



CKD INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

What is the CKD Internship Program?

The CKD Internship program allows people with chronic kidney disease, who have been out of the workforce, to take on a trial internship to assess and prepare them to return to the workforce. Interns work approximately two to eight hours per week in an assigned NKFM office to assist with programs and special events.

Who is eligible to apply?

People who have been diagnosed with Chronic Kidney Disease (stages 3-5), are on dialysis, or are a kidney transplant recipient may apply to be an intern. College students with chronic kidney disease are also eligible and encouraged to apply. Applicants must have reliable transportation and be skilled in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel) and internet searching.

How does the CKD Internship Program work?

- You may apply to the program by submitting the CKD Internship Application Form to the CKD Internship Program Coordinator. After reviewing the application, you will be contacted for an interview. If accepted into the program, you will be assigned to an NKFM department based on your previous experience, interests, and desired field of work. You will work under NKFM employee supervision.
- Regular performance evaluations will be conducted between you, your supervisor, and the program coordinator.
- The CKD Internship is 150 hours in duration. It is a one-time only experience.
- A stipend will be issued at the mid-point and completion of the program.



Please note: interns are not guaranteed employment in the community or at NKFM once the internship completes.

For more information, contact **Cynthia Nichols-Jackson** at cnichols-jackson@nkfm.org or **800-482-1455**.