Internship Opportunity - Dental Services Branch

The intern will gain knowledge and experience in the ten essential public health services and public health dentistry as these differ from private practice.

AREAS OF OPPORTUNITY:

- Management of paperless charting
- Digital radiography
- Working with portable dental equipment
- Working with diverse groups of children
- Oral hygiene instruction
- Assisting the dentist and hygienist with paperwork
- Restocking dental supplies and sterilizing instruments

EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Undergraduate/Graduate student in Dental Hygiene, Public Health, or Healthcare Administration
- Willingness to work in a non-traditional clinic which includes portable dental equipment
- Ability to work in small groups
- Ability to travel to other counties
- Must be familiar with medical and dental software
- Possess the desire to work with children

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Must comply with agency rules and procedures; dress code (scrubs), promptness, dependability, and professionalism.
- Must understand patient confidentiality, and the HIPAA policies.
- Internships may be in other counties, starting in Barren, Hart, Metcalfe, and Edmonson. The intern would be able to travel in the mobile dental van, or carpool with others when traveling.
- The intern will be traveling with the dental hygienist on most days, and when they are not scheduled to be out in the field, the intern will be at the Barren River District Health Department District Office at 1109 State Street in Bowling Green, KY 42101.
- Transportation to and from the District office is the responsibilities of the intern.

DURATION:

- Student must be available 20-30 hours per week in the Summer and Fall semesters.

CONTACT

Email your application, transcript, and letter of interest to kim.flora@barrenriverhealth.org. Upon receipt of your application, you will receive a confirmation email. You will be contacted promptly for an interview. Please visit our website at www.barrenriverhealth.org.