

Are you or someone you know interested in a paid internship with the Dayton Fire Department and Dayton MMRS? If so, please consider applying!

Dayton Fire Department MMRS Internship

This internship provides opportunities for students to gain knowledge and understanding of governmental processes through work experiences in public safety:

The Public Safety Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS) Intern

This position deals primarily with planning and preparedness for disasters, terrorism, mass casualty incidents, and other major events, at both the city and regional levels. The student will have opportunities to work with area hospitals and public health agencies to help the region prepare to respond to large-scale incidents, including the COVID Pandemic response. In addition, students will have the opportunity to interact with, and learn from, experts in various fields including EMS, Public Health, Law Enforcement, Medicine, and others. Interns will not be exposed to patients or other dangers.

Dayton is one of 124 federally designated MMRS cities. MMRS assists hospitals, public health, and public safety agencies in ten west central Ohio counties prepare and respond to terrorist and other mass casualty incidents. The program was created in 1996, in response to the Tokyo Sarin gas attack and the terrorist bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Building in Oklahoma City.

All majors accepted for the internship.

This internship starts the summer semester of 2021, with students beginning in May and serving through May 2022. Interns are expected to work 20 hours per week during the school year and 40 hours per week during the summer.

Any full-time student enrolled at an institution of higher education is eligible to apply for the internship program. Applications accepted immediately but only for a limited time.

How to Apply

All students are hired through the Southwestern Ohio Council for Higher Education's (SOCHE) Intern program. Current postings can be found at: <https://socheinern.org/college-students/>

Once you create an account with SOCHE, you will be able to click on each listing and get more information about it. The Dayton Fire internship can be found by selecting the Public Safety Metropolitan Medical Response System Intern position. Apply now!

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