



Healthcare Exploration Program

Undergraduate Medical Shadowing

Northwell Health Undergraduate Medical Summer Internship

Duration: June 10th, 2019 – August 2nd, 2019

Location: North Shore University Hospital, Manhasset, NY

The **Northwell Health Healthcare Exploration Program** at **North Shore University Hospital** is designed to expose the undergraduate college student to various careers in the medical field. Through a balanced 8-week curriculum, students will encounter a broad range of clinical services at a quaternary care medical center. Based on the student's interest, students spend time shadowing Physicians, Surgeons, Nurses, Physician Assistants, and other Advanced Care Providers in the following clinical areas: Neurosciences, Cardiology, Orthopedics, Emergency Medicine, Perioperative Services, Pediatrics/Neonatal ICU, Medicine, and Cancer Services. In addition to shadowing healthcare providers, students also have the opportunity to explore the medical education components of healthcare by attending Grand Rounds. While students do not provide direct patient care, they are encouraged throughout the process to ask questions, become engaged with the healthcare providers, and obtain their own mentor during their internship experience.

Application Deadline: Applications must be electronically submitted by 5pm EST on January 25, 2019

Application can be downloaded at:

Application: https://northwell.health.formstack.com/forms/healthcare_exploration_program_application_2019

Letter of Recommendation: https://northwell.health.formstack.com/forms/healthcare_exploration_program_letter_of_recommendation_2019

Program Structure:

- **Rotations:** During the eight weeks, students are exposed to healthcare providers at the patient's bedside, in the operating room, procedural areas, during rehab, and the coordination of patient care. Students spend a week in each clinical area (Neurosciences, Cardiology, Orthopedics, Emergency Medicine, Perioperative Services, Pediatrics/Neonatal ICU, Cancer Services, and Medicine) observing patient care through the lens of many different providers.
- **Didactic Sessions:** As part of the internship experience, students have the opportunity to attend Grand Rounds and other educational forums, as determined appropriate by the rotation leaders. In addition, students will be provided with Lunch & Learn sessions in which a Hospital Executive will provide the student with an important understanding of the basic elements of hospital administration, leadership, organizational dynamics, and expertise from their field of work.

For further information about the program, please contact:

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