

AM OPPORTUNITIES

Experience Types

HANDS-ON

- Patient-focused clinical exposure; visitors do noninvasive activities under supervision, such as recording patient histories, completing examinations, case presentation, and differential diagnoses.
- Visitors must be covered under malpractice insurance.
- Visitors must adhere to HIPAA, Joint Commission regulations, and state guidelines regarding patient interaction, presenting cases, and giving differential diagnosis to the supervising physician.

VIRTUAL – CLINICAL

- Patient-focused clinical exposure. Visitors participate in the clinical experience remotely.
- Visitors are brought in the clinical experience either by the physicians live streaming patient visits and/or allowing the visitors into telehealth visits.
- Visitors may record patient history, complete examinations, offer differential diagnoses, or present cases.
- Visitors must adhere to HIPAA, Joint Commission regulations, and state guidelines regarding patient interaction, presenting cases, and giving differential diagnosis to the supervising physician.
- Visitors must be covered under malpractice insurance and are required to submit proof of HIPAA certification and sign a Privacy and Confidentiality Attestation.
- AMO completes technology & privacy checks with the visitors.

VIRTUAL – EDUCATIONAL

- Visitors participate in the clinical experience remotely. Not patient-focused, instead it consists of lectures, grand rounds, conferences, etc.
- Physicians bring the visitors into this environment with live streaming & other technologies.
- Visitors are required to submit proof of HIPAA certification and sign a Privacy and Confidentiality Attestation.
- AMO completes technology & privacy checks with the visitors.

OBSERVERSHIP

- Supervised program without direct hands-on patient interaction - "hands in pockets".
- Offers exposure to the U.S. medical system but limits the student to observing the practice of medicine by the physician.
- Visitors have active Q&A with the physician, physician may ask for "virtual" differential diagnosis practice, case presentation.
- Visitors do not administer care to patients, supervised or unsupervised.
- Visitors must maintain privacy requirements of patients in coordination with HIPAA and Joint Commission policies.

NURSING – OBSERVERSHIP

- Supervised program without direct "hands-on" patient contact - "hands in pockets".
- Offers visiting nurses & nursing visitors exposure to the U.S. medical system but limits the visitor to observing only.
- Visitors do not administer care to patients.
- Visitors must maintain privacy requirements of patients in coordination with HIPAA and Joint Commission regulation policies.

RESEARCH OBSERVERSHIP

- Research focused clinical exposure.
- Visitors work on a research project in a lab with US physicians and researchers, observing the practice of research in the US.
- Active Q&A, non-labor tasks, academic side projects often provided.
- Depending on program and project, Visitors have the opportunity to be an author on a published research paper.

PRE-MEDICAL SHADOWING

- US Pre-Medical Visitors; Offers exposure to the medical system but limits the student to shadowing only.
- Visitors do not administer care to patients.
- Visitors must maintain privacy requirements of patients in coordination with HIPAA and Joint Commission regulation policies.
- Unlike Observerships, no active Q&A, "virtual" differential diagnosis or case presentation.