

Kaiser Permanente Downey Service Area

2024 Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP)



About the Program

The Kaiser Permanente Summer Youth Employment Program is a **7-week** paid internship for prospective pre-health students (grades 10,11 – 12, ≥ 16 y/o). It is an opportunity for students to learn about healthcare careers through an academic-based skill demonstration project as well as through education day training designed to prepare students for a career in healthcare.

During the program:

- Gain exposure to a variety of non-clinical and allied-health professions, as well as healthcare operations via education days
- Present a Community Awareness Project—an opportunity for students to research and design a strategy to address community-related healthcare disparities
- Receive skills training and mentorship in educational and career success, college readiness, interview preparedness, and communication and leadership skills
- Develop and practice a variety of social, technical and employability skills, e.g. timeliness and professionalism

Criteria and Requirements

- Must be a current high-school student (≥ 16 y/o), 11th graders are given priority.
- **Cannot** be a legal dependent of a Kaiser Permanente employee.
- Attendance is mandatory for the duration of **the 7-week** program; Monday –Friday.
- Program dates are late June to early August.

Medical Center Specifics

- Students who participate in the KP Youth Work Preparatory Certificate Program are given priority.
- Reach out to Ignacio if you have any questions of the KP Youth Work Preparatory Certificate Program

How To Apply

To apply, please visit: <https://forms.office.com/r/hbDfrkaS8p>

Applications Dates: February 1, 2024– March 17,2024



Ignacio Vazquez Cano

SWA Educational Outreach

Coordinator

Ignacio.V.Cano@kp.org

323.564.7911

Watts Counseling & Learning Center

Address: 9333 Imperial Hwy. Downey, CA 90242



Learn more at <https://community.kp.org/about/program/summer-youth-employment-program>