Introduction
- Internship responsibilities and opportunities:
  - Assisting staff members with research projects
  - Shadowing physicians
  - Attending ethics committee meetings

Internship Objective
Through this internship, I had the opportunity to observe how bioethics principles are applied in both research and clinical settings. My objective was to learn about the various ways in which bioethics influences decision making in legal, academic, and health care professions.

Research Topics
- Legal: spousal consent in assisted reproduction, legality of implementing assessments for aging physicians, mandatory vaccination laws
- Health care: AI in health care and algorithmic bias, ethics of elective surgery on intersex infants

Internship Activities & Reflections
- During my internship, I was able to help the staff at the Center for Bioethics with research related to their respective work as medical school professors, lawyers, physicians, and ethicists.
- My projects were often literature reviews or compilations of statute texts, which provided background information for conference presentations or for hospital projects in which staff members were asked to consult.
- I also pursued research of my own, and published my findings about the history of mandatory vaccination laws on the Einstein Medical School blog.

Applications
- I hope to apply what I learned through this internship by continuing to study bioethics in an academic context and by pursuing bioethics in my future career, either as a field of study or as an aspect of my planned career as a physician.

Questions
- How do bioethics consult services at other hospitals and in other regions tailor their programs to their communities?

Conclusion
- This internship broadened my understanding of bioethics, especially in a clinical context.

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