

**Grand Valley School of Social Work**  
**College of Community and Public Service**  
**MPH Fellowship Training Grant Program**

“An MCH leader is one who understands and supports MCH values, mission, and goals with a sense of purpose and moral commitment. He or she values interdisciplinary collaboration and diversity and brings the capacity to think critically about MCH issues at both the population and individual levels, as well as to communicate the work with others and use self-reflection. The MCH leader possesses core knowledge of MCH populations and their needs and demonstrates professionalism in attitudes and working habits. He or she continually seeks new knowledge and improvement of abilities and skills central to effective, evidence-based leadership. The MCH leader is also committed to sustaining an infrastructure to recruit, train and mentor future MCH leaders to ensure the health and well-being of tomorrow’s children and families. Finally, the MCH leader is responsive to the changing political, social, scientific and demographic context and demonstrates the capability to change quickly and adapt in the face of emerging challenges and opportunities”.

MCHB Strategic Plan, 2003-2007. <http://www.mchb.hrsa.gov/about/stratplan03-07.htm#1>

**Statement of Agreement:**

As a trainee in this MPH grant, I agree to the conditions below:

- I will participate in all of the 6-hour weekly ITV interdisciplinary trainings.
- I will complete all of the assignments required in the MPH training grant curriculum.
- I will complete the 2 semesters of the MPH training grant.
- I will actively seek opportunities to apply MPH training within my field placement setting.
- I will fully participate in my GVSU medical field placement setting and seminar.
- I will receive credit for 6 hours of field for full participation and attendance to the MPH interdisciplinary training and completion of MPH related assignments.
- I will receive a \$900 fellowship payment at the end of each of the 2 semesters.
- I will receive a “MPH Training Certificate” at the completion of the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester for actively participating in this training opportunity.
- Failure to participate or to complete both semesters of this fellowship may result in loss of the stipend, training certificate or need to complete additional field placement hours.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOAP #: 22523338300-7539-300 “Fellowship”**