

Internship Title: Community Health Services Intern			
Internship Location: In-Person or Virtual		Preceptor Name and Title: Dane Bossert, Education Specialist	
Brief Description			
Under the supervision of Public Health Region (PHR) 6/5S Community Health Services (program manager and) department, intern will perform public health activities related to addressing food insecurity in rural counties. The intern will lead efforts to perform an audit of current food security resources in the region. Work involves identifying geographic and demographic gaps in regional summer feeding programs through online research, as well as surveying current servicers to determine possible areas of improvement. Intern will also create a map/presentation to display results of audit and provide recommendations for future intervention. Duties will include calling and emailing schools and community organizations, working with supervisor to create a survey tool, organizing and assessing data, and creating a visual display of results.			
Approximate Total Weekly Hours: 15-20	Paid: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	DSHS Division: RLHO	Program: PHR Region 6/5S

Disciplines of Public Health

<input type="checkbox"/> Biostatistics/Data Analytics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Epidemiology	<input type="checkbox"/> Health Promotion
<input type="checkbox"/> Health Communication	<input type="checkbox"/> Program Planning	<input type="checkbox"/> Health Administration
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Health	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Evaluation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Policy Analysis and Development	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: Click or tap here to enter text.	

Internship Details

Intern Activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research regional summer feeding programs online and contact their administrators Develop a questionnaire to collect data about food coverage gaps Generate a map/visual displaying result of research Other project duties as needed. Click or tap here to enter text.
Intern Deliverables
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Detailed map/list of regional summer feeding programs and their coverage area

- Survey tool for gathering information about feeding programs
- Recommendations for addressing food insecurity in light of collected data

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

Required	Skill
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microsoft Office: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Word <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excel <input type="checkbox"/> PowerPoint
	<input type="checkbox"/> Statistical Analysis applications (SPSS, STATA, etc.)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tableau or similar applications
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other software applications
	Academic Level MA/MPH Student
	Any other skills required (soft or technical) Click or tap here to enter text.
Preferred	Skill
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microsoft Office: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Word <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PowerPoint
	<input type="checkbox"/> Statistical Analysis applications (SPSS, STATA, etc.)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tableau or similar applications
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other software applications Mapping/GIS
	Academic Level MPH Student
	Any other skills required (soft or technical) Click or tap here to enter text.

Application Instructions

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

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Interest	<input type="checkbox"/> Two letters of recommendation Instructions: Letters from current or former supervisor or faculty members (in lieu of reference checks).
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resume	<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Sample	<input type="checkbox"/> Other documents: Click or tap here to enter text.

Contact Information

Contact Name and Information	Name: Craig Gilden Credentials: MEd Title: Education Coordinator Email: internships@dshs.texas.gov
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