

## **Frequently Asked Question's**

- 1. What is the dress code for your clinic? Please see link for dress code above. You may still want to check with the individual clinic if there are specific requirements that differ from the normal dress code (i.e. specialty services).
- What will my schedule be? Your schedule will vary dependent on your clinical instructor's schedule, but will be 40 hours a week. Holiday or short week schedules (Thanksgiving, 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Memorial Day, Labor Day, etc.) will be worked out with your CI and your school's policy.
- 3. Where do I park my vehicle? As our clinics are in various locations and environments, our only request is that you please park in a manner to allow our patients full access to the facility. Specific parking requirements may be required in some instances, so please inquire with your CI prior to your first day.
- 4. Do you have housing opportunities? We do not provide housing for our students, but if you do not have housing lined up feel free to reach out to your CI as they may have some leads for you in their respective communities.
- 5. Do you provide a stipend? We do not provide a stipend for living expenses during student internships.
- 6. What will I do for lunch? Almost all of our clinics have a lunch/office area complete with a refrigerator and microwave and you will have access to these if you choose to bring your lunch each day. Otherwise, most of our clinics have rather quick access to fast food or like locations during your lunch break.
- 7. Are there any pre-internship responsibilities? Yes, there will be an extensive compliance component mandated by our parent company, US Physical Therapy, you will need to complete prior to being given access to our EMR program, Raintree. It is not necessary to complete prior to your first day but if you would like to get started ahead of time such as to not have to waste clinical hours completing it, please reach out to your CI so they can get you access to the system. Otherwise, plan to be working on this during your first week in the clinic.
- 8. Is there any pre-internship research that must be completed? As described in our clinical education program, our clinicians carry a variety of clinical certifications and expertise, and inquiring of your CI about specific components (McKenzie, Dry Needling, Women's Health, etc.) is recommended.
- 9. Am I required to complete an in-service or administrative project while a student in your facility? This is typically a requirement of your academic program and you and your CI can determine your needs for this, and it is recommended that you start discussing this on day one of your internship to plan what this will be and a date for completion.
- 10. Will I have a clinical orientation? Yes, plan to arrive early on your first day to be oriented to the clinic and its layout and safety protocols. If you arrive to the area early this can also be completed prior to day 1 in the clinic with arrangement from your CI.

11. Will there be other mentorship opportunities available to me during the internship? Yes, we are developing resources for our CI's to provide you with a broad but basic understanding of all of our clinical services. This includes but is not limited to: Worker's Compensation requirements, Pain Neuroscience Education, Multi-Modal Clinical Assessment, SFMA, Dry Needling, McKenzie, Maitland, Fall Education, Men's/Women's Health, Vestibular Rehabilitation, Concussion Management, etc. In addition you will participate in our regional clinical mentorship meetings as they are regularly scheduled if they occur during your internship time. You may also have access to opportunities outside of the clinic such as: opportunity to observe surgery, attend sideline coverage for covered high school sports, limited availability in continuing education courses if space allows, and limited marketing opportunities.