



**Summer 2019 Internship at the  
CDC National Center for Injury Prevention and Control Center  
sponsored by the U-M Injury Prevention Center**

The University of Michigan Injury Prevention Center is pleased to announce **one** competitive paid internship position for *public health graduate students* for the summer of 2019.

The internship is designed for graduate students in public health who are interested in injury prevention research or practice in unintentional injury or violence. This internship will provide an opportunity to gain mentored research and practice-based experience with intramural scientists at the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta. Interns could work with a mentor on ongoing injury research or practice projects. Possible areas of focus include violence, opioid overdose, motor vehicle injury, and suicide. Each selected applicant will be provided a stipend of \$1,500 per month for three months (May-July), and \$500 for travel to/from Atlanta, GA.

**Responsibilities may include:**

- Assisting in planning, developing, implementing, and evaluating injury prevention projects
- Assisting in implementing research methodologies appropriate to the study of injury prevention
- Conducting literature searches and synthesizing findings in written summaries as required
- Attending injury prevention-related workshops, seminars, and meetings
- Assisting in researching legislative policies and initiatives related to injury prevention
- Developing educational materials and tool kits based on identified needs
- Assisting in developing educational material for websites
- Assisting in communicating and presenting research or policy findings
- Assisting with grant preparation

**Qualifications**

- Currently enrolled in a University of Michigan graduate program at least through December 2019
- Interest in and commitment to injury prevention practice, policy, or research
- Ability to work independently in a collegial environment
- Ability to maintain confidentiality of sensitive information
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Proficiency with computer software applications such as Microsoft Office, Excel, and PowerPoint

## **Application Process and Contact Information**

Applicants must apply by **February 1, 2019**. Decisions will be made and communicated to chosen applicants by **February 25, 2019**. Interested candidates should complete and submit the following materials:

1. A document providing the following information:
  - a. Full name
  - b. Home address
  - c. Email address
  - d. Phone number(s)
  - e. Citizenship status: indicate 1) U.S. citizen, 2) permanent resident, 3) student visa, or 4) other status
  - f. Clear designation of your interest in an internship at CDC (to differentiate from other internship opportunities)
2. Resume or CV
3. *Two* letters of recommendation. One from your academic advisor and one from a faculty or research supervisor.
4. A personal statement describing all of the following (*in 500 words or less*):
  - a. Your interest in injury prevention
  - b. Your career goals
  - c. Skills that you bring to the internship
  - d. A summary of your previous research or practice experience (esp. related to injury prevention)
5. A signed and dated statement: "I hereby certify that there are no willful misrepresentations, omissions, or falsification in the statement and other information contained in this application."

Please be certain that your application contains **all required elements** prior to submitting.

*Submit your full application (as a single document, if possible) via email to [bmarieb@med.umich.edu](mailto:bmarieb@med.umich.edu) by midnight, ET, on **Friday, February 1**.*

Questions? Email Bethany Pollock ([bmarieb@med.umich.edu](mailto:bmarieb@med.umich.edu)).