NOTE: STUDENTS MUST GET TO McALLEN BY 5PM FOR CHECK-IN. NO ONE IS AVAILABLE AFTER 5PM UNLESS IT'S AN EMERGENCY.

HOW TO GET TO McALLEN AND THE CLINIC:
Take I-37 South from San Antonio.
Exit 281-South near Three Rivers, Exit 72.
Go south on 281 through Three Rivers, George West, Alice, Premont, & Falfurrias.
As you enter Edinburg, stay on Highway 281 instead of exiting Business 281.
Once you reach Pharr, take the McAllen Exit, West 83.
Go West 83 and exit Col. Rowe (2nd Street).
Travel frontage and turn right on 2nd Street.
At the light, turn right and go south to Ridge Road.
Take a left on Ridge Road. Travel Ridge Road to Cynthia and turn right at the light. Take a right on Cynthia. The Clinic is on the corner of Cynthia and Toronto.

HOW TO GET TO THE HOUSE FROM THE CLINIC:
From the corner of Cynthia and Ridge Road, take a left onto Ridge Rd.
At Col. Rowe (2nd St.), take a right.
Continue north on 2nd St. to Pecan Street.
Take a right on Pecan St. to 1st Street.
At 1st Street light, take a right.
It's a red brick house on the left corner of East Maple. There is no visible house #.

THE HOUSE:
The house has 3 individually keyed bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 car garage, washer/dryer, and a security system. The house is furnished with:
• Basic living room, dining, and bedroom furniture
• Dishes, pots & pans, silverware, & cooking utensils
• Coffee pot, mixer, & microwave
• Cleaning supplies
• Wireless internet and cable ready

YOU NEED TO BRING:
• Full size sheets and comforter
• Pillows
• Bath towels
• Toiletries including toilet paper
• Paper plates and cups if you don’t want to wash dishes
• Trash bags
• Alarm clock
• VCR, computer, and answering machine are optional (none are provided)
TELEPHONE:
The house number is (956) 682-7413. Long distance numbers are blocked on the house phone. You are able to dial 800-numbers in order to use prepaid or credit card phone cards.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL:
Blue Garbage Container is for all RECYCLABLES: paper, plastics, & glass. Black Garbage Container is for other TRASH.

IMPORTANT PLACES:
Please keep in mind these are just a few places:

- **Grocery Stores:** HEB- 3601 Pecan Blvd.- 971-9881
- **Dry Cleaners:** Dry Clean USA- 1001 S. 10th Street- 631-2727
- **SuperCenters:** Wal-Mart- 1200 E. Jackson- 686-4311
  Target- 703 E. Exp. 83- 682-2611
- **Car Wash:** Paradise Car Wash- 1050 S. 10th- 682-9670
- **Athletic Club:** Summit Sports Club- 1500 W. Hall Acres- 630-2722 ($10/week)
- **Movie Theaters:** Hollywood USA- Nolana btw 2nd & 10th- 682-5503
  Tinsletown USA- Exp. 83 in Mission- 583-1960
  Dollar Cinema- El Centro Mall- 787-3259
- **Library:** McAllen Memorial Library- 601 N. Main- 682-4531
- **Restaurants:**
  - **Mexican:** Casa Del Taco- 10th & Houston- 631-8193
  - **Seafood:** Red Lobster- Exp. 83 east of 10th- 687-7323
    Joe's Crab Shack- Exp. 83 & McColl- 668-9922
  - **Sushi:** Kumori- 400 Nolana- 618-5677
  - **Chinese:** Lotus Inn- 10th north of Tamarak- 631-2913
    China Inn- 10th across from Mall- 686-2328
  - **Japanese:** Samuria- 10th south of Pecan- 686-0444
    Shogun- N. 10th next to HEB- 682-1115
  - **Barbecue:** Texas T- 10th and Nolana- 668-8398
    Lone Star BBQ- Bus. 83 & 2nd- 686-7113
  - **Steaks:** Outback- Bus. 83 & Jackson- 618-0577
    Tony Roma's- 10th across from Mall- 631-2121
  - **Hamburgers:** Pepper's- 10th & Violet- 631-2082
    Tom & Jerry's- 10th north of Bus 83- 687-3001
    Fuddruckers- Nolana west of McColl- 631-3833
  - **American:** Chili's- Exp 83 next to MMC- 971-0213
    The Mill- 10th & Nolana- 686-6847
    Friday's- 10th & Nolana- 668-8443
MEXICO:
Reynosa: Go south on 23rd Street until you get to the border. Park on the US side and walk across. El Mercado is great for shopping. La Mansion and La Fogata are nice restaurants. Always go in groups! It might help to ask for directions to where you want to go beforehand.
Progreso: Go east on Expressway 83 to Weslaco. There will be a Mexico exit. Take a right and go south to the border. Park on the US side and walk across. There is only one major street for shopping and eating.

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND (1 1/2 hour trip):
Go east on Expressway 83 towards Harlingen. After Harlingen, exit the South Padre Island Exit. If you get to Brownsville, you missed the exit. Upon exiting Exp. 83, take a left at the intersection. Continue through Los Fresnos and Port Isabel. You won't have any trouble finding a good restaurant or things to do.

THE BASICS:
You will have ten half days a week distributed variously into Clinic, Geriatrics, Preceptorship, Didactics. There will be noon conferences almost every day and most times lunch is usually provided during the conference.