

## Important Note:

The following schedule of visits, activities, and excursions is subject to change and substitution. In order for you to get the most out of the lectures and hands-on experience, you should be at least a **Low Intermediate** level Spanish speaker (approximately 3 semesters of Spanish in college, or 2 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.

Although clinical observation experiences tend to be mostly shadowing, they may vary from strictly observational/shadowing to more hands on. The amount of hands on work you do during your clinical observation component will depend on your current language and medical skills as well as the organization's needs and your ability to integrate. **It is important to remember that you are not licensed in the host country.**

### Week #1

#### Sunday

Arrive to Santiago. If you arranged for airport pickup, you will be met by your host family.

#### Monday

08:00 Placement test and begin private classes  
09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lesson focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Tuesday

09:00-13:00 Clinical Shadowing/Observation placement (hours vary by clinic)  
14:00-15:00 Private lesson focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Wednesday

09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Thursday

09:00-13:00 Clinical Shadowing/Observation placement (hours vary by clinic)  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Friday

09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Saturday - Sunday

Free Weekend. Weekend trips are offered by the school for an additional cost. These may include vineyard tours, trekking, rafting and trips to the beach.

### Week #2

#### Monday

08:00 Placement test and begin private classes  
09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lesson focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Tuesday

09:00-13:00 Clinical Shadowing/Observation placement (hours vary by clinic)  
14:00-15:00 Private lesson focusing on Medical Terminology

#### Wednesday

09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology



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## Thursday

09:00-13:00 Clinical Shadowing/Observation placement (hours vary by clinic)  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology

## Friday

09:00-13:00 General Spanish classes in groups  
14:00-15:00 Private lessons focusing on Medical Terminology

\*\*\* You may book additional weeks of the same schedule for the price outlined in our materials.

## Saturday of final week

Breakfast in homestay  
Depart program

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### Getting There:

Participants are responsible for their own transportation to Santiago. We recommend Exito Travel ([http://www.amerispan.com/study\\_abroad\\_airfare.asp](http://www.amerispan.com/study_abroad_airfare.asp)). 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 per day cost.

### Re-Cap of What's Included:

- 2 weeks 12 hrs/week Group classes
- 5 hrs/week private classes for medical terminology
- 8 hrs/week Clinical Shadowing (observation)
- Private room with host family
- Breakfast and Dinner Daily
- 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:

- White lab coat
- Stethoscope
- No piercings
- Long hair must be tied back