



INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Ethnic Specific Community Health Needs & Resource Assessment:

More than one million Asian Americans live in New York City (NYC). However, there is scant health research available on NYC Asian Americans. In collaboration with community-based organizations and advocates, the NYU Center for the Study of Asian American Health conducted a series of community health needs and resource assessments (CHNRA) among Filipinos, Vietnamese, Chinese, Koreans, South Asian, Cambodians, and Japanese in NYC from 2004-2007.

The primary purposes of these assessments are to determine:

- The degree to which the health issues exist in ethnic-specific Asian American community
- The resources available
- The best approaches to meet the needs of these communities in New York City.

CSAAH's mission is to reduce health disparities in the Asian American community through research, training, and partnership development.

An Exciting Opportunity:

We are looking for bright, motivated individuals who are interested in working on community-based health issues in the Asian American community. Interns will have the opportunity to develop relevant reports on Asian American health, participate in CSAAH's Center Student Investigator Program, and learn about health issues affecting Asian American communities through our Summer Seminar Series. Interns will be meeting and interacting with health professionals and public health researchers at the forefront of Asian American health issues. This position reports to the Deputy Director of Outreach & Programs.

Interns will be responsible for:

1. Perform literature reviews and develop summaries
2. Develop ethnic-specific fact sheets based on findings from CHNRAs

Qualifications:

1. College Student or Graduate Student in Public Health, Social Work, or related field
2. Proficiency in Microsoft Office
3. Superior written and verbal communication skills
4. Previous experience conducting literature reviews (knowledge of PubMed, Medline, and other health databases)
5. Must be able to work independently
6. Must have excellent organizational skills
7. Available for 15 hours a week during the summer

If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact:

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