

Shelter Medicine Internship/Residency Opportunity

Organization name: Maddie's Shelter Medicine Program at Cornell University

Location: Gorgeous Ithaca, NY

Description of organization:

Academic institution providing consultation, medical and surgical services to local SPCA and others.

Equipment/Facilities:

Teaching hospital, dental, surgical, U/S and other equipment at SPCA, MASH set up for helping local shelters and in PR. Interns responsible for finding their own housing, but cost of living in Ithaca is pretty reasonable.

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Contact person's email: Erin Henry (meh345@cornell.edu)

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Length of internship/residency: 12 months

Internship/Residency salary: \$34,900 for 2020. Cornell University offers a generous benefits package as well: <https://hr.cornell.edu/benefits/>

Vacation days allotted:

10 business days

CE funds:

CE opportunities can be tailored to individual preferences and may be covered by program

Intern/Resident responsibilities or duties:

50 weeks of program service including medical/surgical/on-call services at local SPCA, rotations through other academic services and shelters, 2-3 emergency shifts per month at tertiary care academic hospital, consultation services, and one shelter track conference paid by program. Spayathon4PR participation. Academic program with emphasis on evidence-based medicine and evidence-based protocol creation, attendance in didactic courses and participation in weekly journal club. Research and disaster response opportunities as available.

Please explain what kind of mentorship is available for interns/residents:

Highly mentored program with faculty or supervising veterinarians present or available for consultation at all times. Independent work strongly encouraged.

Links or attachments:

<https://www.vet.cornell.edu/hospitals/maddies-shelter-medicine-program/students/shelter-medicine-internship>

Any additional notes or information: <https://www.facebook.com/CUMSMP/>

Contact information for current intern available upon request.