Paid Internship, Summer 2018

 Granite-State PNHP

Continued major changes in U.S. health care delivery is a certainty. American physicians must play a role in shaping public policy to improve outcomes. PNHP advocates for replacing our porous, inefficient & costly health coverage system with a single payer program. GSPNHP is pleased to offer a 2018 summer internship to one or two medical students interested in developing advocacy or activist projects while learning about health care value, systems and reforms. The internship is a 4-5 week program, which includes:

* **a weekly reading/media group** comprised of medical students from Geisel & UVM, Dartmouth grad students, & faculty, coordinated with:
* **an academic curriculum** on Comparative Hx of Healthcare Systems, Defining Value/Barriers to High-Value Care, Leadership & Advocacy, Primary Care, the Medical Home & Subspecialty Care, US Reform Efforts (“Usual/Customary Care”, Hx of “The Blues” & “For-Profit” Insurers, Medicaid, Medicare, CHIP, ACOs, ACAs and more) Pending Proposals for Health System Change
* **weekly** **meetings with thought leaders** from various perspectives in health systems reform, business, legislation & activism. Experiences with legislation, community health ctrs, academicians, health administrators & advocacy groups.
* **a student-designed internship project** supervised by faculty mentors, might be developing legislative proposals, educational public service ads, you-tube or advocacy projects, editorials, a video piece, legislative assistance, a position paper, etc.) Preparing a presentation for colleagues or community groups will also be a component of the Internship.

**The intern will receive a stipend of $1500 for the four-five weeks program.**

**For more information, contact:** Ken Dolkart, MD, kenneth.dolkart@gmail.com or Donald Kollisch, MD, Donald.O.Kollisch@dartmouth.edu

**To apply:**

1. Review the application
2. Ask one of your references to send a letter of reference to kenneth.dolkart@gmail.com AND Donald.O.Kollisch@dartmouth.edu
3. Send a cover letter AND
4. Either a resume, supplemented if needed OR complete and send the Internship application to Ken Dolkart MD kenneth.dolkart@gmail.com AND Donald Kollisch MD, Donald.O.Kollisch@dartmouth.edu

Applications will be accepted and interviews offered on a rolling basis.