

## **Public Health Policy**

Public Health Policy interns receive hands-on experience and insight into the dynamic role of science in public health. The mission of the Public Health Policy department is "to advance the public health worldwide by integrating science, policy and practice through information, communication and collaboration." Public Health Policy's mission-related goal statements are: (1) prioritize issues and stimulate actions to improve health worldwide; (2) implement strategies to improve public health decision making; and (3) enhance information and communication systems and resources to strengthen public health.

Internships in the Public Health Policy department provide students and graduates hands-on experience and insight into the dynamic role of science in public health. Internship responsibilities include: Helping to staff APHA committees--Science Board, Women's Rights, Equal Health Opportunity Supporting grant-funded initiatives such as Public Health Innovations, Medicine and Public Health, and National Highway Traffic and Safety Enhancing the Association's science activities.