Child Family Health International

La Paz, Bolivia

Summer 2009
About CFHI

• College and medical school students
• Focus on pediatric health care
• Hospitals
• 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
• Spanish Classes
• Weekly presentations from Bolivian doctors
In the Hospitals

• Perform patient exams
• Scrub into surgeries
• Interact with patients, doctors and interns
• Learn about Bolivians’ attitudes toward health care
Alalay

• Home for street children
• Two homes in La Paz
• Protection and Prevention programs
• Two hours in the afternoons
Life at Home

• Homestay
• Cholita
• Fresh food daily
• Internet and shopping
• Gyms
• Taxis and minibuses
• Soccer
Leisure

Yuncamarca

Tihuanacu

Machu Picchu

Uyuni

Salsa

Lake Titicaca

Coroico

Peña
Why Apply for CFHI in La Paz?

• Interact with patients and doctors that pre-meds rarely have in the U.S.
  – Exams, surgeries
• Learning about another culture
  – Medical, social, political and economic factors
• Awesome people
• Travel

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