

# Gap Year Medical Internship

South Bay Vascular Center & Vein Institute | Silicon Valley, CA

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## For future physicians seeking real clinical immersion.

This is not shadowing. This is full integration into a high-volume vascular surgery practice serving Silicon Valley for over 25 years.

## Why This Program Stands Out

- Oldest and most established vascular gap year program in the region
- 18 interns matriculated to U.S. MD schools in the past six years
- Direct mentorship from practicing vascular surgeons
- Weekly medical school-style case discussions
- Real clinical responsibility and patient interaction

## Clinical Experience Includes

- Scribing during patient encounters
- Assisting in in-office procedures
- Scrubbing bedside with vascular surgeons
- Managing EMR documentation and insurance authorizations
- Coordinating with referring physicians
- Participation in clinical research and potential publication

## Program Structure

- Full-time onsite position
- Compensation: \$20–\$30/hour (starting at \$25 based on experience)
- Minimum 18-month commitment (24 months preferred)
- Health insurance and 401(k) eligibility after threshold employment criteria
- Paid time off after one year
- No MCAT study leave – full professional commitment required

## Ideal Candidate

- Completed BA/BS (Pre-med track preferred)
- Minimum GPA 3.5
- U.S. work authorization required
- Strong communication skills and high integrity
- Excellent working knowledge of Excel/Word

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**Locations:** San Jose | Gilroy | Santa Cruz, California

**Positions Available:** 4 Paid Full-Time Roles

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