

University of North Texas Health Science Center School of Public Health
Position/Project Description for Public Health Practice Experience

This document is for discussion with and recruitment of interested students. Specifics of final practice experience project may be negotiated between the agency, the student and the Public Health Practice Coordinator or representative from the School of Public Health.

Date: 2/20/2009

Project Title: Tarrant County Community Health Equity Needs

Agency: Tarrant County Public Health Department

Department/Section (if applicable)

Address:

Dates of Availability: *(Please check one)*

Open-ended projects or From: March 2009 To:

Where Practice Experience Will Be Held: Tarrant County Public Health Department

(Building name, if any)

1101 S. Main Street
(Street)

Ft. Worth
(City)

TX 76104
(State) (Zip)

Schedule (days/hours per week): 2 days per week/4-5 hrs. per day, three students needed, flexible schedule based on classes

Salary/Reimbursement of Expenses (if any):

Site Supervisor:

Name: Dawn Dickerson-Sankofa **Degree(s)** MPH

Position Title: Health Equity Coordinator

Address (if different from above):

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Brief Description of Project Opportunities: *(Include objectives)*

To gain experience in community based qualitative research

Tasks to be Performed by Intern: *(Be as specific as possible.)*

Qualitative Research - Community Based

1. Assist in the development of focus group guide book
2. Conduct focus groups and key informant interviews
3. Collect and organize data

Special Requirements/Comments:

Some knowledge of public health research, even if only in theory.

I understand this is an opportunity to gain experience, and I more than willing to share my experience and guidance as we do this work together.

URL for your agency/dept. home page:

<http://Health.TarrantCounty.com>