Title: PATCH Program Intern (Unpaid - college credit can be arranged)
Hours: 8-15 hours/week, flexible schedule, requires some evening time each month
Location: Downtown Madison
Start Date: July/August 2019 (Ability to commit through May 2019 is required)

The Providers and Teens Communicating for Health (PATCH) Program is an innovative, youth-driven program. Together, youth and allied adults work tirelessly to improve health care experiences for young people by engaging, empowering, and educating a wide variety of individuals and organizations. We envision an environment where all adolescents are able to receive high-quality, youth-friendly health care services, enabling them to reach their optimal health, safety, and economic security.

Position Description: PATCH is seeking an innovative, organized, and personable individual to support PATCH Staff in the day-to-day implementation of the statewide PATCH Youth Advocacy Fellowship. This is a great opportunity to gain on-the-job-skills while doing vitally important work to help improve adolescent health. This is also a unique opportunity to learn about the inner workings of a small non-profit and to be an integral part of a hard-working team.

Duties & Responsibilities:
- Aid in the recruitment and hiring of a team of youth ages 12-21
- Act as a mentor and supporter for a group of 10-15 youth
- Help plan and attend a 20-hour PATCH training
- Co-coordinate and lead virtual enrichments meetings twice each month
- Coordinate and lead a 5-hour mid-year self-care retreat for youth
- Assist with PATCH event planning and implementation including: soliciting donations, gathering materials, creating agendas, and preparing meeting space
- Work collaboratively with the PATCH Coordinator to identify and complete additional projects

Qualifications:
- Passion for adolescent health, youth empowerment, and youth advocacy
- Interest in working directly with high school students
- Great interpersonal communication skills
- Ability to work in an efficient, fast-paced environment
- Ability to work independently as well as collaboratively
- Must be able to commit to position for a full year (July/August 2019 – May 2020)
- Must be over 18 years of age and no longer in high school

Candidates must demonstrate passion, self-motivation, and LOTS of enthusiasm! An interest and commitment to adolescent health, women’s health, and social justice is strongly preferred. Individuals from diverse backgrounds and experiences are encouraged to apply.

To apply: Visit https://supportwomenshealth.wufoo.com/forms/wawah-internship-application/ and select “PATCH General Intern” as the “Position(s) you are applying for or are interested in”.

With questions, please email patch@wiawh.org.

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