

Summer Camp - Children's Food & Nutrition Intern Summer Camp Internship in San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties

Potential Placement sites: Each intern will be placed at a different LifeMoves family shelter in the Bay Area, including sites in San Mateo, Menlo Park, Redwood City, Mountain View, San Jose, and Daly City. You may indicate a preference for a specific location in your application.

Time Commitment:

- **10 weeks: June 6th – August 12th** (30 hours/week) about 9:00am-3:30 pm. In person Monday-Thursday. Flexible hours on Fridays and may work remote on Friday.

- **Position Summary**

LifeMoves is the largest nonprofit organization in the San Francisco Bay Area dedicated to helping homeless families and individuals return to permanent housing and self-sufficiency. Summer interns will work toward improving the quality of food, nutrition and wellness services provided at LifeMoves sites.

Focus areas will include USDA meal programs for children, food pantries, and a gardening program.

Expectations/Responsibilities:

- Coordinate programming to help children at our shelters explore nutrition and build excitement around new foods.
- Assist in maintenance of youth gardens and presentation of garden curriculum. (Haven House location)
- Implement the USDA Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) to serve breakfasts and other meals to campers.
- Ensure safety of food offered at summer camp through proper temperature monitoring and kitchen maintenance.
- Create camp activities as a member of our Summer Camp leadership.
- Assist in summer camp activities.
- Assist Children's Services Coordinators (CSCs) with site operations regarding nutrition and health • Complete projects at the shelter site food pantry as assigned.

Position Requirements/Preferred Skills:

- HS Diploma and some college
- Preferred college coursework towards degree in nutrition, public health, health promotion, agriculture or related field
- Passion for public health, food and nutrition
- Basic cooking or gardening skills
- Experience working with children
- Preference for Spanish-speaking
- Strong organizational skills
- Access to personal vehicle

Learning Outcomes:

- Hands-on engagement with the children's program of one of the largest and most effective nonprofit agencies serving homeless populations in the SF Bay Area
- Experience operating a USDA Child Nutrition Program
- Experience in public health nutrition programming and curriculum development
- Experience in the application of behavioral economics or "nudges"
- Insight on the needs of homeless children and their families

- Networking opportunities for career development with LifeMoves staff, donors and volunteers, board members, and partner agencies

Compensation: Unpaid, but we offer a \$100 a week stipend.

Supervisors: Director and Manager of Education Programs