

# Public health Leadership and Learning Undergraduate Student Success (PLLUSS) Program

The Public health Leadership and Learning Undergraduate Student Success (PLLUSS) Program is an eight-week summer and part-time academic year public health leadership and research program. The goal of the PLLUSS program is to promote student enrollment in public health graduate and professional schools with special emphasis on continuing research and practice in the area of promotion of health equity. The PLLUSS Program is for undergraduate sophomore and junior students minoring or majoring in public health with at least a 3.0 GPA on a 4-point



scale. The PLLUSS program is conducted at three collaborative research sites: (1) Kennedy Krieger Institute and Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, (2) University of Cincinnati and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, and (3) California State University-Los Angeles. PLLUSS Program students will participate in public health research, education on health disparities and urban health issues, professional development, and community health promotion activities. Students will be encouraged to submit research to national meetings and produce peer-reviewed publications.

Students will receive a stipend, travel support to the research site, CDC, and conference attendance, and lodging for out-of-state students based on available CDC funding.

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