



# Student Internship & Volunteer Opportunities

## Types of Placements

The Tennessee Department of Health offers diverse opportunities for in state and out-of-state individuals seeking a student internship or volunteer experience.

A few of the opportunities offered:

- Semester Courses/Field Experiences (unpaid; for academic credit)
- Volunteer experiences (unpaid; no academic credit earned)
- Paid internships (no academic credit earned)
- Independent Studies
- Job Shadowing

View previous projects produced by student interns and volunteers by visiting the TDH website.



## How to Apply

For more information and to apply for an internship or volunteer experience, please visit: [www.tn.gov/health/article/apply-for-placement](http://www.tn.gov/health/article/apply-for-placement)

Interested individuals **must** complete the placement request form in order to be considered.

Once the request has been completed, you will be contacted by the department and notified of next steps.

## Summer 2015 Student Demographics

- 25 Summer Student Interns & Volunteers
- Placed in 12 TDH Units
- 14 universities represented (8 in-state, 6 out-of-state)

## Supplemental Learning Activities

- Weekly Seminar Series
- Workshops
- Field Trips

## Recommended by Peers

11 out of 12 previous student interns and volunteers would recommend TDH to another student for his/her student internship placement.

## Questions?

**Internships.Health@tn.gov**  
tn.gov/health/topic/intern-opportunities  
Phone: 615-532-7454

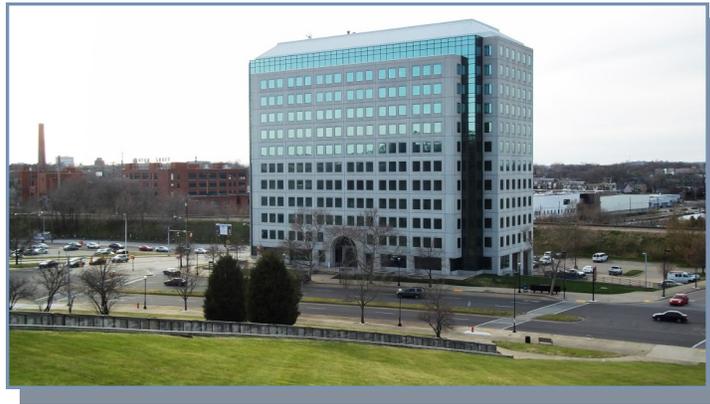
# Commissioner's Fellowship in Health Policy

## Announcing an exciting opportunity!

Dr. Dreyzehner has recently developed a fellowship opportunity (Commissioner's Fellowship) for recent graduates with a Bachelor's or Master's degree in public health or a health related field. This is an exciting opportunity for an individual who has an interest in public health, health policy, or primary prevention.

The fellowship will be for a term of one (1) year with the possibility of extension for one (1) additional year (two years total) dependent upon performance and competition for fellowship slots.

Each fellow will receive a base salary of \$35,000 with state of Tennessee benefits. Fellows' home office will be in Nashville and each will be assigned to either the Office of Health Policy or Office of Primary Prevention for fifty (50) percent of their time and will participate in topical rotations in Nashville or other locations based on personal interests/career goals.



## How to Apply

The application period will be announced online at: <http://www.tn.gov/health/topic/intern-opportunities>

Applicants will need to submit the following materials:

- ⇒ Essay (1500 words maximum) outlining interests, strengths, and qualifications. Applicants should also be able to articulate how this fellowship will benefit their long-term career plans in public health.
- ⇒ Current Résumé or CV
- ⇒ Unofficial Transcript
- ⇒ Three letters of recommendation

**Look for the announcement  
next Fall!**

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