



Health Intern Role Description

Reports To: Trudy Sirkis and the Health Center Administrator

Works Closely With: Health Center Team, Camp Leadership Team, and Staff

Job Type: Summer Seasonal / Temporary

Duration: 4–8 weeks between June - August

Position Overview

The Health Intern will support Beber Camp's Health Center team in providing health, safety, and wellness services to campers, staff, and visitors. This role provides hands-on experience in a residential summer camp health setting while developing skills in patient care, medication management, health and safety practices, documentation, and emergency response.

Working under the direction and supervision of the Health Center Administrator and nursing staff, the intern will contribute to the daily operation of the Health Center while gaining experience working with children and young adults in a fast-paced camp environment.

Key Responsibilities

- Assist Health Center staff in providing first aid and health care to campers, staff, and visitors within the intern's training, skills, and scope of practice.
- Assist with daily medication management and medication administration only as permitted by applicable requirements and under the direction and supervision of nursing staff.
- Help monitor and care for campers and staff staying in the Health Center, including conducting routine checks and temperature checks as directed.
- Assist with the daily care and comfort of Health Center patients, including meals, snacks, bedding, laundry, and maintaining clean and organized spaces.
- Provide CPR and First Aid coverage at designated times and locations as needed.
- Accompany campers and staff to off-site urgent care, medical appointments, or other medical visits as directed.
- Monitor health and safety practices throughout camp and help identify and address potential health and safety risks.
- Ensure athletic areas, waterfront areas, and other program spaces have appropriate water, sunscreen, first-aid supplies, and injury-prevention materials.
- Check and restock emergency backpacks and first-aid supplies throughout camp.
- Assist with health and hygiene practices, including supporting handwashing and other illness-prevention measures.
- Maintain accurate and detailed records related to patient care, supplies, and equipment as directed.

- Participate in overnight Health Center coverage on a rotating basis, including being an initial point of contact for overnight health needs.
- Take ownership of projects that align with the intern's skills and interests while supporting the evolving needs of the Beber Camp Health Center.
- Perform additional responsibilities as assigned by supervisors or outlined in training materials.

Qualifications

- Entering the final year of an RN or LPN nursing program, or enrolled in a related health or science program.
- Current CPR and First Aid certification.
- Some experience working with children or adolescents.
- Strong interest in working with campers ages 1–17 and camp staff.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills with a friendly, welcoming, and encouraging attitude.
- Detail-oriented with the ability to maintain accurate records and follow established procedures.
- Demonstrates sound judgment, reliability, responsibility, and the ability to remain calm in a fast-paced environment.
- Ability to work independently while collaborating effectively with the Health Center and broader camp team.
- Ability to accept feedback, adapt to changing circumstances, and learn new practices.
- Valid driver's license and proof of medical insurance required.
- Strong desire to make a positive impact on the health, safety, and well-being of campers and staff.
- Strong connection to and understanding of Beber Camp is preferred.

Internship Experience & Perks

- Work directly with Beber Camp's Health Center Administrator and nursing team.
- Gain hands-on experience in a residential camp health setting.
- Develop skills in patient care, health and safety, medication management, documentation, emergency response, and risk prevention.
- Receive professional mentorship and participate in the Beber Camp summer internship cohort.
- Gain experience working with children and young adults in a unique residential environment.
- Participate in professional development opportunities through the Beber Camp Internship Program.
- Opportunity to explore potential career paths in nursing, healthcare, public health, and related fields.
- Receive internship compensation in accordance with the Beber Camp Internship Program.

Specific Position Requirements & Physical Expectations

This position requires the ability to stand and walk for extended periods, navigate stairs and uneven terrain, work both indoors and outdoors, and respond quickly to health and safety needs across camp. The intern must be able to read and follow medication labels, health forms, physician orders, and other health-related documentation; use telephones, computers, and electronic devices; and maintain accurate written and electronic records.

The position may require assisting with or lifting campers and staff and responding to emergencies or urgent medical needs.

How to Apply

Apply through the Beber Camp website or contact the Beber Camp Health Center Administrator.

Equal Opportunity Statement

Beber Camp is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity, age, disability, sexual orientation, military status, or national origin.

To learn more about the Beber Camp Internship Program, visit:

<https://www.bebercamp.com/news/when-camp-and-career-dont-have-to-compete>

This job description is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities. Additional duties may be assigned by supervisors or outlined in training materials.