

## CENTER FOR HEALTH CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Summer Health Career Enrichment Institute Student Internship Program School-based Health Career Activities

"Preparing youth for careers in the health professions"

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Dear Ms. Graham:

This letter is to acknowledge and to thank you for the Graham Family Foundation's anonymous donation of \$2,500 to the Center for Health Career Development. I would also like to express my personal gratitude, thanks and appreciation for this contribution to the 2009 Summer Health Career Enrichment Institute. This donation represents your recognition of the need for services to improve the health, social, educational, and well-being of disadvantaged youth, and your efforts to see that those needs are met.

Your generous contribution has enabled us to increase the number of accepted applicants from 20 to 25 students, and to provide each of them with a \$500 stipend while actively engaged in summer training. As you know, most summer youth training, development and educational programs that are designed to serve youth from low-income families provide student stipends. If stipends were not available, students' need for summer employment would preclude them from participating in the program.

Thank you so much for your generous contribution, and for your interest in helping disadvantaged youth.

Sincerely yours,

Carl N. Lester, MPH

Director