## Patient Care Intern Program

## **Purpose**

The Patient Care Intern Program is to help develop professional skills in hands-on environment. This program is ten to twelve week program that provides High School juniors and seniors with valuable work experience. The program provides an opportunity for students to explore future career possibilities as well as gain real-world work experience.

## **Program Guidelines**

Patient Care Interns may work up to 24 hours week and will be considered temporary.

Patient Care Interns will attend the hospital's regular new hire orientation and will attend an additional Patient Care Intern orientation that will go over additional training topics related to the specific job duties.

Patient Care Interns are eligible to float to other eligible departments. Patient care assignment may include Med/Surg, OB, Emergency Room, Urgent Care, CCU, Laboratory, Imaging, Infusion, Therapy Services, and Solutions.

Patient Care Intern's schedules will be vary, but no intern will be scheduled to work after 9pm.

Base Pay: \$12.00 (additional \$1 for C.N.A)

Benefits: Not eligible for benefits

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Patient Care Interns will be placed in patient care areas and will be expected to perform patient care duties. This includes moving patients, assisting with food trays, and bathing patients. See job description for more descriptive job duties.

At the end of the program the Patient Care Interns will meet with leadership to go over the experience and potential scholarship opportunities.