

Pacific Hearing Service Audiology Extern Job Description

The opportunity:

Do you have a desire to work for an inspired private audiology practice working to make a difference in the world? Are you excited about working in an environment that prioritizes best practices and giving back to the community? We are seeking an audiology student extern who is interested in a wide variety of areas for a mostly adult population, including comprehensive audiological evaluations, hearing aid consultations and fittings, cochlear implants, tinnitus management, auditory processing evaluations, hearing conservation, and aural rehabilitation. You will also assist with our nonprofit work locally and have the opportunity to travel to Guatemala on a paid humanitarian service trip as part of your externship year. Being in the heart of Silicon Valley, we strive to implement the latest research and hearing technologies into our practice and collaborate with local tech companies when the opportunities arise.

Our organization has a strong emphasis on training, development, and ongoing learning; our mentorship coupled with your hard work, initiative, teamwork and positive attitude will make you successful in this role.

Your Strengths:

- Curiosity and willingness to learn; open to feedback
- Exceptional in regards to patient care; adhering to best practices
- Great communicator; works well with team members, patients, and vendors
- Detail-oriented and comfortable working in a busy office
- Organized

What You'll be Doing:

- Providing comprehensive audiological evaluations including QuickSIN, tympanometry, acoustic reflexes, otoacoustic emissions and, at times, adult APD and Cognivue screening
- Hearing aid consultations and fittings. We work with six major hearing aid manufacturers and will train you to treat patients with the technology you deem most appropriate.
- Specialty areas: tinnitus management (including Lenire), auditory processing, occasional pediatric diagnostic testing, cochlear implants, and hearing conservation.
- Ongoing side projects such as presentations and webinars to local HLAA chapters and retirement communities and writing articles for our newsletter.
- Providing offsite care in retirement communities.
- Assisting with our local non-profit, Pacific Hearing Connection.



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Your Qualifications:

- Final year in an Au.D. program
- Willingness to embrace our culture and core values
- Keen to learn new skills and technology as needed

Extern Stipend: \$50,000

Benefits: We offer 2 weeks PTO, 401k matching, and the opportunity to join a paid humanitarian hearing service trip to Guatemala with members of our team.

About Us: Pacific Hearing Service was established in 1977 and has grown into a premier private audiology practice with two locations in the heart of Silicon Valley. Our growing team includes 8 Doctors of Audiology, 4 Audiology Assistants, 6 Patient Care Coordinators, and several others in business/operations support. With a strong emphasis on mentorship, innovation, teamwork, and community outreach, our practice provides students with a standout clinical externship.

Experience the best of California living: We are located minutes from the coast, mountains, Stanford University, and the vibrant city life of San Francisco and San Jose. It's an ideal place to learn, explore, and embrace life outside of the clinic.

Enjoy our beautiful weather, hike scenic trails, spend a day at the beach, and explore world-class dining. Looking for weekend getaways? You're just a few hours from iconic destinations like Lake Tahoe, the Napa/Sonoma wine country, Mendocino, and Yosemite - perfect for skiing, hiking, wine tasting, or simply unplugging in nature.

Application Process:

We follow the ACEN Externship timeline. Externship start/end dates to be determined by your academic program calendar.

Please submit your cover letter, resume, and 3 letters of recommendation to Ariel Freundt, Au.D. and Rachel Appleton, Au.D. at externship@pacifichearingservice.com by **9/17/2025**.



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