

Masa MDA

Israel Experience, in collaboration with Magen David Adom, is offering a long term program for participants between the ages of 18-30. This program will join the hundreds of programs that are run by Masa Israel Journey. Masa MDA is a unique program, offering participants professional hands on experience in medicine. The participants will intern on Magen David Adom ambulances and have the opportunity to become part of the national ambulance organization – Magen David Adom.

As part of the program, the participants will take a Medics course through MDA. This will be combined with Hebrew Language Ulpan classes geared specifically for medical professions. At the end of the course, the participants (newly certified medics) will intern at various Magen David Adom stations throughout Israel. Through this internship, participants will be exposed to the diverse populations of Israeli society. As part of the program, participants will also participate in the MDA Instructors course. This will train them to become instructors for MDA and they will join the instructor's wing of MDA. After successfully completing the Instructors course, the participants will also intern and help instruct during the MDA course run by the MDA Overseas Program.

During the 4.5 months of the program, participants will have the opportunity to tour Israel. They will benefit from educational programming about Israel, Israel's society, Judaism, peoplehood, history of Jewish nation, Israeli and Jewish culture.

Eligibility

- Ages 18-30
- High school graduate
- Masa MDA online application; including clear medical history and all required vaccines
- No need for previous medical knowledge
- Basic conversational Hebrew
- Independent and motivated
- All nationalities are welcome

What's included in the program:

- Four week Medics course in Jerusalem
- Internships at MDA stations in central Israel – Tel Aviv, Ramat Gan, etc.
- Instructors course in Jerusalem
- Internships at MDA stations in northern Israel – Haifa, Krayot, etc.
- Professional experience as an Instructor for the MDA Overseas Program
- Trips to the North, South and Jerusalem
- Educational Programming

Living arrangements:

Masa MDA participants will live in rented apartments in Jerusalem and Haifa. In Tel Aviv they will live in dorm-style housing.

Program Dates:

	Registration Closes	Start of Program	End of Program
Spring 2018	01/01/2018	05/02/2018	28/06/2018
Fall 2018	01/08/2018	04/09/2018	31/01/2019

Medical Insurance:

The participants will be provided with full medical insurance in Israel including work accident coverage.

Cost: \$9,900.

Price includes:

- MDA Courses
- Housing for the entire duration of the program
- Monthly bus pass for transportation in the city you are living
- Full Medical Insurance
- Trips around Israel
- Educational programming
- Staff accompanying the program