**Stage I:** 3 weeks (May 26 - June 12, 2020)

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

**Stage II:** 6 weeks (June 15 - July 24, 2020)

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 public health and health research or related projects.

**Stage III:** 1 week (July 27 – July 31, 2020)

At the conclusion of the program, the students and staff will work on analysis of data and presentation of their experiences in public health and health research.

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**Diné College**

Preparing Native American Students for Careers in Public Health and Health Research

**Program Dates:** May 26 - July 31, 2020

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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 public health and health research and to strengthen research capabilities of Tribal Colleges and Universities.

The program is available to undergraduate college students who have completed some course work in English, Math, Lab Science and Social Science areas, and provides a culturally supportive atmosphere for developing a strong, multicultural approach in public health and health research work. The 10-week program will help students to develop skills and interests in public health and health 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:
- $3,920 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 tuition.

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

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Space is limited - Apply early.
Program is closed when all positions are filled.

Past Internship Sites
- Diné College - Shiprock, NM
- Northern Navajo Medical Center - Shiprock, NM
- Navajo Department of Health, Window Rock, AZ
- University of Arizona Navajo Comm. Asthma Program - Various sites
- Navajo Epidemiology Center - Window Rock, AZ
- Community Outreach and Patient Empowerment - Gallup, NM
- Health Promotion Disease Prevention Prog. - Chinle & Tuba City, AZ
- North Country Health Care - Flagstaff, AZ
- Johns Hopkins University - Shiprock, NM
- Hopi Special Diabetes Program - Second Mesa, AZ
- Native Americans for Comm. Action Incorporated - Flagstaff, AZ
- Navajo Nation Environmental Protection Agency - Shiprock, NM
- San Juan Regional Cancer Center - Farmington, NM
- Southwest Navajo Tobacco Education Prevention Prog. - Winslow, AZ

“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 with Dr. Christi Patten of Mayo Clinic

“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

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