



**Georgia Department of Public Health
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
Dietetic Internship**



2023-2024 Rotation Schedule

Rotation	Didactic Hours	Practice Hours	Dates
General Orientation	24	0	August 9 - 11, 2023
Community Rotation Orientation	24	0	August 16 – 18, 2023
Community Rotation	100+	504	August 21, 2023 - January 19, 2024
Break	0	0	Intern choice (1 week break during community rotation) *
Food Service Rotation	20	192	January 22 - March 15, 2024
NCP Case Studies** <i>**1 per month (10 total - No case study due in March)</i>	72	20	September 2023 – June 2024
Clinical Skills Class	24	0	March 18 – 20, 2024
Clinical Rotation(s) acute care, long term care, diabetes, pediatric/bariatric, renal	160+	408	March 25 – July 19, 2024
Exit Session	0	3	July 23, 2024
Total	400	1,127	
Graduation	0	0	July 24, 2024

Note:

Interns will complete a minimum of 1000 supervised practice hours. The designated practice hours in each facility do not include travel time, outside preparation, or the orientation training. The intern will work the schedule which best facilitates learning which could include weekends and early or late hours. Practice hours may be required beyond this minimum depending on the demands of the rotation and assignments.

Interns are expected to complete all didactic assignments. The didactic hours above are only estimates and the didactic assignments may require hours beyond this estimate. In addition to practice hours and didactic hours, interns should expect to expend “other” (typing reports, typing activity logs, etc.) hours on a regular basis and should plan their schedules accordingly.

Interns are expected to be present for each scheduled rotation, orientation and training. If circumstances beyond an intern’s control (i.e., illness, car trouble, illness, or death of an immediate family member) occur, the preceptor will assist the intern to reschedule these experiences. There is no guarantee that these experiences can be made up without repeating the rotation, but every reasonable effort will be made.

Interns will participate in supervised practice hours of the internship for 24 hours per week and work in their respective jobs for 16 hours per week as scheduled by their supervisor. Interns may be required to work on holidays without compensatory time. Interns should not expect to take vacation, personal, or annual leave during the program.

*Interns can choose a week during the community rotation when they do not do supervised practice, and nothing is due related to internship. Interns will need to coordinate with the Dietetic Internship Director and their Preceptor and Supervisor.