Training opportunities within the Behavioral Research Program

Become a fellow

The Behavioral Research Program hosts different types of fellows throughout the year. The program has opportunities for people at most educational training levels. Research areas include:

- affect and emotion
- cognition
- diet, weight, and physical activity
- HPV vaccination
- integrative data analysis and big data
- sleep
- social media
- sun protection
- · survey methods
- · tobacco use including e-cigs

Fellows work with a mentor on research projects, literature reviews, data analysis, health communication-related activities, and/or manuscript preparation. Fellows receive a monthly stipend, fully covered health insurance benefits, and a commuter subsidy.

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Types of fellowships

Cancer Research Training Award Program: Open to post-baccalaureate, post-master's, post-doctoral, or post-medical students. Rolling application deadline.

Cancer Prevention Fellowship Program: Open to post-doctoral, post-medical, or J.D. students. The 2018 application year opens May 1. Refer to https://cpfp.cancer.gov/ for details.

Health Communication Internship Program: Open to post-master's or post-doctoral students. The application deadline for the 2017 year has passed. Check https://hcip.nci.nih.gov for 2018 dates.

Presidential Management Fellows Program: Open to post-master's, post-doctoral, post-medical, or J.D. students. This fellowship is sponsored by the U.S. Office of Personnel Management. Refer to https://www.pmf.gov/ for details.



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