



HENRY FORD HEALTHSM

West Bloomfield Hospital

Project SEARCH Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

- October 5 – No Project SEARCH
- October 18 – Early Release
- November 1 – Early Release
- November 2 – Employment Mtg.
- November 8 – No Project SEARCH
- November 15 – Early Release
- November 18 – Half Day – Dismiss 11:30
- November 23,24,25 – No Project SEARCH

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Welcome to Project SEARCH 2022-2023



Nick

Vinny

Ben



Alex

Briana

Busy...Busy...Busy...

As interns prepare to be immersed into real work life experiences, within hospital department rotations, they begin their first month at Project SEARCH learning hospital procedures, being introduced to the habits of highly effective interns, team building, skills assessment and building workplace social and communication skills.



Welcome to the Team - Name Badge Pinning



The Interns became official Henry Ford Health-West Bloomfield Hospital Team Members when receiving their name badge from Business Liaison Christina Trivett. Thank you to Dr. Dania Bazzi, Dr. Kyana Smith, and Andie Briolat for celebrating this moment with the interns. Even Ollie, the 4 ½ year old certified therapy goldendoodle/Project SEARCH Mascot cheered on the interns for this important event.

Your Rotation is...

It was an afternoon filled with excitement and anticipation on September 28th as the interns learned where their first rotations will be within the hospital. Christina Trivett, Business Liaison and Volunteer Services Department Supervisor and Rose Taylor, Volunteer Services Coordinator handed out the assignments. The interns are working with the following departments: endoscopy, patient transportation, supply chain – linen distribution, Henry's Dining, and environmental services.



Congratulations Project SEARCH Class 2020-2021

Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital was recognized for their excellent employment outcomes at the National Project SEARCH Conference in Baltimore, Maryland during the week of July 25th -29th, 2022. The Project SEARCH Team, Skills Instructors – Karen Palmer and Andrea Voorheis along with Program Instructor Leah Mattise were in Baltimore for a week of professional development, collaborating, learning, sharing and celebrating with other programs from Michigan, across the United States and the globe. There are currently 707 Project SEARCH Sites around the world.



Just dropping by...

Project SEARCH alumni Bria Washington stopped in after working the midnight shift at the hospital to offer advice and share her Project SEARCH experience with the new interns.



Congratulations!
Project SEARCH Class of 2022
New Horizons Intern of the Year Award
to Brianna (Bree) Reinke

Bree Reinke will be recognized on Thursday, October 13, 2022 at the New Horizon's 58th Annual Awards Ceremony and Banquet for her outstanding achievement as Project SEARCH Intern of the Year for the Henry Ford West Bloomfield Hospital site. Congratulations Bree! We are thrilled and so very proud of you for this well deserved recognition. Currently, Bree's competitive employment is working in the hospitality department delivering patient meals.



An intern's reflection of her Project SEARCH year...
By: Bree Reinke – 6/2022

Project Search has many teachable moments. Don't criticize others for not doing it your way. Learn from your mistakes to help you improve. Mistakes are lessons. Always stay in your circle of influence. There is a why to your why, and you will always be asked to explain or add more detail. The 7 habits will help you succeed in your rotations because they help you understand others and gives you a higher chance of getting a job. Who would've thought that we could balance a whole water bottle on an index card tower. Working on team building has taught me that playing a game is not all about winning, it is just about having fun with the people you are playing with. You will also have to make compromises sometimes, for example we couldn't always play the same game when one intern wanted their way we had to talk about it and work it out. I've learned to not always stay in my comfort zone and instead step into my courage zone like applying for a job at the hospital and at the Hallmark store. The advice I would offer to the new interns is: Follow the 7 habits because it will help you succeed. Don't worry about the things you can't control because that won't help you in life.



“Do what you love but call it work” ~
Lyric from the song Buy Dirt by Jordan Davis & Luke Bryan

