

CALL FOR STUDENT POSTERS

Joint Annual Meeting of the California Public Health Association-North and Southern California Public Health Association

**April 4-5, 2005
Oakland, CA**

The Student Participation Committee invites all *undergraduate* and *graduate* students from Schools of Public Health and Health Programs at California universities to submit an abstract to display a **poster** at the Joint Annual meeting. The presentation should embrace the conference theme, "*Improving the Public's Health: The Power of Collaboration,*" although any scientific presentation will be considered. This is a wonderful opportunity to present research results you have completed recently or are close to completion, and to interact with public health professionals from throughout California.

No formal poster sessions are planned. Instead, posters will be available for viewing by attendees in conference rooms and at other locations adjacent to the meeting areas. Details on poster size and other requirements will be distributed to students whose proposals are accepted.

A limited amount of financial support is available to assist with travel, registration, and housing costs for students whose proposals are accepted. Students interested in attending this conference are also encouraged to check with their university for availability of funds. In addition, cash awards will be given to the top five posters, as judged by a panel of faculty and public health officials. First prize will be \$100, with a second prize of \$75 and three third prizes of \$50 each.

To submit an abstract for consideration, please print out and submit the information sheet below. In addition, you should append an abstract of your presentation (using a maximum of 250 words) that describes the purpose and importance of your research, your approach and methods, major findings, etc. This information is also available on the websites of the two associations (www.cphan.org and www.scpha.org).

Presentations should consist primarily of the student's work. Please contact your academic advisor if you would like information about how to present a poster at a professional meeting like this.

You should submit the student information sheet and the poster abstract to your school's Student Participation Committee representative. The names of these representatives appear at the bottom of the information sheet.

Please note: You must be a currently enrolled student in a School of Public Health or Health Program at a university in California to be considered for a poster presentation.

The **deadline** for submission is **March 14, 2005**.

PROPOSAL FOR POSTER PRESENTATION

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Student Name _____

University _____

Department _____

Year in Program (e.g, Undergraduate Senior; Graduate 1st year, etc.): _____

Name of Academic or Research Advisor _____

Contact Information:

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Home Work Cell

E-mail address: _____

Poster Information

Poster Title: _____

Poster Author(s): _____

Have you made a similar presentation to a professional audience? Yes No

If your poster is accepted, will you be able to attend conference sessions both days? Yes No

Please attach a separate page with an abstract of your poster presentation (250 words maximum).

Type the title of the poster presentation at the top of that page, followed by names of all authors.

Please submit the information sheet and poster abstract to the representative at your school:

UCLA School of Public Health:

Ms. Billie Weiss

UC Berkeley School of Public Health:

Assistant Dean Pat Hosel

Loma Linda University School of Public Health:

Dr. David Dyjack

San Diego State University School of Public Health:

Dr. Robert Seidman

CSU East Bay:

Dr. Pauline Kelzer

CSU, Long Beach:

Dr. Bonnie Kellogg

San Jose State University:

Dr. Kathleen Roe

San Francisco State University:

Dr. Mary Beth Love

CSU, Northridge

Dr. Robert Huff