

Maryland Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation

Internship

As per the mission statement, “MACVPR is dedicated to the improvement of clinical practice, the promotion of scientific inquiry, and the advancement of education for the benefit of health care professionals and the public.” MACVPR strives to support healthcare professionals in their education, so as to enhance the clinical effectiveness of their treatment of cardiac and pulmonary rehab participants. MACVPR is a state affiliate of the American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation and supports the goals and objectives thereof.

The goal of the MACVPR internship is to provide a TSU student who is interested in Cardiac and Pulmonary Rehab with an opportunity to not only experience the day-to-day operations of a Cardiac/Pulmonary Rehab program, but also more fully appreciate the workings of a professional organization within this specialty. The incumbent intern will split their time between a Cardiac and Pulmonary rehab facility and MACVPR responsibilities.

These responsibilities will include, but are not limited to:

- Attending MACVPR business meetings
- Assistance with MACVPR Spring state-wide conference
 - Contacting speakers & vendors
 - Developing brochures and other educational components
 - Registration and logistical assistance
- MACVPR dinner meetings
 - Educational program development
 - Registration assistance
 - Contract development

The TSU intern can expect to learn:

- Daily operations and administration of Cardiac and Pulmonary Rehab
- Applications of clinical exercise physiology in the Cardiac and Pulmonary Rehab facility
- In-depth understanding of reimbursement of Cardiac/Pulmonary Rehab
- Applications of education in the professional setting
- Development of educational materials for healthcare professionals

If you are interested in an internship, please contact:

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