

Summer Research Opportunity for Undergraduate Student



Through NL SUPPORT's NUTRA program, Dr. Shabnam Asghari from the Faculty of Medicine (Division of Family Medicine) is seeking a Memorial University **undergraduate student** to co-apply for a 16-week summer research employment opportunity.

The patient-oriented research project involves a comprehensive review of patient engagement activities within the [SurgeCon](#) emergency department improvement initiative. The student will compile data from survey responses, internal reports, patient feedback, meeting minutes, publications, and presentations to create a database detailing patient partner contributions over the five-year study.

Students should have skills in critical reading and writing; prior experience writing for publication or reporting would be preferred. They should also be familiar with Microsoft Excel and Word. They will be introduced to Microsoft Teams, but it is not a requirement to have used it previously. Knowledge of the Zotero referencing software would also be considered an asset. The student will gain hands-on experience in collaborative research and patient-centred healthcare improvement efforts. This project is ideal for students interested in healthcare and patient-centered care.

Interested students can reach out to Dr. Shabnam Asghari and Anna Walsh, surgecon@mun.ca; anna.walsh@mun.ca, before **April 11, 2025**, to provide the following:

- Resume
- One-page (max) statement regarding their interest in this opportunity and [patient-oriented research](#)

