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## **National Nurse-Led Care Consortium** Open Position for Student Intern (unpaid)

The National Nurse-Led Care Consortium (NNCC) is a national non-profit, headquartered in Philadelphia, which advocates for nurse practitioners as primary providers of health care and supports more than 250 nurse-managed health clinics and other nurse-led care settings serving millions of vulnerable people across the nation. NNCC also provides programs to reduce health disparities and meet people's primary care and wellness needs. For over 15 years, NNCC has provided community-based programs, which address environmental health risks such as lead poisoning and indoor asthma triggers. www.nncc.us

## **Position Description:**

NNCC is seeking a student intern who will support NNCC's Environmental Health programming. NNCC recently started the state-funded Safe and Healthy Homes Program (SHHP). This is a home-visiting program that provides environmental education and supplies to low-income families with pregnant mothers and children up to age 21 to help them create and maintain a healthy home environment. Since we are in the first year of this 3-year program, there is an opportunity for a student intern to support start up activities, organize data collection, and create survey or educational materials that may be used throughout program implementation. http://www.nncc.us/programs/safe-and-healthy-homes

Time Commitment: 10-12 hours/week March-August 2017 (with opportunity to continue beyond August)

## Assignments student may be responsible for:

- Respond to program referrals and schedule home visits for NNCC's Healthy Homes Specialist.
- Complete intake (pre-home assessment) for participants enrolled in SHHP. This includes data collection with participants over the phone, using a state-developed questionnaire that asks for demographic information, presence of environmental health hazards, and a 10-question test assessing participant knowledge of home health and safety hazards.
- Engage directly with program services by shadowing NNCC's Healthy Homes Specialist for a few home visits.
- Ensure educational materials and community resources given to participants are up to date and create new materials as appropriate.

## The ideal candidate will have the following skills:

- Excellent verbal and written communication
- Excellent time management
- Courses completed in public health and/or environmental health
- Proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint

<sup>\*</sup>Interested applicants should email their resume to Ms. Deepa Mankikar (dmankikar@nncc.us) with subject line: NNCC Environmental Health Internship Application.