



**The Institute for Population Health Sciences'** core mission is to advance population health sciences through scientific research, adaptive training & coaching, & partnership development to improve health and wellbeing of diverse populations.

Established in 2022, IPHS is led by [Dr. XinQi Dong](#), a population health epidemiologist and geriatrician, formerly Director of Rutgers University Institute for Health. Dr. Dong has served as a senior advisor for the Department of Health and Human Services under the Obama administration and as a Commissioner for Law and Aging of the American Bar Association. Dr. Dong has published extensively on violence prevention, mental health, health equity & healthy aging, mentored many scientists and received numerous national and international awards.

**We are looking for interns for Summer 2023 who are interested in public health, research and/or community engagement.**

**Interns will be working 10-20 hours a week, remote possible, within one or more of the areas below based on interest and prior expertise:**

- Creation of information materials on common health questions such as cancer screening, diabetes, COVID-19 prevention, etc for public distribution
- Connecting with local Chicago and IL community programs
- Developing social media posts and schedules for IPHS
- Assisting in grant writing and development for both private & government funders

**Ideal candidates should be:**

- Interested in topics such as health equity, community development, research, and other topics within public health and health care
- Versed in some undergraduate or graduate level research and writing
- Entrepreneurial in spirit, interested in helping expand reach of a new non for profit
- Strong and empathetic communicators

**What interns can gain from IPHS:**

- Flexibility in adapting role for professional development or course credit
- Mentorship and data available for students interested in publishing academic abstracts or manuscripts
- Ability to get 'hands on' experience and work directly with President and board members during the initial development years AND MORE!



We will strive towards this mission via **our visions** below:

1. Build sustainable infrastructures necessary to enable socially consciously and equity focused population-health scientific research
2. Leverage rigorous epidemiological methods and data driven science to discover the scope, cause, burden and prevention strategies for key population health issues
3. Disseminate and translate scientific research to diverse populations through scientific research publication, reports, scientific conferences and community outreach.
4. Foster leadership development and coaching for scientists of diverse backgrounds to prepare the next generation of leaders to shape our world.

With a broad range of experts on topics related to population health, we will be providing **three core areas of expertise:**

### Impactful Research



Spanning fields including Mental Health, Health Equity, Aging, Violence Prevention, and Nutrition

### Training and Coaching



Proven track record of professional faculty training across levels and disciplines

### Community Engagement



Our network of partners reaches across the U.S. to create a broader impact

**Please apply latest by April 15<sup>th</sup> by sending a resume and brief cover letter/SOI to [admin@iphs.org](mailto:admin@iphs.org) or through Handshake. Questions by email welcome!**