

Geriatrics Career Development **The New Jewish Home** 120 West 106th Street

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GCD's Young Adult HHA Program: Cohort 19 (May 5th- July 1st) *

The Young Adult (YA) Program, as a part of the GCD initiative at The New Jewish Home (TNJH) is recruiting for its **FREE** healthcare training program. *The program includes a PAID internship and training at \$15/hour, FREE* HHA certification (valued at \$500), additional stipend awarded to those who complete all of program and participate in program evaluation, and MetroCard's provided throughout. Participants are coached by skilled professionals & enter the healthcare field as HHA's, a starting point in a growing job sector.

Requirements:

- Must be between 18-24 years olds
- Must be a resident of: Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens, Staten Island, or the Bronx
- Must be able to work in the U.S.
- Cannot be a full time student

May 5th - May 15th (Tuesday - Friday)

<u>Phase 1</u>: Professional Development and HHA Pre-Training (2 weeks) prepares participants for the workforce with job readiness training. Additionally, participants will be given an introduction to health education and hands on internship. This phase exposes participants to Eldercare fundamentals, clinical skills, & professional development in a contextualized workplace setting. Participants also benefit from social services including case management & therapeutic programs. Onboarding for The New Jewish Home begins.

May 19th - June 5th (Tuesday - Friday)

<u>Phase 2</u>: HHA Internship at The New Jewish Home (3 weeks) During internship, participants will work directly with older adult clients of The New Jewish Home within the skilled nursing facility. Participants have an opportunity to utilize skills learned in Phase 1 while receiving onsite supervision from C.N.A's and nurses.

<u>June 9th - June 26th (Tuesday - Friday)</u>

<u>Phase 3:</u> HHA Clinical Training (3 weeks) After their internship here at The New Jewish Home, participants will have the opportunity to train with a New York State Certified Department of Health approved training provider to obtain an HHA certification. Attendance, punctuality, & mastery of HHA skills are mandatory for completion and certification.

June 29th- July 1st

<u>Phase 4</u>: Connection to Employment+ Transition to Alumni Services (1 week) Those who successfully complete all phases of the program will begin applying to HHA roles at TNJH through our homecare agency, HAPI, with guidance from the staff. Additionally, during this week, participants will explore furthering their education/certifications and walk in the YA Graduation Ceremony. It is important to note: our transitional services include, but are not limited to, Alumni events, career coaching, referrals & individual follow-up.

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