

Texas Department of State Health Services

Internship Description

Office of Practice and Learning DSHS Internships

Internship Title: Public Health Commun	nications & Dev	velopment Intern		
Internship Locations TX 78223 In Person	ary, San Antonio		eptor Name and Title: ina Prieto, Community ons	
Brief Description				
team to develop the 5 communication skills.	01c3 Voluntee The intern will with internal This internshi isparities withi	er Services Council I have the opportu and external audion p is a great opport in the patient popu	(VSC) nity to ences, tunity t ulation,	and
Approximate Total Weekly Hours: 20-30 hours negotiable	Paid: □Yes ⊠No	DSHS Division: Regional Local He Operations	ealth	Program: Texas Center for Infectious Disease
Disciplines of Public	Health			
☐ Biostatistics/Data A		☐ Epidemiology		
	⋈ Health Communication		ning	☐ Health Administration
☐ Environmental Health		☐ Research		□ Program Evaluation
☐ Policy Analysis and Development		☐ Other: Click or tap here to enter text.		
Internship Details				
Intern Activities				
editorial calendars • Collaborate with st	to promote VSC taff on new idea:	C engagement s and directions for v	vebsite	as, create weekly and monthly and social media platforms, ealth and TB/Hansen's
Collaborate with platforms, updat			ns for w	ebsite and social media
Create graphics content for internal and external audiences				
Participate in weekly patient and staff engagement events.				
Intern Deliverables				

Marketing collateral related to community events such as: annual 5k, community thrift store, and summer holidays.

Maintain social media presence, review health education material and presentations, and request donation support from community organizations.

As part of an end-of-semester celebration of the interns, the intern will give a brief PowerPoint or poster presentation of their project and experience to an audience of DSHS staff and university partners.

Applicant Qualifications

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Required	Skill					
	WordExcel					
	☐ Statistical Analysis applications (SPSS, STATA, etc.)					
	☐ Tableau or similar applications					
	 ☑ Other software applications Academic Level Bachelor's level student with education in public health, 					
	communications/marketing, or related field					
	Any other skills required (soft or technical)					
	Ability to work independently and meet deadlines, ability to communicate					
	well with team members, experience working with the community					
	(volunteer/community service experience), experience with Microsoft					
	Publisher, Canva, and/or other graphic design software					
Preferred	Skill					
	⊠ Word					
	⊠ Excel					
	□ PowerPoint					
	☐ Statistical Analysis applications (SPSS, STATA, etc.)☐ Tableau or similar applications					
	□ Other software applications					
	Canva, website building software					
	Academic Level					
	Undergraduate or graduate Any other skills required (soft or technical)					
	Experience with graphics creation, creation and distribution of formal					
	communication to the public, strong verbal and written communication					
	skills.					

Application Instructions

Qualified and interested applicants must submit the following items to the contact below:

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	☐ Letter of Interest	☐ Two letters of recommendation Instructions: Letters from current or former supervisor or faculty members (in lieu of reference checks).		
⊠ Resume	☐ Writing Sample	☐ Other documents: Click or tap here to enter text.		

Contact Information

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