Applications are now being accepted for the AAPHP Public Health Practice Award to support a student-led public health project. This project may include the practicum, or some other intervention, research and/or evaluation project conducted in a mutually beneficial partnership with a community partner (defined as an educational, governmental or non-governmental organization). Activities used to complete the requirements for a thesis or internships may be eligible. Examples of how funds can be used include (although this list is not exhaustive): purchase supplies or technical expertise for the project; provide incentives for research participation; cover travel costs for disseminating the findings; or support the awardee directly. Three scholarships are available:

- One scholarship to support an undergraduate student project ($500).
- Two scholarships to support graduate student projects ($1000 each).

Student eligibility requirements:

1. Enrolled in a public health degree program in an AAPHP member or affiliate institution.
2. Completed at least 15 semester units or 22.5 quarter units and are in excellent academic standing (minimum GPA of 3.5).
3. Are currently approved by their program to conduct a community-engaged project or thesis.
4. Are currently conducting or will begin the planned project by Spring or Summer of 2020.

Applications and supporting documents must be submitted to AAPHP at pamela.lyon@utah.edu by December 13, 2019, 5:00 pm (MST). Scholarship awards will be announced in January.

Only one scholarship will be awarded per program.

Applications available at: http://www.aaphps.org/aaphp-scholarship.html
AAPHP Public Health Practice Award Application Form

Contact Information:

Name: ____________________________

Address: ____________________________

Degree/concentration: ____________________________

Academic Institution: ____________________________

Project Advisor (Name and title): ____________________________

Number of semester hours completed toward your graduate degree: ____________________________

Expected graduation date: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________

Email: ____________________________

If awarded the AAPHP Public Health Practice Award, I agree to submit an executive summary of my project or thesis results to AAPHP and give permission to announce my identity (including displaying my photograph) and project/thesis abstract and/or executive summary (or derivative of the abstract or executive summary) on any AAPHP promotional materials and on its website. I will acknowledge the support of AAPHP in all publications and presentations about this project.

Signature: ____________________________

Required Attachments:

1) Biosketch - 250 word statement describing your background, including your relevant academic preparation, professional work history, and/or volunteer experience.

2) Project Narrative (2 page limit, 1.5-line spacing, 1 inch margins, 12 point font) describing your proposed project/thesis. Include an abstract (10 pts), background (10 pts), project/research/evaluation aims or objectives (20 pts), plan/methods (20 pts), and plan for dissemination of your results (10 pts). Also include a description of how the scholarship will be used to support your project/thesis (20 pts). Please provide a timeline for your project or thesis, along with the anticipated completion date (10 pts).

3) Unofficial graduate program transcript - Please highlight your GPA with a yellow marker.

4) Letter from your faculty advisor recommending you and highlighting your ability to conduct and complete your project, as well as confirming his/her availability to mentor you through the project’s completion.

Please complete this form, save as lastname.pdf and submit electronically to: pamela.lyon@utah.edu Due to AAPHP by December 13th.