

Student Nurse Extern Program Summer 2027

UVA Health's **Student Nurse Extern Program** is a paid opportunity for nursing students entering their final year of nursing school. Participants gain hands-on clinical experience, applying classroom knowledge while working alongside experienced registered nurses to deliver quality patient care and strengthen nursing practice skills.

After completing the program, participants may have opportunities to remain with UVA Health as a Patient Care Technician in a clinical department or with the Staffing Resource Office, rotating between Acute Care and Critical Care units.

- Start date: **May 25, 2027** or **June 7, 2027**
- Duration: 8-week minimum, 13-week maximum
- 36 - 40 hours per week
- Inpatient areas: Monday thru Sunday, day and night shift
- Ambulatory: Monday - Friday
- Compensation: \$18.00/hr
- Eligibility: Nursing students entering their final year of nursing school and graduating in December 2027 or May 2028

Application Information

Applications open:

Nov. 1 - Dec. 31

Interviews:

Dec. 1 - Jan. 15

Offers begin: Feb. 1



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Reflections from recent participants:

"This experience has been incredibly rewarding, and I am truly grateful for everything I have learned over the course of the summer. Working alongside such knowledgeable, supportive, and compassionate healthcare professionals has strengthened both my clinical skills and my passion for nursing. I have genuinely enjoyed working with every member of the team, and I cannot thank you enough for this wonderful opportunity."

"I've had such a wonderful experience this summer, and it has only reinforced how much I admire UVA and the incredible people who work there."

"I was exposed to so many things this summer by simply working the schedule of a nurse that you don't see during clinicals. This has helped me to feel so much more comfortable and confident in my skills and the idea of being an RN next summer. Additionally, I became so comfortable with the staff and culture of my unit- I feel excited to return to it."

"Best Children's Hospital"
2024-2025 U.S. News &
World Report

#1 Hospital in Virginia Newsweek
"World's Best Hospitals 2025"
guide

UVA Cancer Center
Honored Among Nation's Best
by Becker's Hospital Review

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