February 25, 2019

Questions? Want to Request Publication?
Contact ophp@uab.edu to submit requests for publication. Requests must be received by 5 pm on Thursday for guaranteed inclusion in Monday's newsletter.

SOPH Service Project 2019

Looking for ways to support Pathways?

Donate Directly to Pathways - All funds will go directly to supporting the establishment of emergency homeless childcare services at Pathways. All donations are tax deductible.

Pathways' Amazon Wish List - By purchasing items on this list, you are helping to meet the basic and personal needs of women and children experiencing homelessness in Birmingham, AL. Items ship directly to Pathways!

AmazonSmile - Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the charitable organization of your choice. Support Pathways by starting your shopping at smile.amazon.com.

Highlights & Announcements

Events this Week at UAB

Click the headers for additional information.

2019 series on health disparities, "We Miss The Old Kanye", Monday, Feb. 25, 6-8PM, The Underground, New Freshman Residence Hall. RSVP required.

Public Health Employer Tabling Event with Americorps YWCA and the Jefferson County Commission, Wednesday Feb. 27, 10AM - 12PM,
Other Announcements This Week
Click the headers below for additional information.

- The Jefferson County Department of Health is looking for volunteers! The Jefferson County Department of Health is sponsoring a hazardous waste waste day for collecting and appropriately recycling household hazardous waste on Saturday, April 20th in two locations: Fairfield and Irondale. They are looking for volunteers to help collect data for a Household Hazardous Waste Survey and/or help unload vehicles that are collecting hazardous wastes. Volunteers are needed at anytime between 7AM and 1PM on April 20th. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Jonika Smith at jonika.smith@jcdh.org or 205-558-2103. Please provide your name, email, phone number, preference for survey collecting or data collecting, and hours you can volunteer. Volunteers are asked to sign up by Wednesday, Feb. 27.
- Graduate Students and Postdocs – Nominate your mentor for the Dean’s Mentorship Award – Deadline Feb. 27.
- Deadline! Sparkman Center for Global Health Moses Sinkala Endowed Scholarship - deadline Feb. 28.
- Do you have new and exciting ideas about the student space in the Ryals Building? YOUR VOICE MATTERS! Please take the time to complete the Public Health Student Space Survey!
- Apply now for the Graduate Student Government (GSG) Travel Grant for Summer 2019 - applications closes March 6 at 12PM.
- Looking for an internship, job, or fellowship? Make sure you look at the Career Opportunities section below for new positions!

Thank you for your donations to Red Mountain Park!

We did it! PHSA would like to thank everyone in School of Public Health for their donation to Red Mountain Park through Penny Wars. We are very pleased to report that we raised enough money to purchase a bench! A ribbon cutting celebration will be held during National Public Health Week in April. More details to come. PHSA is extremely grateful for everyone’s generous donations.

PHSA’s Undergraduate Senator, Clementino Vong do Rosario, visited Red Mountain Park this week to drop off the donation.
Visit the Alabama Department of Public Health and the recently opened Legacy Museum with PHSA on March 28!

Visit the Alabama Department of Public Health and the recently opened Legacy Museum: From Enslavement to to Mass Incarceration and the National Memorial for Peace and Justice with PHSA on March 28! Interested, please contact the Office of Public Health Practice, ophp@uab.edu.

**Upcoming Events**

**Alabama Public Health Association**  
April 3-5, 2019  
Prattville, AL  
Students can [register](#) for $80!

Click on the header for additional information.

- **Population Genomics** - 6th Annual Rare Disease Genomics Symposium. March 1, 8-3:45 PM at Children’s of Alabama. [Register](#).
- **GRADFEST** - Buy your gown by Mar. 19th to avoid a $25 late fee, UAB Alumni House.
- **Southeast Regional Research Symposium** - April 4 - 5 at University of South Florida, Tampa, FL.
- **2019 Health Literacy Conference** - Mar. 8, 9-4PM, UAB SON 1054. [Register](#).
- **Lace Up for a cure** - Mar. 9th, 8AM, UAB Campus Green.
- **Join the UAB SOPH-Steppers Team for APHA’s Billion Steps Challenge** - Help in the goal of reaching more than 1 billion collective steps by APHA’s National Public Health Week celebration the first week of April. [Prizes will be awarded to the top steppers](#).
- **2019 State of the County Public Health Address** - Apr. 2nd 11:30- 12:30 PM, HSC Alumni Theater
- **JCDH Networking Reception** - Apr. 2nd 12:30-1:30 PM, HSC Alumni Theater
- **Join UAB School of Public Health’s March for Babies Team** - Apr. 27th. [Register](#).

**Seminars this Week**

Click on the header of each seminar for additional information.
Monday, February 25 - "Indoor Environmental Exposures in Flood Damaged Homes", EHS Chair Candidate Seminar, L. Faye Grimsley, PhD, MSPH, CIH, 10-11AM / RPHB 507

Monday, February 25 - "Morbidity in Cancer Survivorship", EPI Seminar Series - Kelly Kenzik, MS, PhD. 12-1PM / RPHB 407

Tuesday, February 26 - Cost-Effectiveness in Medical Decision-Making & the "See-and-Treat" Strategy in Managing Cervical Pre-cancer, HCOP Outcomes Research Faculty Candidate Seminar, Van Nghiem, PhD. 9AM-10AM / RPHB 507

Tuesday, February 26 - "Anticipating and Recognizing Future Environmental Health Issues", EHS Chair Candidate Seminar, L. Faye Grimsley, PhD, MSPH, CIH, 11:30AM-12:30PM / RPHB 507

Wednesday, February 27 - “Career Conversations”, Office of Public Health Practice, Mark K. Addison, MD, MPH, Owner and President of Cullman Medical and Pediatric Associates, 12-1PM / RPHB 407

Thursday, February 28 - “PrEP for HIV Prevention: From Science to Real-World Implementation in Africa”, Kenneth K. Mugwanya, MBChB, MS, PhD, Department of Epidemiology Faculty Candidate Seminar, 4-5PM / RPHB 407

Friday, March 1 - “From the Silent Generation to Millennials: How to Bridge the Generation Gap”, SOPH's Office of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, 12-1PM / RPHB 507

Friday, March 1 - “Applying novel exposure assessment tools in health studies”, Aaron Specht, PhD, 2-3PM / RPHB 507

Future Seminars & SOPH Events

Events Happening Around Campus

Timelines and Deadlines

Click on the header for additional information.

- Do you have an idea to make the campus green? UAB Sustainability Investment Fund has funds that may fund your idea. Proposals due March 8.
- UAB School of Public Health Global Health Foreign Travel Award - open application.
- Alabama Rural Health Association Annual Conference - April 25-26 in Prattville, AL. Submit your abstract by March 15.
- Submit an abstract for the 2019 Delta Omega Poster Session at APHA's Annual Meeting by April 8.
- Applications open for the Summer Institute on Sustainability and Energy in Chicago. Application deadline May 30.
Region IV PHTC Pathways to Practice
Paid Internships ($3500 stipend)
(U.S. Citizens and permanent residents)

- New! Alabama Department of Public Health (Children & Caregivers)
- Georgia Department of Public Health (Opioid Project)
- Northwest Georgia Health District (Community Health Assessment)
- Southwest Georgia Area Health Education Center (Rural Migrant Health)
- South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (Accreditation)
- South Carolina Thrive (Community Outreach and Education)
- Tennessee Department of Health (Office of Health Policy)
- Tennessee Department of Health (Office of Primary Prevention)

Internships

Make sure to click the buttons below for additional opportunities.

- New! The Alabama Productivity Center (APC) with the University of Alabama - summer internship.
- New! Leidos Public Health Intern - will work on a public health project of importance to the CDC
- New! Intern - Neuroscience with Children’s of Atlanta - May 2019 to June 2019
- New! Cahaba Riverkeeper Internship (4 positions) - Sampling Interns for Swim Guides; Lab Intern; GIS Intern; Marketing and Outreach Intern
- Deadline! U.S. Department of State Student Internship Program (unpaid) Now Accepting Applications for Fall 2019. Deadline is Feb. 28.
- Deadline! Be a STAR: National Institute of Aging Summer Research Training Program Deadline March 1
- Deadline! 1917 Clinic Internships (HIV Testing and Counseling & SHAPE) - Deadline March 1
- CaRES Internship Project Descriptions Available for Summer 2019 (Paid) - Read more and apply on the CaRES website. Most positions fill by early March. U.S. citizens or permanent residents only.

Fellowships

Make sure to check the Fellowship Database below for 2019 deadlines!

- New! CDC Health Policy Analysis Fellowship deadline Mar. 1st
- New! CDC Systematic Review Research Fellow deadline Mar. 1st.
- New! CDC Networks and Health Fellowship deadline Mar 29th.
- New! CDC Public Health Data Analyst deadline Mar 29th.
- New! CDC Health Policy Fellowship deadline Apr. 1st.
- New! CDC Health Informatics and Surveillance Fellowship Apr. 3rd.
- New! CDC Immunology Laboratory Fellowship Apr. 3rd.
- Deadline! Nemours Health Equity and Inclusions 2019 and Pre-/Post-Doctoral Fellowships - Stipend amount $13,700, deadline Mar. 1st.
- Deadline! Summer Research Fellowship Program Integrative Agroecology and Sustainability at Colorado State University - Application deadline is Feb. 28th
- NIH Fellowship for Next Generation of African Scientific Leaders
Volunteer Opportunities

Make sure to click the buttons below for additional opportunities.

- **Alabama Possible**
- **Camp Smile-A-Mile Summer Camp Volunteers Needed** deadline Mar. 1
- **Lace Up for a cure** - Volunteers needed - Mar. 9th, 8AM, UAB Campus Green

Internship Database  Fellowship Database  Volunteer Database

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Job Openings & Search Engines

Click on the header for more information.

Visit **HireABlazer** to see more opportunities! We try to maintain an active list of jobs, but if you find one is filled, please email ophp@uab.edu.

- **New!** St. Vincent's Research Data Specialist (Birmingham) - bachelor's degree required; masters degree preferred
- **New!** Program Liaison at Medical Advocacy and Outreach (Montgomery) - min. qualifications undergrad in public health
- **New!** Clinical Research Coordinator with Cardiovascular Associates if the SE (CVASE) (Birmingham) - min. bachelors health related degree and 3 years research experience
- **New!** Health Scientist with Cardno's Science and Environment team (positions across the U.S.) - min. bachelors in public health
- **New!** Safety Coordinator with U.S. Pipe (Lynchburg, VA) - bachelor's degree in a safety field
- **UAB Division of Geriatrics, Gerontology, and Palliative Care** - Researcher
- **Emory University**- Assistant Program Coordinator (2.18.19)
- **UAB School of Medicine** - Student Assistant - **Hire a Blazer** (2.18.19)
- **Early Childhood Education Specialist** - United Way of Central Alabama - Help Me Grow Program (2.11.19)

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Job Search Engines

OPHP Website  Field Placement  PHSA

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About this Newsletter

Through the Office of Public Health Practice, our mission is to provide public health experiences to public health students through field placements, service learning, and volunteer opportunities. Get a Handle on what is happening around the school! Brought to you by the Office of Public Health Practice, this newsletter will be used to keep you up-to-date on upcoming school-wide activities, seminars, and important news and information within the school.

Sincerely,

The Office of Public Health Practice
UAB School of Public Health