience?

Have you taken N354—Spanish for HealthCare Professionals? (or equivalent---explain) YES NO

On the following scale, rank your ability to speak Spanish. (Spanish not required for internship)

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

0 = I don't know how to say "hi" in Spanish

10 = I have spoken Spanish my whole life

Will you be enrolled in another course during the dates of the internship? YES NO

If yes, please list class days and times: _____