

# CDC's Epidemiology Elective Program (EEP) for Medical and Veterinary Students

Combat public health threats while learning applied epidemiology during a distinctive 6 or 8 week rotation with our nation's health protection agency.



Alexandra Medley, DVM(c), MPH(c), EEP 2016, EIS 2018, field tested an oral rabies vaccine and assessed strategies for increasing vaccination coverage in dogs.

Learn applied epidemiology while investigating real-world public health problems such as infectious disease outbreaks, natural disasters, chronic diseases, and poor access to healthcare.

## EEP students

- Participate in surveillance of a disease, injury, or other health conditions
- Analyze health data to identify new risk factors for disease
- Assist in the field to investigate an outbreak
- Contribute to CDC publications and guidelines of major public health importance

“During my assignment, I worked alongside a variety of public health experts who were dedicated to public service and mentorship. [My EEP rotation] was an inspiring introduction to the world of applied epidemiology.”

Matthew Blum, MD (c)  
2017 Epidemiology Elective Program

**Application Period:  
February 1 - March 30**

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