THIS MONTH'S HIGHLIGHT
ASPHN Fellowship Alumni Selected for the Tennessee Hospital Association Internship

Congratulations to two ASPHN Fellowship alumni and Tennessee State University graduate students who have been selected for Tennessee Hospital Association’s (THA) Agenda 21 Internship Program. J’la Jenkins, and Bege Mallam, both public health majors, recently completed their ASPHN Fellowship during the Spring 2023 session.

Jenkins, a native of Alabama, will intern at Vanderbilt Medical Center, while Mallam, a native of Nigeria, will intern at West Tennessee Healthcare in Jackson, Tennessee.

Designed to increase diversity in hospital executive leadership, the Agenda 21 Internship Program provides selected candidates with additional exposure, knowledge, and skills that prepare them for a successful career in the healthcare industry. Through close work with administrators and staff, Jenkins and Mallam will gain hands-on experience as part of their hospitals’ leadership teams. After completing their internships, these ASPHN alumni will return to TSU to complete their remaining graduate coursework.

LEARN ABOUT THE ASPHN HEALTH EQUITY FELLOWSHIP

ENHANCE YOUR PRACTICE
Fresh Resource: Farm to ECE Grantees Model Effective Recognition Programs

Browse the new ASPHN 2023 Snapshot of Farm to ECE State Recognition Programs. Then, imagine how this powerful and cost-efficient method could apply to your initiatives.

Recognition programs are uplifting educators and food producers that support Farm to Early Care and Education (ECE) programs. As a result, they are creating healthy, nurturing ECE environments for young children.

Click the button below to review four ASPHN Farm to ECE programs as examples of the costs and benefits of recognition programs and their logistics.

LEARN FROM THESE RECOGNITION PROGRAMS

"Recognition programs have costs but are worth it! ECE educators don't get enough recognition. In our state, it connects partners, builds goodwill, connects educators with others doing good work, and helps them recommit [to Farm to ECE] strategies."
- New Mexico Grown Partner comments on the Golden Chile Award

Webinar: Capture the Ripple Effect for Dynamic Program Evaluation

Ripple Effect Mapping Part II - Analysis
July 28, 11:00 - 12:30 EST
Register by July 27

Have you ever been busy in the middle of a project and felt like things were dragging along without any progress? A big-picture perspective can help!

Ripple effects mapping (REM) is a tool for program planning and evaluation that puts impacts in a larger context.

Join Dr. Abby Gold from the University of Minnesota Extension for an interactive workshop where you will learn and practice ways to create meaningful conversations about project accomplishments and dive into two analytics processes.

If you missed REM Part I, a brief overview of the ripple effects mapping process will be provided. For information and recording links to previous REM webinars, resources, and any questions, contact shana@asphn.org.

TAKING ACTION TOGETHER

National Breastfeeding Month: Prepare Your Support Messages Now
Prepare now to celebrate National Breastfeeding Month in August with the theme, "This is Our Why".

Use this theme to enhance your messaging about breastfeeding. Call partners and community members to take action together.

Promote diversity, equity, inclusiveness, justice, and belonging with a weekly focus on breastfeeding within these cultural contexts.

Week 1 – World Breastfeeding Week. "Breast Milk and the Body" emphasizes the benefits of chest/breastfeeding to mothers and babies.

Week 2 – Indigenous Milk Medicine Week

Week 3 – Asian American Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander Breastfeeding Week

Week 4 – Black Breastfeeding Week

Week 5 – LactanciaLatina (a new first week of September celebration)

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CELEBRATE OUR MEMBERS

It is a joy to celebrate our members! ASPHN proudly displays the rich and innovative initiatives of our members working in a variety of action areas on the Public Health Nutrition Hall of Fame.

Visit the Hall of Fame today for inspiration for your career. Share these stories orally or by digital link as you talk about the role and value of public health nutritionists, like you, in making healthy choices easy for all people.
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Your active participation in ASPHN can accelerate your career development and keep your state on the leading edge of public health innovation.
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