

Summary of Supervised Practice and Classroom Hours¹

UCSF Medical Center Dietetic Internship

Type of Experience / Rotation	Practice Hours	Classroom Hours
Orientation	0	31.75
Clinical Nutrition Core – Adult Inpatient Obstetrics, Liver & Kidney Transplant Unit, Bone Marrow Transplant, Cardiology, Neurology, Medicine, Psychiatry, Mount Zion Surgery (GI, Onc, Oral Head and Neck, Gyn Onc), Surgery (Plastics, GI, Bariatric, Thyroid).	516-556	44.25
Advanced Clinical Nutrition		
• Introduction to Pediatrics (classes plus clinical practice)	5	35.5
• Pediatrics clinical experience	120-160	0
• Introduction to Critical Care	0	8.25
• Critical care clinical experience	120-160	0
Management	301	19.5
• Patient food services		
• Production		
• Cafeteria		
• Human resources and financial management principles		
• Projects in food service and clinical management		
Nutrition Counseling and Education		
• UCSF ambulatory care practices: Nutrition Counseling Clinic, Weight Management Program, Diabetes Clinics (Adult, Pediatric), Renal Pre-Transplant Evaluation Clinic, PCOS Clinic, UCSF Cancer Center	120	17.5
• UCSF Diabetes Teaching Center Insulin Therapy Workshop		
• UCSF Mount Zion Adult Hemodialysis Center	40	0
• Off-site community food/nutrition program of intern's choice	40	0
• Projects: Client Education Material; Community Lecture/Forum	80 varies	8 0
Research Dietetics	0	20-32
Classes including on-site observation and assignment		
Elective Experience	0-120	0
Examples:		
• Inpatient or outpatient pediatric specialties		
• UCSF Cancer Resource Center at Mount Zion		
• General Clinical Research Center		
• Private practice		
• Additional community nutrition		
Other Intern Classes	0	25
Legislation and Politics, Professional Development/Careers, Ethnic and Cultural Eating Habits class series, other classes and activities		
Staff Experience² (2 to 8 weeks)	80-320	0
• Minimum 2 weeks experience in Inpatient Clinical Nutrition		
Total Hours of Practice/Classes^{3,4}	1762 hours ~ 44 weeks	208.5 hours ~ 5 weeks

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1. Each Intern's schedule will vary.
2. Nutrition Counseling and Education experiences are not available due to space, personnel and scheduling limitations.
3. Intern schedule includes 3 additional weeks of vacation, holidays, and earned days off.
4. Total practice hours based on approximate midpoint of range (1513-1913 hours).