

## **10 Weeks of Hands-on Experience**

### **May 12 - July 18, 2014**

At Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, we are changing the outcome for patients and their families as we pursue our vision to be the leader in improving child health. Our nurses are the pulse of our institution. You will experience a supportive, nurturing practice environment at Cincinnati Children's.

Our extern program is a full-time, paid position designed for current nursing students interested in gaining experience working in pediatrics. Externs are paired with a preceptor for the entire externship.

#### **Requirements:**

- Current enrollment in an NLN accredited RN BSN program
- Completion of at least one hospital-based clinical rotation
- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Copy of current transcripts
- Must have completed their junior year in a BSN nursing program
- This temporary position runs ten weeks from May 12 - July 18, 2014. You must be available to work the entire 10 weeks at 32 hours per week and able to work a mix of all shifts as well as weekends.

## Application Process and Timeline:

Tuesday, November 19, 2013 Application available at <http://www.cincinnatichildrens.org/careers/Apply/default/> under job requisition #68055

Sunday, December 8, 2013 - Application deadline

January - February 2014 - Qualified candidates will be contacted to complete a one way video interview and potential face-to-face interview.

## Comments from 2013 Externs

“My experiences were so valuable and I will always be grateful to the CCHMC summer externship for sending me on the path to be the best nurse I can be!”

“This summer externship has greatly enhanced my critical thinking, time management, organization, communication, and nursing skills. I am so grateful for this phenomenal opportunity.”

“I would recommend this externship to everyone. It is such a great learning environment and everyone involved is more than willing to help facilitate your learning.”

“It was a great learning experience. I am so much more confident in my skills and I definitely know what patient population I want to work with now.”

Questions should be sent by email to [nurses4kids@cchmc.org](mailto:nurses4kids@cchmc.org) with subject line NURSE EXTERN. Due to the volume of calls, we are unable to return all phone inquiries. Emails will be answered in the order of sent date.

