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Internship Description

Office of Practice and Learning
DSHS Internships

Internship Title: Perinatal Health Regional Internship (PHR6/5S Community Health Services)		Preceptor Name, Title: Romyssa Hashim, MPH Program Specialist II Community Health Services
Location (City/Region): 5425 Polk Street, Houston, Texas 77023 (Houston/PHR6/5s)	Division, Program: RLHO PHR 6/5 South, Community Health Service	In Person: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally <input type="checkbox"/> Frequently <input type="checkbox"/> Fully
Brief Description <p>The purpose of this practicum is to provide students with the opportunity to apply public health knowledge to inform maternal child health practice in the community. Information gathered will inform ongoing perinatal health promoting efforts in the region. Learning objectives include (1) explore Title V perinatal health performance measures, (2) apply evidence-informed and evidence-based approaches to public health practice, (3) gain experience in the planning and management of population-based health programs. Intern may work remotely but will be required to come to the Houston regional office to receive and return a laptop at the beginning and end of their internship, respectively.</p>		
Hours/Week: <input type="checkbox"/> 5 – 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 – 15 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 15 – 20 <input type="checkbox"/> Variable	Preferred Academic Level: <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Masters <input type="checkbox"/> No Preference	

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Disciplines

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research/Data Analytics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Epidemiology	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Promotion
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Communication/Marketing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Evaluation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Administration
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Biostatistics	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Policy Analysis and Development	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	

Internship Details

Intern Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">Develop a public health assessment plan to explore regional perinatal Title V effortsSelect and implement quantitative or qualitative methods to understand MCH focus area (e.g. surveys, interviews)

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- Interpret results and summarize findings to inform public health practice in the region

Intern Deliverables

- Summary of evidence-informed recommendations
- Visual representation of results (e.g. graphs)
- Presentation of results to participants

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.

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What will the intern produce or complete at the end of the internship?

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 checked="" 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 Currently enrolled college student pursuing a degree in a health-related major
	Any other skills required (soft or technical)
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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Statistical Analysis applications (SPSS, STATA, etc.)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tableau or similar applications
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other software applications
	Academic Level Masters
	Any other skills required (soft or technical)

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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"/> Other documents: Cl.
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resume	<input type="checkbox"/> Writing Sample	
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Contact Information

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