

Stage I: 3 weeks

Intensive training at Diné College-Tsaile Campus (Arizona), where students develop skills in cancer and diabetes disease prevention research techniques. This course includes topics such as Public Health, Ethics and Research Methods, Epidemiology, Statistics, Health Promotion and Disease Prevention, and Cancer and Diabetes Disease Processes and Prevention Approaches.

Stage II: 6 weeks

The student interns are placed in or near their home communities at health care facilities or educational institutions where they will participate in a variety of ongoing cancer or diabetes prevention or related projects.

Stage III: 1 week

At the conclusion of the program, the students and staff will work on analysis of data and presentation of their experiences in cancer or diabetes prevention.



2009 SREP Students, Faculty & Staff



Classroom Study



Work at Community Site

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SUMMER RESEARCH ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

IN CANCER AND DIABETES PREVENTION 2010



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Summer Research Enhancement Program in Cancer and Diabetes Prevention 2010



"I have learned a lot and I hope students like me will enter the SREP Program because it has opened my eyes about public health" - Participant 2006



"I'm very thankful to be given this opportunity. Public Health research is a new topic for me. I love it and want to do more." Participant 2007

Typical Internship Sites

Diné College - Shiprock, NM
Northern Navajo Medical Center - Shiprock, NM
Gallup Indian Medical Center - Gallup, NM
Kayenta Health Center - Kayenta, AZ
Tsaile Health Center - Tsaile, AZ
Fort Defiance Indian Health Hospital - Fort Defiance, AZ
Connolly House - San Juan Regional Medical Center - Farmington, NM
Native American Diabetes Program - Albuquerque, NM
Many Farms Wellness Center - Many Farms, AZ
Zuni Ramah IHS Service Unit - Zuni, NM
EARTH Study - Shiprock, NM
Navajo Division of Health - Window Rock, AZ
Sage Memorial Hospital - Ganado, AZ

Diné College -

has developed a unique summer program for Native American students interested in public health research and has provided the program every summer since 2000.

The vision of SREP at Diné College is to prepare Native American students for careers in cancer and diabetes prevention and to strengthen research capabilities of Tribal Colleges and Universities.

The program is available to freshman and sophomore college students and provides a culturally supportive atmosphere for developing a strong, multicultural approach in cancer and diabetes prevention work.

The 10-week program will help students to develop skills and interests in diabetes and/or cancer prevention research and participate first hand in community based, ongoing projects at Diné College, the Navajo Nation or other Native American communities.

While participating in SREP, the students receive:

- \$3,500 stipend (distributed in installments through the program)
- Books and Materials
- 7 transferable college credit hours (4 classroom and 3 practicum)
- Coverage for all college fees and materials.

During the 3-week training session at Diné College-Tsaile Campus, room and board are provided without charge for all program participants.

Applications can be downloaded at:

www.dinecollege.edu

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Presenters

Diné College

Ferlin Clark, Ph.D., President

University of Arizona

Carol Goldtooth-Begay, MPH

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Navajo Nation Breast and Cervical Cancer Prev. Prog.

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Look Ahead Project

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Partnerships

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Mayo Clinic
National Institutes of Health MBRS RISE Program
University of Washington
National Cancer Institute
University of Arizona
Navajo Division of Health
Navajo Area Indian Health Service