SUMMER RESEARCH ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

IN CANCER AND DIABETES PREVENTION 2010

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Diné College
Preparing Native American Students for Careers in Cancer and Diabetes Prevention

Program Dates: June 1 - August 6, 2010

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Stage I: 3 weeks
Intensive training at Diné College-Tsaille 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.

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2009 SREP Students, Faculty & Staff

Classroom Study

Work at Community Site
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:
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Presenters

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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