

**Early Childhood Programs  
Healthy Eating & Active Living Unit  
New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
Nutrition Education Intern**

**General Responsibilities:**

Eat Well Play Hard in Child Care Settings- Public Schools (EWPHCCS-PS) is a nutrition education curriculum for pre-k through 1<sup>st</sup> grade teachers in NYC public elementary schools. The goal of EWPHCCS-PS is to increase the consumption of fruit, vegetables and low-fat dairy products among 4-7 year olds and their families. Currently, the interactive and engaging nutrition lessons include ideas for academic integration. However, with the Common Core Standards creating a new set of criteria for classroom activities, a clear articulation of how EWPHCCS-PS meets these standards is necessary to ease the use of this program among elementary school teachers.

The selected intern will:

Research Common Core Standards and become fluent in applying these standards to curricula.  
Review EWPHCCS-PS to identify already embedded Standards  
Make suggestions for revisions to better align EWPHCCS-PS to Common Core  
Convene teacher group to provide feedback on project

**Preferred Skills:**

- Elementary school teaching experience in NYC
- Curriculum development experience
- Strong research skills and willingness to become fluent in Common Core Standards
- Independent and self-motivated worker
- Interest in nutrition education in the public school setting

**Time Frame:**

**Present- August 31, 2014**

**Education:**

Students pursuing master's degrees in Nutrition education or Public health nutrition preferred

**Compensation:** This is an unpaid position. The culminating product is well suited to be developed as a final class project.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please send resume and cover letter to Elizabeth Solomon at [esolomo1@health.nyc.gov](mailto:esolomo1@health.nyc.gov).