

Alternate Clinical Experience (ACE Day) Choices

You may spend a clinical day in one of the following settings. The purpose and objective of this activity is to increase your awareness of different settings and roles of the nurse, and to increase your understanding of how various members of the health care team interact in the provision of quality, interdisciplinary care. You may participate in care of patients in these settings (according to your scope, including performing clinical skills you have already learned), at the discretion and direction of the RN or other licensed health team member. **Additionally, you are to discover any differences and similarities in the provision of this care to the geriatric patient, as compared to a younger adult patient.**

Admission Unit
Cardiac Cath Lab
Cardiac Rehab
Critical Care Unit
Diabetic Education
Endoscopy Unit
Flex Nurse
Nursing Care Coordinator
Operating Room (may also go to PACU if you wish)
Physical/Occupational Therapy
Radiation Oncology
Respiratory Therapy
Wound Care

You will give a brief verbal report in conference of your experience, geriatric patient care, and description of the role of the nurse/health team member in your ACE Day setting.