

SREP Stage 1: Three weeks

(May 26 – June 12, 2026)

Stages one and three of SREP will be at Diné College, where students will develop skills in disease prevention and health promotion research methods

SREP Stage 2: Six weeks

(June 15 – July 24, 2026)

Students interns will be placed with community chapters where they participate in a variety of public health research or related projects in the students' home communities.

SREP Stage 3: One week

(July 26 – July 31, 2026)

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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2022 SREP Students, Faculty, & Staff

**SUMMER
RESEARCH
ENHANCEMENT
PROGRAM**

**SREP Program Dates:
May 26 - July 31, 2026**

Navajo NARCH Partnership

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

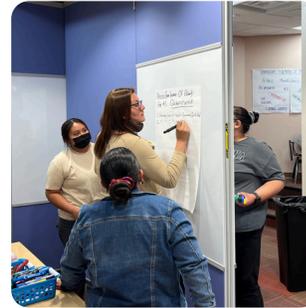


Diné College -

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. It 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 on or near Navajo Nation.

*SREP Faculty,
Dr. Mark C. Bauer
reviewing student
data and work.*



*2022 SREP Students
engaging in hands on
application and
discussion in research
methods.*

While participating in SREP, the students receive:

- \$5,760 stipend (distributed in installments)
- 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 Tsaile Campus, room and board are provided without charge for all program participants.

FINAL DEADLINE:

April 17, 2026

ONLINE APPLICATION LINK:

<https://forms.office.com/r/XgirX9gnYf>

Topics Covered:

- Data Analysis
- Digital Storytelling
- Intro to Public Health
- Intro to Community Based Participatory Research
- Diné Education Philosophy
- Overview of Study Designs
- Resiliency & Professional Skills
- Research Design & Methodology
- Social & Indigenous Determinants of Health



Past Internship Sites

- Indian Health Services - Kayenta, AZ
- North Country Health Care - Flagstaff, AZ
- Public Health Department - Tuba City, AZ
- Diné College Land Grant Office - Tsaile, AZ
- John Hopkins Center for Indigenous Health - Shiprock, NM
- Community Outreach and Patient Empowerment - Gallup, NM
- Southwest Navajo Tobacco Education Prevention Program - Winslow, AZ
- Northern Navajo Medical Center - Shiprock, NM
- Navajo Epidemiology Center - Window Rock, AZ
- Coconino County Health Department - Page, AZ
- Navajo Department of Health - Window Rock, AZ