

**Health Career Connection  
2016 Summer Internship Program  
Application Now Open**

The Health Career Connection 2016 Summer Internship Program Application is now open! The deadline for submission is **February 8, 2016**. Please visit our website at [www.healthcareers.org](http://www.healthcareers.org) to learn more and click [here](#) to access the application!

**About Health Career Connection**

Health Career Connection (HCC) is a comprehensive professional development program that provides paid summer internships to undergraduates and recent graduates in the field of public health and health care. HCC offers the unique opportunity for interns to gain exposure, hands-on experience, and mentorship through internships in a variety of settings in healthcare/public health.

For the past 25 years, HCC has aimed to inspire and empower the next generation of diverse health leaders. Apply to join our program today!

Proven Impact

- 100% of interns said they recommend the program.
- 76% of interns were offered a job or extended internship with their host organization
- Interns join and connect with our alumni network of over 2300 nationwide!

**Description of Program:**

- A paid, full-time 10-week internship placement in a partner organization. Interns work under the direction of a preceptor and work on meaningful projects that are educational for the student and benefit the organization and its community.
- Through partnerships with local organizations, HCC provides internships in a variety of settings including but not limited to: hospitals, community health centers, medical groups, health plans, local health departments, community based organizations and advocacy groups.
- Our Apprenticeship model pairs you with a preceptor to serve as a mentor.
- Workshops on key professional and personal development topics including: leadership, advocacy, cultural competence, life and career planning and graduate education preparation.
- Community building and networking opportunities with peers, professionals, and alumni.
- Site visits to a diverse set of key partner organizations to provide exposure to multiple settings and projects.
- Internship stipends range between \$3,000 and \$4,000.

**Eligibility**

- Candidates must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate program (community college or 4-year college or university) or have recently graduated from an undergraduate institution.
- Recent graduates must have completed their degree within the last three years.

- Candidates who are enrolled in a post baccalaureate are eligible to apply.
- Graduate students are not eligible to apply.
- Students enrolled in high school and/or are simultaneously taking community college classes are not eligible to apply.
- Past work experience is not necessary

Candidates must express and demonstrate a career interest in public health and/or healthcare as well as a passion for working with underserved communities and addressing health disparities. We strongly encourage students of color and those from disadvantaged backgrounds to apply. \*\*We do not provide medical or clinical internships.

### **Application Checklist**

- Resume
- Statement of Purpose
- Education background and demographic information

**For more information, please join our upcoming information webinars! To register please use links below!**

**Friday January 8th** at 12:00pm PST

Registration Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1111689090331090177>

**Thursday January 14th** at 9:00am PST

Registration Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7094445218169333762>

**Wednesday January 20th** at 10:00am PST

Registration Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2215873642820290306>

**Tuesday January 26th** at 2:00pm PST

Registration Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2846759121187020802>

**Thursday February 4th** at 12:00pm PST

Registration Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1560283237689167106>

Questions?

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