

Degree Type / Course of Study / Major

Master of Public Health

Degree Awarded?

Yes No

College/ University C

Name of College Attended

Degree Type / Course of Study / Major

Degree Awarded?

Yes No

Other schools / training completed:

Course Studied

Hours Completed

Certificate Awarded?

Yes No

Board and Interest

Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Contra Costa Council on Homelessness: Submitted

Seat Name

Healthcare Representative

Have you ever attended a meeting of the advisory board for which you are applying?

Yes No

If you have attended, how many meetings have you attended?

20+

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

I would like to serve as the Healthcare Representative on the Council on Homelessness Board to bring my public health knowledge and partnership to the board. I currently work with our CCHS Public Health Department managing homeless services, Health Care for the Homeless, CommunityConnect and homeless assessment for school-based clinics, public health nursing, AOD programs and the Health, Housing and Homeless services. Since the beginning of our COVID response, I have been working very closely with the Health, Housing and Homeless Division on the new housing project and provide support to our service providers throughout the county. I have been working for the Contra Costa County for 8 years within the Public Health Department and have seen an amazing growth in collaboration and partnership between our county division and community partners. I look forward to assisting in this work and

Qualifications and Volunteer Experience

I would like to be considered for appointment to other advisory boards for which I may be qualified.

Yes No

Are you currently or have you ever been appointed to a Contra Costa County advisory board, commission, or committee?

Yes No

List any volunteer or community experience, including any advisory boards on which you have served.

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume with this application)

2019 - Present CommunityConnect & Health Care for the Homeless, Public Health Program Specialist II - serve as the homeless assessment for public health clinic service programs. Provide direct supervision to 7 Homeless Services Specialist with CommunityConnect which work closely with H3, community partners and Health Care for the Homeless. Assist HCH Project Director with grant requirements and submission. Serve as the HCH program administrator for the HCH Co-Applicant Board. Serve as the program manager for coordination of health services for those experiencing homelessness throughout the county. Serve as the public health homeless services assessment with H3, Behavioral Health and city officials. In response to COVID-10 pandemic, I have been working on the Housing Project closely with H3 and our Incident Command Branch directors to provide shelter for those experiencing homelessness who are at risk for severe symptoms of COVID-19.


Upload a Resume

Conflict of Interest and Certification

Do you have a Familial or Financial Relationship with a member of the Board of Supervisors?

Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship:

Do you have any financial relationships with the County such as grants, contracts, or other economic relations?

Yes No

If Yes, please identify the nature of the relationship:

I am an full time employee of Contra Costa Health Services and work for a federally funded grant program within the Public Health Department.

Please Agree with the Following Statement

I certify that the statements made by me in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I acknowledge and understand that all information in this application is publicly accessible. I understand that misstatements and/or omissions of material fact may cause forfeiture of my rights to serve on a board, committee, or commission in Contra Costa County.

I Agree

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Education

Touro University, California

Master of Public Health, 2013

Major: Global/International Health

California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly), San Luis Obispo

Bachelor of Science, June 2009

Major: Kinesiology

Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services, Concord, CA

Public Health Program Specialist I, Whole Person Care, CommunityConnect September 2017-Present

- Manage and supervise Homeless Service Specialists
- Lead, coordinate and maintain County division collaboration efforts
- Coordinate and attend meetings with County-wide programs and community based organizations
- Establish program priorities, goals and objectives
- Review, evaluate, implement and interpret program policies to insure compliance with State and Federal program mandates
- Lead and assist in pilot program planning and project development
- Lead program innovation projects
- Evaluate and review staff performance and productivity
- Provide reflective supervision for staff on a bi-monthly basis
- Develop workflows, processes and procedures for care coordination
- Lead staff recruitment, hiring and evaluating the work of program staff
- Interprets policies and procedures for program staff
- Monitor and evaluate program activities and budget
- Practice cultural competency differences of the County's diverse population

Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services, Concord, CA

October 2016-Present

Planning and Policy Manager, Health Care for the Homeless

- Set goals and objectives and establish program priorities
- Reviews, evaluates, implements and interprets program policy to insure compliance with State and Federal program mandates
- Annually review, update, monitor and evaluate program activities and budget
- Review and prepare annual and quarterly reports to manager and Board for approval
- Identify urgent needs for program services and makes appropriate referrals
- Lead and coordinate program planning efforts
- Provide supervision, technical assistance and consultation to program staff
- Participate in recruitment, hiring and evaluating the work of program staff
- Represent the program at meetings with local, State and Federal program representatives
- Coordinate and attend meetings with County-wide programs and community organizations
- Write and review proposals for grant submissions and reports
- Develop and conduct community needs assessments and satisfaction surveys
- Conduct program evaluation and develop future recommendations
- Collect, analyze and report statistical data

- Plan and supervise educational outreach activities and develops program informational material
- Coordinate County-wide clinical and health education programs
- Organize and advise Federal program Governing Board in compliance with Federal requirements

Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services, Martinez, CA

January 2016 – October 2016

Senior Health Education Specialist, Health Care for the Homeless

- Plan, conduct and evaluate health education and health prevention aspects of programs and recommends policies to protect and promote public health.
- Coordinate multiple program elements such as outreach efforts, health education and community awareness & involvement.
- Confer with and advise staff on strategies to integrate health education into the department's functions.
- Represent the department with various community organizations and citizen committees.
- Conduct needs assessments and prepares reports and recommendations on community health needs and services.
- Collect, analyze and report statistical data
- Develop health education curriculum based on needs assessment for Contra Costa County community members.
- Reduce barriers for homeless clients by offering affordable, accessible and quality health care in non-traditional settings.
- Educate the homeless population within the shelter environment on health education topics such as hypertension, diabetes management, wound care and much more.
- Organize and arrange for discussion groups on health problems.
- Evaluate reports on health education services and educational programs.
- Direct and coordinate relevant training activities as needed.
- Attends meetings and seminars and participates on various community committees.
- Maintains and distributes health educational material to the staff and the general public as appropriate.
- Prepare visual aids, display and outreach materials
- Publicize health programs and services through various media.
- Present health education material at the individual, group and community level.

Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services, Martinez, CA

October 2013 – December 2015

Health Education Specialist, Public Health School-Based Clinics

- Assist administrators and supervisors in planning, conducting and evaluating health education and health prevention aspects for Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services.
- Confer with and advise staff on health education and preventive principles and the techniques of community organization.
- Review publications for education sustainability and curriculum development to promote health. Assist in community needs assessments.
- Develop health education curriculum based on needs assessment for community of Contra Costa County.
- Reduce barriers for adolescents by offering affordable, accessible and quality health care at the high schools.
- Manage Contra Costa County school-based health clinic flow and scheduling. Educate adolescents on anatomy, reproductive, mental and preventive health.

- Encourage and empower adolescents to take interest in their own health responsibilities.
- Manage the communications and relationships between Contra Costa County Public Health Clinic Services and local schools and community organizations.
- Evaluate and report on health education services and programs within the county.
- Develop, maintain and distribute health education material to the staff and members of the community.
- Develop and create visual aids and display materials to promote health services.
- Conduct research and needs assessment for colleague trainings and educational updates.
- Organize and arrange for discussion groups on health problems within the community.
- Present health education material at the individual, group and community level.
- Provide excellent customer service to all clients, colleagues, and community partners.

Capstone Paper, Touro University, Vallejo, CA

February –May 2013

Knowledge of Mother-to-Child Transmission of HIV/AIDS in Ethiopia

American Public Health Association National Conference Abstract Accepted 2013

Author

- Background research, secondary data collection, regional sample selection, ordinal data analysis (Descriptive, Bivariate and Multivariate Analysis – Ordinal Multiple Logistic Regression using SPSS) data interpretation, recommendations based on findings
- Paper construction and formatting
- Granted authorization of Ethiopia Demographic and Health Survey
- PowerPoint development and presentation of research and findings.

Jimma University Hospital, Jimma, Ethiopia

September –December 2012

Assessment of CD4+ T-Cell Levels in HIV Infected Breast Milk

Project Manager

- Served as the Touro University primary point of contact on Touro Breast Milk Project while in Ethiopia while collaborating with the Head of the Pharmacy Department and Director of Maternity Ward and Head of Obstetrics at Jimma University.
- Demonstrated strong interpersonal skills for working closely with team members.
- Administrative duties managing research and study teams in varying departments.
- Developed fiscal projections and budgets while overseeing the fiscal aspects of project locally and globally.
- Development and completion of study materials such as team member orientation and instructions, consent forms, questionnaires, data collection records, supply inventory and financial/grant documents.
- Recruitment of project team members (10) and participants of approximately 60.
- Attend & contribute to project meetings with collaborators and team & take minutes/notes.
- Assess project progress & any issues that may arise and report to principle investigator.
- Ensure quality of data collected
- Manage and help with any lab procedures or experiments if needed
- Monitor all activities that are related to the research project such as: patient recruitment, data collection, data interpretation & analysis, lab analysis, & study progression.

Health Education and Wellness Program, Elsa Widenmann Elementary, Vallejo, CA

2011- 2012

Public Health Educator

- Needs Assessment establishing participant's demographics and prior knowledge.
- Lesson plan development

- Health education mentoring and activity leader
- Engaging young students about healthy behaviors such as dietary, oral, physical activity.