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The Arkansas Department of Health is now accepting applications for the Stead Scholars Internship program for Summer 2023

Who: All Arkansas undergraduates enrolled in accredited four-year colleges and universities in Arkansas are eligible to apply.

Where: Arkansas Department of Health (ADH), and
UAMS Fay W Boozman College of Public Health (COPH)
Little Rock, AR

Details: This is a full-time program. Each awardee will be expected to spend 8 weeks (June 5 to July 28) at the Department's main office, and at COPH in Little Rock.

Each awardee will receive a stipend of \$2,200 for the summer's experience. Limited subsidized housing may also be available for those living more than 50 miles from Little Rock.

This experience will provide the student with an introduction to public health, with exposure to applied and basic public health science and practice and health policy development.

Each awardee will be assigned to a senior staff or faculty member as a mentor and will complete a research project under the mentor's supervision.

Apply: Application link: <https://adhredcap.arkansas.gov/redcap/surveys/?s=TCE3PAAXCN> or <https://www.healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/office-of-the-chief-science-officer>

Please submit the following online by the deadline listed below:

- Resumé
- College transcript
- Letter detailing why you would like to learn about the science of public health
- Letter of recommendation from academic advisor (to be emailed separately and directly by advisor to yasmeen.smith@arkansas.gov)

Deadline: All applications and supporting documents should be received by **March 10, 2023** and uploaded through the online application portal. The selected applicants will be notified by **April 7, 2023**.

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