

MCH TRAINING PROGRAM: MCH PIPELINE

DIVISION OF RESEARCH, TRAINING, AND EDUCATION

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH BUREAU OF THE HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Purpose

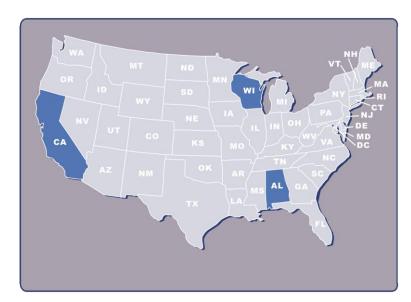
The purpose of the Maternal and Child Health Pipeline Training Program (MCHPTP) is to promote the development of a culturally diverse and representative health care workforce by recruiting students from under-represented minorities into maternal and child public health professions. The MCHPTP recruits financially disadvantaged under-represented undergraduate students enrolled at Minority Serving Institutions such as Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU). The MCHPTP provides enriching experiences to increase students' interests in MCH public health professions (pediatrics, public health, pediatric nutrition, public health social work, pediatric nursing, pediatric dentistry, psychology, health education, pediatric occupational/physical therapy, speech language pathology, etc.). Grantees must demonstrate a linkage to one or more existing MCH long-term training programs. •

Program Profile

In FY2009, MCHB funded 4 Pipeline programs with total annual awards amounting to approximately \$670,000. The next grant competition for the Pipeline Programs is FY2011.

Program Locations

- Alabama
 Alabama State University
- California
 University of California at Los Angeles
- District of Columbia
 Howard University
- Wisconsin
 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee



For contact information and project abstracts: www.mchb.hrsa.gov/training/projects.asp?program=22



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