

Community Internship Collaboration

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Internship Mentor Application

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Organization website	https://www.losalamosnm.us/government/departments/fire_department/LosAlamosFireDepartment
Describe your organization	Los Alamos Fire Department (LAFD) is the second largest career fire department in the state of New Mexico. The department provides a multi-disciplined, multi-dimensional mission of fire, rescue, emergency medical, public education and life safety services to the citizens and visitors of Los Alamos County
Internship title	Emergency Medical Services Intern
What will the student learn from the internship?	EMS Management, protocol writing, accreditation.
What does your business need that a student intern can impact?	The LAFD EMS Division is seeking CAAS (Commission on Accreditation of Ambulance Services) accreditation. The student will aid the division with the research and technical writing aspect of the process.
What project(s) will the intern work on?	CAAS Accreditation
What skills, ability or education level is required for this internship?	Preferred knowledge of the Microsoft suite products, principles of research, technical writing.
What is the final product will the student produce?	CAAS accreditation is designed to help EMS agencies increase organizational performance and efficiency, increase clinical quality, and decrease risk and liability. Accreditation provides a template for making comprehensive organization changes that improve the overall performance of the organization. An independent review validates that accredited agencies are adhering to the highest standards in the industry.
primary purpose	Project Management