

OBESITY PREVENTION INTERNSHIP



PAID INTERNSHIP



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CHILDHOOD OBESITY**



APPLY NOW!

Deadline:
March 1, 2020
5 p.m.

Questions?
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DESCRIPTION

The Eye to the Future internship seeks to develop the next generation of obesity educators. The internship will a) teach entry-level skills to develop, deliver and evaluate a healthy lifestyle program for children and parents and b) provide professional development training for careers in nutrition, obesity and public health.

BENEFITS

Students will receive a \$3,500 stipend, faculty mentorship, and career/ professional development.

REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for this internship, you must:

- Self Identify as Hispanic.
- Plan on graduating Fall 2021, with an associate or bachelor's degree (or post-baccalaureate) or be nearing completion of a certificate program.
- Currently attend University of Houston, UH-Downtown or Houston community college.
- Have a minimum overall GPA of 2.5.
- Have interest in nutrition, health education, public health, childhood obesity or a related field.
- Be willing and able to commit to 275 hours (weekly average: 15 hours) during the 20-week internship.
- Be willing and able to complete surveys before and after the program to track completion of internship components.

TO APPLY

1. Complete the application at <https://www.coe.uh.edu/wf/future/checklist.cfm>
2. Submit a resume.
3. Submit an unofficial transcript.
4. Write an 800-word essay that answers the following:
 - Explain your reasons for wanting to participate in this program. Why do you think you are a good candidate?
 - List 3 challenges you expect to encounter in this internship. How would you resolve them?
 - Explain how you would apply some of your current skills into this internship.
5. Submit the name, email, and phone number of two professional references (i.e. professor, supervisor, etc.).

Note: Resume, unofficial transcript and essay must be submitted in one PDF within the application. An interview with selected qualifying candidates will be conducted.



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