### **Community/Public Health**

## UNDERGRADUATE PUBLIC HEALTH INTERN

Duties may include, but are not limited to: working with various community agencies and facilities to increase their knowledge of public health concepts and services; participating in establishing ongoing education services in areas of recognized need; functioning as a public health advocate in group and individual settings; providing support in initiating programs in health education; assisting in compiling data for use in educational programs; assisting in the selection, preparation, and distribution of health education materials; providing support in creating and staffing exhibits and displays. May work on projects related to public health accreditation, including staff education, public health systems analysis and development, internal policy development, research on best practices, and group presentations.

REQUIREMENTS	<ul> <li>Must be enrolled in public/community health or related program in an accredited college or university</li> <li>100 hour minimum</li> </ul>
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018

#### **Emergency Preparedness**

# PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS INTERN

(Public Health Emergency Preparedness) Duties may include, but are not limited to: working with various community agencies and facilities to increase their knowledge of public health emergency preparedness concepts and services; participating in establishing ongoing education services in areas of recognized need; functioning as a public health advocate in group and individual settings; providing support in initiating programs in health education; assisting in compiling data for use in educational programs; assisting in the selection, preparation, and distribution of health education materials; providing support in creating and staffing exhibits and displays. Assisting PHEP staff as needed

REQUIREMENTS	<ul> <li>Must be enrolled in public health emergency preparedness program in an accredited college or university</li> <li>100 hour minimum</li> </ul>
AVAILABILITY	Open for Spring 2018

#### **Environmental Health**

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH INTERN

Duties include observing environmental health specialists (EHS) as they complete their duties and working on tasks/projects as developed and assigned by the environmental health supervisor. Other duties may include assisting EHS staff during inspections, surveys and investigations. The intern will be under direct supervision of a Registered Environmental Health Specialist.

REQUIRE-	Must be enrolled in public/environmental health or biological science program in an accred-
MENTS	ited college or university
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018

#### Nursing & Medical Assisting

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE INTERN

Works under PHN or program supervisor; duties depend on assigned program. May manage caseload of clients in applicable program. Observational experiences in other Public Health programs may be arranged. Specific program duties may include, but are not limited to:

**Family Planning/Prenatal (FP/PN):** Observe FP/PN health checkups. May assist with female health checks under supervision of PHN. Assist in nurse consultations with clients, including prenatal and reproductive health education.

**Sexually Transmitted Infections (STI):** Observe STI health screening, client education, checkups, and treatment. May assist with nurse triage and treatment functions.

**Early Childhood Nursing (ECN):** Assist and/or observe Babies First and CaCoon home visits and follow-up. May require being driven to the home visit or driving to the home visit if managing a caseload(s).

REQUIREMENTS	Must be enrolled in an approved nursing program
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018

## PUBLIC HEALTH AIDE INTERN

Serve as the first contact with a patient, taking blood pressure or medical histories, draw blood, process lab specimens. May also perform health screenings, set up exam rooms, sterilize instruments, pack lab specimens, appropriate cleaning and decontamination, assist Nurse Practitioners, and document in charts. Student will work in the Family Planning & Prenatal Clinic and the STI clinic.

REQUIREMENTS	Must be enrolled in a medical assistant program; bilingual skills (English/Spanish)
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018

#### Nutrition

## NUTRITION EDUCATOR INTERN

Lactation Program: Learning about lactation services offered through the WIC program at MCHD. Assisting with Peer Counselor Breastfeeding program and assisting the lactation consultant with the preparation of the World Breastfeeding Week Celebration (for summer interns). Aiding in Peer Counselor classes, helping organize materials for World Breastfeeding Celebration, supporting WIC breastfeeding services in a clerical support capacity in the recording/tracking of breastpumps or data entry related to breastfeeding duration/exclusivity. Phone calls to clients.

**Nutrition Program:** Assist with the planning, development and delivery of nutrition education for WIC clients. Participate in delivering nutrition education at group sessions for WIC clients and presentation to WIC staff on identified nutrition or health topic. Student may also identify sources of education materials.

REQUIREMENTS	Must be enrolled in public/community health, Dietetics or related program in an accred- ited college or university
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018

## NUTRITION SPECIALIST INTERN—FDNP

**Farmer's Market Program:** Understand general WIC services, especially in FDNP (Farmer Direct Nutrition Program). Participate in delivering nutrition education at Farmer's Market locations and at WIC office. Assists with distribution of FDNP vouchers and educates clients on voucher use. Assists with inventory management of vouchers and related supplies. Performs data entry on WIC-provided laptop.

\*Only available during summer months (May to September)

REQUIREMENTS	Must be enrolled in public/community health or related program in an accredited college or university
AVAILABILITY	Open for Winter and Spring 2018