

Important Note:

This itinerary is available in either Buenos Aires or Cordoba. The following schedule of activities is subject to change and substitution. In order for you to get the most out of the lectures and service learning experience, you should be at least a **low intermediate** level Spanish speaker (approximately 4 semesters of Spanish in college, or 3 years of high school Spanish). If you are currently at a level below low intermediate, you may still apply, but we strongly recommend that you also register for at least an additional 2 weeks of classes prior to the start of the SALUD program.

Please note:

- Clinical shadowing is observation only. You should not expect to gain hands-on experience in the hospital placement. **It is important to remember that you are not licensed in the host country.**
- Buenos Aires is a very large city, so the placement can be located 1.5 hours from the school.

Week #1

Monday

08:00	Oral and written placement test
08:30	Group Spanish Classes
13:00	Lunch Break
14:30	Introduction Workshop

Tuesday - Friday

08:30 - 12:30	Spanish lessons
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch (not included in program price)
14:30 - 15:30	Private Spanish Lessons (focus on Medical Spanish)

Saturday-Sunday

Free Weekend

Week #2

Monday - Friday

08:30 - 12:30	Spanish lessons
12:30 - 14:30	Lunch (not included in program price)
14:30 - 15:30	Private Spanish Lessons (focus on Medical Spanish)

Saturday - Sunday

Free weekend

Week #3

Monday - Friday

Clinical shadowing 20-25 hours per week. Schedule TBD on-site.

Saturday-Sunday

Free weekend

Week #4

Monday - Friday

Clinical shadowing 20-25 hours per week. Schedule TBD on-site.

Saturday

Depart program

Getting There

Participants are responsible for their own transportation to Buenos Aires. We recommend Exito Travel (http://www.amerispan.com/study_abroad_airfare.asp). If you have arranged airport pickup, upon arriving to Buenos Aires, you'll be picked up and taken to your host family. If not, please check your pre-departure package for more details about how to arrive to the host family. Students should plan to arrive on Sunday and depart on Saturday. If participants need to arrive a few days earlier or stay a few days later, this is possible at an additional cost.

Re-Cap of What's Included:

- Flight information due
- 2 weeks group Spanish classes (20 hrs/wk) or equivalent
- 9 hrs private Spanish classes (some emphasis on medical vocabulary)
- Private room with host family
- Breakfast & Dinner daily
- 40-50 hours of Clinical Shadowing
- Overnight weekend excursions (optional at an additional cost)
- Afternoon activities (subject to change)
- Orientation tour & materials
- Travel Assistance Program
- Emergency message service

Suggested Donations (optional):

- Gloves
- Hair Nets
- Booties
- Sterile Gauze Pads
- Band-Aids
- Stethoscopes
- Suture Kits
- Gowns
- LP Kits
- Used Eyeglasses
- Vitamins (like Centrum multi-vitamins)
- Aspirin, Ranitidine or other non-prescription drugs (small amounts)

Required Wardrobe:

- Scrubs or white lab coat
- Stethoscope