



Organization Name:

Department of Family and Community Medicine

Organization Background:

The University of Arizona Department of Family and Community Medicine is one of the top-ranking family medicine programs in the country, known for outstanding pre-doctoral and post-doctoral education, ground-breaking research, and innovative community outreach programs designed to improve the health of individuals, families and communities in our region and beyond.

DFCM website: <http://www.fcm.arizona.edu/>

Internship Project Title

Helpers Stay Quit

Project Description:

Despite development of relapse prevention interventions ranging in intensity from extended counseling and/or pharmacotherapy to minimal interventions (e.g. mailed booklets), overall long-term success rates of smoking quit attempts remains low. To date, relapse prevention interventions have focused on the newly abstinent smoker (abstainer), and not attempted to directly or indirectly influence the abstainer's personal network, e.g. by helping the abstainer influence others in their personal network to quit.

The student intern will assist in parsing through our existing database by correcting obtained data (e.g. names, phone numbers, e-mail addresses, mailing addresses, etc.) and telephonically contacting potential study participants to determine eligibility or ineligibility for study.

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 | ☐ Nutrition |
| ☐ Public Health Preparedness | ☐ Reproductive/Sexual Health |
| ☐ Collaborations with Community | ☐ Environmental Health |
| ☐ Collaborations with University | ☐ Maternal/Infant Health |
| ☐ Community health service | ☐ Tobacco Use |
| ☐ Physical Activity | ☐ Injury/Violence Prevention |
| ☐ Substance Abuse | ☐ Immunization |
| ☐ Mental Health | ☐ Infectious Disease |
| ☐ Access to care | ☐ 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 2017

☐Spring Semester 2018

☐Summer 2018

☐I want this listing to remain active indefinitely and we will accept applications from students for any upcoming semester.

Where:

Organization Mailing Address: U of A Collaboratory at the Herbert K. Abrams Public Health Center 3950 S Country Club Rd #330 Tucson, AZ 85714

Address where Student will work (if different from above):

☐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:

A person comfortable with working autonomously but occasionally with a partner or a small team, punctual and able to effectively manage time, open to being on the phone for a majority of the time (making outbound telephone calls) and good writing skills. Available Monday-Friday, no weekends, no more than 20 hours per week.

Level of Expertise Needed:

☐MPH

☐Undergraduate

☐Either

Supervision

Monique Martinez-Quiros, MS is a Senior Research Specialist on the DFCM Research Team and would be the individual providing supervision to the intern. Monique has experience being a preceptor for a previous undergraduate student at the CPH.

Compensation/Benefits

At this time, a stipend is not available; however, student could be included in publications.

Application Contact Information

Contact: Monique Martinez-Quiros, MS, Senior Research Specialist at mmm2@email.arizona.edu with resume, cover letter and unofficial transcripts.