## 2016 SHIP APPLICATION SUMMER HEALTH INTERNSHIP PROGRAM JULY 5- AUGUST 11

#### **IMPORTANT TO NOTE**

APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 17, 2016 Only complete applications will be reviewed.

**APPLICATION SUBMISSION OPTIONS:** 

- Completing the online application
- Printing and mailing the full paper application and supplemental forms
- Applications may also be submitted via fax
- Dropped off in person at the MSI AHEC office.

All documents must be postmarked by March 17, 2016

Interviews will begin in April. Students selected for interviews will be contacted regarding acceptance in early May.

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#### Manhattan-Staten Island NYS Area Health Education Center System

#### WHO SHOULD APPLY:

- 10th and 11th grade high school students on-track for promotion in June
- 12th grade high school students in good standing who plan to attend college in the Fall 2016
- College students in good standing that will be a Sophomore Fall 2016

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

- Student must be between 16-22 years of age on July 5th, 2016
- Student must attend school or live in Manhattan or Staten Island
- Student must be interested in a career in the health field
- Student must complete the application and submit two recommendation forms, at least 1 must be from a teacher or faculty. Letters from relatives not accepted.

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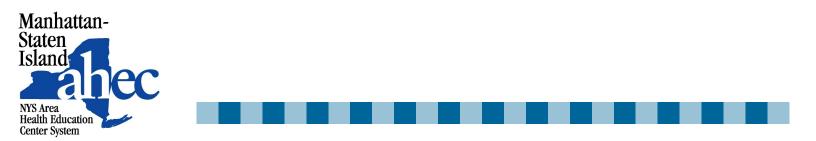
Each year a limited number of students are admitted into SHIP. The program will run from July 5th through August 11th. During this time participants will be expected to work at their designated sites for five hours each day. In addition, there will be mandatory didactic sessions every Thursday. These sessions will encompass a full day and will include lectures, field trips, and other health-related activities. On the final day of the program, all students will be required to attend and present their final projects.

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Student Contact Information	Please Print Clearly
Name (First, MI, Last)	
Date of Birth (month/day/year) and Age	
Primary E-mail Address	
Secondary Email Address	
HOME Street Address	
Address City	
Address State	
Address Zip Code	
HOME Phone Number	
CELL Number	

Student Background	Please Print Clearly		
What is your gender?	MaleFemale		
Do you live in a Rural, Urban or Suburban area? (select one)	RuralUrbanSuburban		
In HIGH SCHOOL did or do you qualify for free OR reduced price meals at your school? (choose one)	YesNoI'm not sure		
Are you Hispanic or Latino?	YesNo		
Which best describes your RACE? (check all that apply)	African American/Black American Indian/Alaskan Native Asian Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander White Other:		



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School Background	Please Print Clearly		
Name of School you attend			
School City/Town			
Education Level (check one)	9-12 Undergraduate College		
Current Grade			
Anticipated Date of Graduation (month//year)			

Please place a check next to the health issues you are interested in knowing more about.

\_\_\_\_ Cancer

\_\_\_\_ Diabetes

- \_\_\_\_ Domestic Violence
- \_\_\_\_ Heart Disease
- \_\_\_\_ HIV / AIDS
- \_\_\_\_ Hypertension
- \_\_\_\_ Infant Mortality
- \_\_\_ Obesity
- \_\_\_\_ Respiratory Therapy
- \_\_\_\_ STDs
- \_\_\_\_ Teen Pregnancy
- \_\_\_\_ Other:\_\_\_\_\_

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Please place a check next to the THREE health careers in which you are most interested.

- \_\_\_\_ Alternative Medicine
- \_\_\_Cardiology
- \_\_\_Clinical Laboratory Services
- \_\_\_Dentistry
- \_\_\_\_Dietetics Nutrition
- \_\_\_\_Emergency Medicine
- \_\_\_\_Family Medicine
- \_\_\_\_ Gynecology
- \_\_\_\_Health Administration
- \_\_\_\_Mental Health
- \_\_\_\_Neurology
- \_\_\_Nursing
- \_\_\_Optometry
- \_\_\_\_Orthopedic Medicine
- \_\_\_\_Pediatrics
- \_\_\_\_Pharmacy
- \_\_\_\_Forensic Science
- \_\_Public Health
- \_Social Work
- Therapy & Rehabilitation
  - Other:

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List any activities or organizations you are/were involved in: (attach an additional sheet if needed)

Please list any languages you speak in addition to English:

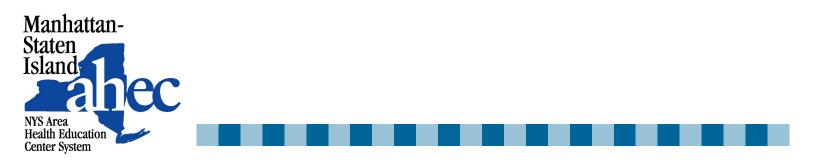
Do you have family members who are health professionals? If yes, which profession?

Did you apply to this program last year? \_\_\_\_\_\_ If yes, were you accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this program?\_\_\_\_\_

If accepted are into the MSI-AHEC SHIP I am willing and able to work at a placement in:

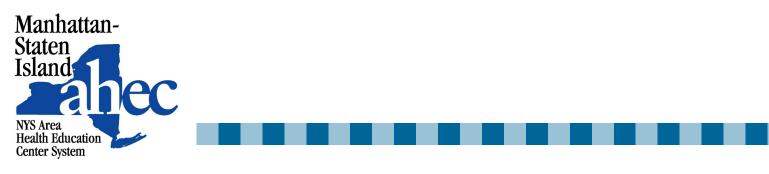
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Please write two short essays, approximately 200 words each, on the following topics. <u>Please type your answers and include them on a separate sheet of paper.</u>

- 1. In what ways have your life experiences led you in your decision to pursue a health career?
- 2. Of the three health careers you checked off on the previous page, which one interests you most? How do you think participating in MSI AHEC and SHIP will help you achieve your health career goals?



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#### **RECOMMENDATION FORM 1**

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Applicant's Name:	
Your name:	Title:
School/Agency:	
Address:	
Phone:	Fax:
Please give an overall recommendation of the application of the applic	ation for the SHIP:
Highly recommend Recommend Do	not recommendInsufficient knowledge to evaluate

Please rate the applicant on the following categories:

	Superior	Good	Average	Below Average	N / A
Demonstrated Interest in health careers					
Commitment to Learning					
Motivation					
Ability to Work with others on a team					
Professionalism					
Reliability, Responsibility					
Maturity					



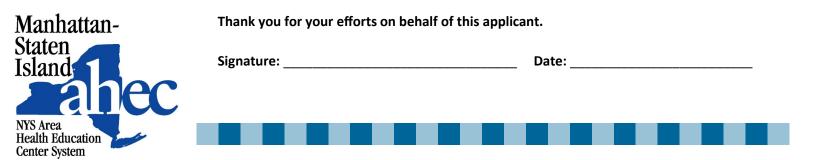
## 2016 SHIP APPLICATION RECOMMENDATION FORM 1

Please answer the following questions in regard to the applicant:

1. How well, and in what capacity do you know the applicant?

2. Please share additional comments that will speak to why the applicant would benefit from SHIP

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