

Minnesota Public Health Training Center (PHTC)- Student Field Placement Award Application 2024

Thank you for your interest in the awards for student field placements, offered by the Minnesota PHTC. Funds for these awards are available through a grant from the Health Resources and Services Administration via the University of Michigan. The \$3,500 stipend will be provided in two installments over the course of your field placement experience. For full award and eligibility details, please visit: Student field placement funding from the Minnesota Public Health Training Center (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/practice/ta/workforcedev/studentfieldplacefunding.html>).

Please complete and submit the following application by **5:00 p.m. on April 1, 2024**, via email to michelle.gin@state.mn.us. For any questions, contact Michelle Gin at the same email address.

1. Please provide the following information

Name (First and Last)

Email Address

Complete Local Address

Phone

College/University/Dept

Advisor Email

List Degree and Major(s) Being Pursued

Student type Tribal community college Undergraduate junior/senior Graduate Doctoral

Enrollment Status (Full-time or Part-time)

Academic Advisor (Name, Email)

Field Placement Site Name

Field Placement Preceptor (Name, Email)

Field Placement Address

Field Placement Start Date

Field Placement End Date

Number of project hours

Note: community college and undergraduates must have at least 150 hours; graduate and doctoral students must have at least 200 hours.

2. Are you a US citizen, non-citizen US national, or foreign national possessing a visa permitting permanent residence in the US?

Note: DACA recipients and international students with work/research/student visas are not eligible to receive federal funding under this award.

Yes

No

3. Have you accepted an unpaid field placement in Minnesota?

Note: this is a requirement

Yes

No

4. Please confirm you will provide a letter from your site preceptor confirming your placement and number of hours with your application.

Yes

No

5. Have you previously received this award? If so, what year?

Note: Students may not receive a stipend for more than one project in the 4-year grant cycle.

Yes (please specify year)

No

6. Where is your field placement site located (please provide Minnesota city/county)?

Note: The project must be done with a public health organization located in or serving a [medically underserved area](https://data.hrsa.gov/tools/shortage-area/mua-find) (<https://data.hrsa.gov/tools/shortage-area/mua-find>).

7. Please describe any additional sources of funding you have secured or are pursuing for your field placement, if any. Include the source, amount, and expected notification date.

8. Provide a brief description of your field placement project, addressing the following points: a) an overview of the objectives and activities included, b) explain how your project will contribute to the capacity* of the organization to improve population health, c) include the **Public health core competencies** you anticipate gaining through your involvement in the project, and d) describe how your project advances health equity and addresses the underlying determinants of health disparities. Your response should be structured clearly with delineations for each category. Aim to keep your overall response between 500-750 words.**

Some activities that are considered capacity-building include, but are not limited to, community engagement and partnerships, data collection and analysis, raising awareness, program implementation, or program evaluation.http://www.phf.org/resourcestools/Documents/Core_Compencies_for_Public_Health_Professionals_2021October.pdf*