

**SUMMER ELECTIVES and EXTERNSHIPS – Class of 2018**

The Electives Program is designed to provide additional experiences beyond those offered in the normal curriculum to dental students completing the third year who are in good academic standing. Students may select from one of a number of different discipline areas. The discipline areas, a brief description of the activity, the dates, faculty member to contact, and the course number students should register for are listed below. Unless otherwise indicated, students should register for one credit hour.

<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Course Reg. # Number</b>
Management of Emergency Patients	Students will treat patients presenting to the dental school clinic with dental emergencies.	2-week commitments, scheduled with Dr. J. Gambacorta <i>TBD</i>	Dr. Gambacorta	RDN865 Reg. #20226
Extramural Program (Externships)	Extramural programs are student initiated and offer students the opportunity to observe and or participate in the delivery of health care services in different locations and to different patient populations than might typically be observed in the dental school clinics. Extramural research opportunities such as those offered at the National Institutes of Health or in industry would also be appropriate extramural enrichment activities.	<i>TBD</i>	Dr. Antonson	CLD849 Reg. #19676
Erie County Health Mall	Students will treat patients presenting to the Erie County Health Mall for routine and emergency treatment. The experience is available for 6 students to register for 1 or 2 week blocks.	<i>TBD</i> (Monday-Friday)	Dr. Gambacorta	RDN874 Reg. #20236
Screening	Students will screen new patients presenting to the SDM. Students will be allowed to add two patients to their family for every week of screening they volunteer for.	<i>TBD</i> (Mon.-Wed.-Fri.)	Dr. Gambacorta & Dr. Cantos	RDN875 Reg. #20237

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Independent Study	Students may pursue individualized programs according to their own interests mentored by faculty members.	<i>TBD</i>	Various faculty	Students will register with faculty mentors for independent study
Oral Surgery Externship	Students will perform and observe oral surgical procedures at the School of Dental Medicine, and Erie County Medical Center. Students will attend/participate in conferences and observe in hospital operating room and emergency room settings. A short paper is required, due prior to completion of 3-week rotation.	<i>TBD</i> 3 week commitments scheduled with OS	Dr. Campbell	OSU867RB Reg. #19677
Pediatric Dentistry Externship	Students will treat pediatric patients at the School of Dental Medicine, Women and Children's Hospital, Mercy Hospital, and other sites.	<i>TBD</i>	Dr. Creighton	Concentration students will register for PDO855 Reg. #19674. Other students will register for at least one credit hour of PDO840 Reg. #19447
Periodontics	Students will observe faculty and post graduate students in Periodontics as they see patients in their faculty practice. This program will be developed individually with each student and will involve writing a short paper on his or her experiences.	To be arranged	Dr. Ciancio	PER871SGC Reg. #19678
Research	Students will participate in research projects under the direction of a faculty mentor. Summer research fellowships require full-time participation during the 8-week summer intercession. Therefore, students accepting summer research fellowships may not participate in additional programs.	<i>TBD</i>	As arranged	Students will register for "Research" with their faculty mentor

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AEGD Externship	<p>Students participating in the UB/SDM-AEGD “Externship” will be involved in the direct delivery of patient care. While the clinic is located in the SDM, students will experience delivery of comprehensive care----- through multiple modalities, in a single setting. The program attempts to mimic a private practice environment while affording the student the chance to see how our clinic operates and what a resident’s experience might be. Each participant will be selected for one-week commitment is expected from each participating student. The program is limited to 8 participating (new) 4th-year students who anticipate application to the UB/AEGD Program. Brief interviews will be held once candidates have been identified. Please send an e-mail message expressing your interest----and week(s) of availability 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, or 7/31 to Frank Barnashuk, DDS (Program Dir.) fb2@buffalo.edu AND Joseph Rumfola, DDS (Assoc. Dir) rumfola@buffalo.edu. Application deadline is <b>3/24/17</b>.</p>	7/10-8/4/17	Dr. Barnashuk Dr. Rumfola	RDN873 Reg. #12664