



Child Life Practicum Program

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The Child Life Practicum offers qualified students an opportunity to gain practical knowledge about the child life profession through observation of and supervised participation in the child life role in a pediatric health care setting.

Objectives

- Increase knowledge about the child life profession.
- Develop communication skills with children, family members, and medical staff within the healthcare setting.
- Improve developmental assessment skills.
- Recognize and experience the various roles of the child life specialist.
- Apply developmental theory to daily interactions with children and families.

Applicant requirements

- Must be entering junior year of college or above or have graduated.
- Must be actively pursuing child life coursework and have taken a child or human development course (course in program form accepted if you are currently enrolled in child or human development at the time of application.)
- GPA minimum 3.0.
- Previous experience working with children preferred

Application component requirements:

- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Unofficial transcript(s)

Email completed application to childlifepacticum@atlantichhealth.org.

Please Note: Selected Child Life Practicum Students will need to complete AHS Volunteer Services requirements prior to start