



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Mel & Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health

Organization Name:

University of Arizona College of Public Health, Community Engagement and Outreach

Organization Background:

The Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health is dedicated to promoting the health of individuals and communities in the southwest and globally with an emphasis on achieving health equity through excellence in education, research & service. MEZCOPH has a long, successful partnership with the Pima County Health Department, with both organizations working together to meet the health needs of the community. This project will allow MEZCOPH to build an even stronger relationship with Pima County Health Department by offering more opportunities for faculty and staff to collaborate within the community.

Internship Project Title

Mini-Public Health School Internship

Project Description:

The University of Arizona Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health (MEZCOPH) is looking for intern assistance with a special project in partnership with the Pima County Health Department (PCHD). PCHD and MEZCOPH are formalizing a long-standing set of relationships by establishing an Academic Health Department (AHD). The AHD will connect public health academia and practice to improve public health practice.

A key component of the AHD is the creation of a mini-public health school.

Monthly, a MEZCOPH faculty member will present their research and/or community-based initiatives to PCHD and MEZCOPH staff, faculty, students, and community members at the mini-public health school.

The public health intern will work closely with MEZCOPH's Outreach and Engagement Coordinator to meet with each faculty presenter (12 faculty total) to determine the learning objectives and core competency areas to be addressed in each faculty's presentation. The intern will compile the information into a one-page report to be distributed at the mini-health school sessions. Additionally, the intern will be responsible for creating one-page handouts advertising each mini-public health school session.

The internship can be completed for 3 or 6 credits. The intern must possess excellent communication and organizational skills.

Internship project keywords (check all that apply). These keywords help students search for internships in our database based on their areas of interest:

☐ Health Disparities

☐ Public Health Preparedness

- ☒ Collaborations with Community
- ☒ Collaborations with University
- ☐ Community health service
- ☐ Physical Activity
- ☐ Substance Abuse
- ☐ Mental Health
- ☐ Access to care
- ☐ Nutrition
- ☐ Reproductive/Sexual Health
- ☐ Environmental Health
- ☐ Maternal/Infant Health

- ☐ Tobacco Use
- ☐ Injury/Violence Prevention
- ☐ Immunization
- ☐ Infectious Disease
- ☐ Oral Health
- ☐ Evaluation
- ☐ Policy Development
- ☒ Program Planning
- ☐ Data Analysis
- ☐ Other Click or tap here to enter text.

When: When do you want the work done? Check all that apply.

- ☒ Fall Semester
- ☐ Spring Semester
- ☒ Summer Term
- ☐ I want this listing to remain active indefinitely and we will accept applications from students for any upcoming semester.
- ☒ This listing is only for a specific semester/term: Summer 2019 – Fall 2019

Ideally we would like the intern to start in May 2019. This internship can be completed over the summer or can extend through the fall 2019 semester.

Where:

Organization Mailing Address: University of Arizona College of Public Health, 1295 N. Martin Ave, Tucson, AZ 85724

- ☒ Check here if the student may have the option to work remotely from a site not listed above for all or part of this project.

Student Characteristics:

We are looking for an organized, driven undergraduate student with excellent communication and writing skills. The student will have the opportunity to work closely with MEZCOPH's leading researchers and public health practitioners.

Level of Expertise Needed:

- ☐ MPH
- ☒ Undergraduate
- ☐ Either

Supervision

Emily Waldron, Outreach and Engagement Coordinator
ewaldron@email.arizona.edu

Compensation/Benefits

The student will have the opportunity to meet with Pima County Health Department and MEZCOPH leaders.

Application Contact Information

Please submit a resume to Emily Waldron, ewaldron@email.arizona.edu, and a paragraph explaining interest in the internship.