The C. Everett Koop Scholars Program in Addiction Studies at Dartmouth is currently welcoming applications for program entry in the 2014-15 academic year.

The mission of the C. Everett Koop Scholars in Addiction Studies Program at Dartmouth is to support the development of leaders in the field of substances, addiction and recovery by providing enriched opportunities for education, research, and service to students who have demonstrated significant interest in the field.

Participants in the Koop Scholar Program:

• Meet regularly with experts in addiction studies including researchers, clinicians, policy makers, and educators to broaden and deepen understanding of the field.

• Have ready access to mentors and other resources to facilitate initiatives in prevention and/or management of substance and addiction problems.

• Engage with peers and others who share interest in the field to support professional growth through networking, discussions and shared experiences.

• Periodically receive materials of interest from the DCARE staff that stimulate thinking about substance use issues.

Students enter as Scholar interns and may advance to Koop Scholar by completing and presenting a mentored service project in the field.

Eligibility:
Students at Dartmouth College, Geisel School of Medicine, and all other Dartmouth graduate and professional programs are invited to apply for participation. The program intends to be inclusionary, rather than competitive or exclusionary, but anticipates that accepted students have demonstrated interest in the field through one or more of the following:

• Completed education on substances and/or addiction beyond that required in college or medical school

• Performed community service, research, policy work, or other activity in some area in the field of substance use and addiction.

• Demonstrated significant ongoing interest and/or commitment to addressing substance-related problems in their personal or academic lives.

To make application, please

• Arrange to meet with a member of the Koop Scholar Advisory Group to discuss goals of involvement in the program

• Submit a brief (one page or less) description of relevant background or interests
You may contact Susan Wills at: Susan.wills@dartmouth.edu to receive your applications and arrange meetings.

Thank you for your interest!

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