

CHOP Externship Description:

Legal interns support the in-house attorneys in The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia's ("CHOP") Office of General Counsel and work on various projects under the guidance of the legal team. This work includes legal research on a wide variety of topics, drafting, summarizing and reviewing contracts, preparing legal memoranda, and drafting position statements. This internship is a great opportunity for students who are interested in developing knowledge and experience related to issues in health law such as health information exchanges, accountable care organizations, and scientific research. Interns will also be exposed to topics related to business law and business organizations, intellectual property law, labor and employment law, data and privacy law, and various state and federal regulatory laws. Students will also have the opportunity to attend meetings with outside counsel and learn about the workings of various CHOP departments.

The issues CHOP's Office of General Counsel works on are cutting edge and interdisciplinary and Students will be relied upon to support the organization's mission.

The vast majority of the work will be transactional in nature, however students with an interest in a litigation-based practice will still be considered and are encouraged to apply. No previous experience in healthcare and healthcare law is required, but a genuine excitement and interest in the topic are desired. Successful applicants will demonstrate an ability to multitask and meet deadlines.

This is a **7-credit externship. Students will work a minimum of 21 hours/week.** We are looking for students who are intellectually curious, driven, compassionate, trusted, creative, and practical.

Note that this position is unpaid and is contingent on students receiving school credit or funding from an outside source. Additionally, all offers are contingent on offerees receiving internal CHOP approval and passing all required background checks. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, this position may require remote work/work from home arrangements.

If you would like to submit an application, please e-mail your materials **before 5 PM on May 10, 2021**, to externships@law.upenn.edu. Please include "CHOP Application" in the subject line. The application should contain **one pdf file** that includes the following: resume, unofficial transcript and statement of interest. Please note that this placement expends a great deal of time and effort with background checks, coordinating work, securing supervisors, designing programming, creating office space, etc. Thus, students are strongly encouraged to enroll only if they are committed to completing the externship. If you have any questions about this externship, please email externships@law.upenn.edu.