Center for Healthy Communities
Paid Internship

Job Title: CHC Student Internship

About Us: Chico State’s Center for Healthy Communities (CHC) is a leader in research-based nutrition, physical activity, and policy changes to support community health. Our goal is to recruit Chico State students who bring their unique perspectives, lived experiences and creativity to our Internship Program. At CHC we encourage self-expression and celebrate one’s cultures and identities, as these differences help us discuss and solve challenges in a more equitable way.

Ideal Majors: All students welcome, however health-related and community-orientated majors may be most interested.

Compensation: Paid internship, $15.50 per hour.
*Some departments may have restrictions related to being paid.

Time Commitment: 90 hours/semester for 2 units.

PHHA Students: Can be paid for up to 90 hours of the 240 hours required by the Department.

Expectations: This hybrid internship is designed to accommodate a wide variety of student needs, interests and schedules in an equitable way. This internship will include virtual meetings, in person meetings, mentorship, community outreach events and other opportunities for experiential learning.

Career Readiness Skills Developed During the Internship:

- Equity & inclusion, communication, critical thinking & problem solving, leadership, project management, professionalism, technology, research & evaluation and more.

Skills Developed Through CHC’s Priority Areas:

- Health Equity: Unite allies to achieve the highest level of health for California residents by improving the systems and conditions for health for all groups, especially for those who have experienced socioeconomic disadvantage or historical injustice.

- Food Access & Security: Work collaboratively to increase access to healthy food and beverages as well as local agriculture where people live, work, learn, and play.

- Active Living: Work collaboratively to expand opportunities for optimal levels of daily physical activity where people live, work, learn, and play.

- Nutrition Education: Work collaboratively to ensure all people choose and provide healthy food and beverages at home, at work, at school, and in the community.

For more information, visit CHC’s Internship Application & Deadlines page or email chcinternships@csuchico.edu.