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Grand Valley State University attracts more than 25,000 students with high-quality programs and state-of-the-art facilities.

A strong liberal education serves as the foundation for Grand Valley's 86 undergraduate and 33 graduate programs, fostering critical thinking, creative problem solving, and cultural understanding. Through personalized learning enhanced by active scholarship, we accomplish our mission of educating students to shape their lives, their professions, and the societies.

Grand Valley students don't just learn skills; they learn how to think—for a lifetime.



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**PRECEPTOR
PERKS
PROGRAM**



The Perks

In addition to the rewards inherent in teaching and mentoring a future health

professional, preceptors are entitled to a number of perks through Grand Valley State University.

Here are some of the additional benefits you will receive as a preceptor:

- **Gratis university title**
Affiliated Clinical Faculty
- **GVSU identification badge**
- **GVSU Library privileges**
On-campus and online access to 1,400 textbooks, journals, references, articles, and medical databases.
- **Fieldhouse/Recreation Center access**
Indoor track, weights, aerobic equipment, swimming pool, racquetball and basketball courts, and more on the Allendale Campus.
- **CME/CE offered through GVSU**
Free registration to the annual West Michigan Interprofessional Education Initiative Conference.
- **GVSU employee community discounts**
Special offers for optical services, entertainment, health clubs, restaurants, resorts, auto repair, and much more.

Precepting Benefits Everyone

As a preceptor with Grand Valley, you are looked upon as a teacher and mentor.

GVSU students are highly motivated to learn; being a teacher and mentor to our students is extremely rewarding.

Preceptors not only provide students with an invaluable exposure to the "real world" of health care, but also influence the opinions and attitudes students carry throughout their career.

How You Will Help Students

As a preceptor, you will provide both teaching and professional role modeling for the student. Preceptors supervise students' clinical activities and monitor their educational process. Specifically, you will assign patients, observe clinical skills, review documentation and serve as a resource for clinical questions and provide guidance.

How You Will Benefit

Clinical teaching encourages you to seek out and organize new knowledge. Yet, in

spite of thorough preparation, students will push your expertise to its limits and compel you to reflect on your own limitations. Engaging in this process regularly can result in greater learning than teaching, making you a better practicing professional and providing patients with better quality of care overall.

In addition to the personal satisfaction of preparing the next generation of skilled workers, there are professional and personal incentives Grand Valley State University offers in return for sharing your invaluable expertise with our students. The Preceptor Perks program is specifically designed for our preceptors with the hope that you will take advantage of all it has to offer.



To register for the Preceptor Perk Program, visit the
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