

AT A GLANCE: THE AMHB SUMMER EMPLOYMENT RESEARCH PROGRAM (ASERP)

Program Description

Similar to a STEP program, AMHB Summer Employment Research Program (ASERP) offers organizations subsidized wages to employ undergraduate and graduate students over the summer to work on projects aimed at advancing the evidence based mental health research goals of the organization.

Employer Eligibility

- Regional Health Authority
- Non-profit mental health organization
- Aboriginal community

Project Eligibility

- Focused on mental health
- Related to research, evaluation and/or quality improvement activities
- Relevant to at least one of the Alberta Mental Health Research Partnership Program [research priorities and/or cross cutting themes](#)

Duration of Employment

Organizations will offer full-time employment (30-40 hours per week) to students. Projects should provide continuous employment to students over a 10 to 16 week period.

Subsidy Amount

Organizations whose applications are successful will receive a wage subsidy of \$8.00 per hour from the AMHB.

Number of Positions

The 2008 ASERP program will subsidize a maximum of 25 positions: 2 per Regional Health Authority (for a total of 18), 4 to non-profit organizations, and 3 to Aboriginal communities.

Application Deadline

February 22, 2008

Contact Information

To obtain more information about ASERP or to apply to the program please visit <http://www.mentalhealthresearch.ca/KeyInitiatives/Students/ASERP/Pages/default.aspx>

Questions about the ASERP program may be directed to:

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