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People's Community Clinic
delivers care with dignity and
respect to people with little or
no health insurance.

People's Community Clinic is a unique Austin institution and one of the oldest continually-running independent clinics for primary care in America. Founded in 1970 by a group of volunteer doctors and nurses, the Clinic has never wavered from its mission: ***to improve the health of medically underserved and uninsured Central Texans by providing high quality, affordable healthcare with dignity and respect.***

The Clinic has been locally managed and operated for almost 50 years, and is nonprofit and privately funded. All services are offered to patients on a sliding scale basis. People's Community Clinic is Austin's only independent clinic offering comprehensive health and wellness care to improve the health of our uninsured neighbors. Through our integrated behavior health, patient education, and community partnerships, we work to help patient's access services that relieve the many health-harming effects that surround them.

The range of programs that student interns might help with include:

- **Health Promotions:** Helping patients improve their own health through learning about positive lifestyle changes with health education, chronic disease management, nutrition counseling and health cooking classes, early childhood education resources, and prenatal group support
- **Medical-Legal Partnership:** On-site attorneys at the clinic providing legal assistance and representation for our patients on a variety of issues, including public benefits, housing, advance directives, guardianship and kinship care, and immigration.
- **Community Centered Health Home (CCHH):** Advocate and organize to support individual and community health needs. Acknowledge the factors outside medical services that affect patient health outcomes and support the clinic to actively participate for improvement.

To apply for an internship with People's Community Clinic students need to send a resume and letter of interest to Gayla Stock, Volunteer Coordinator: gaylas@austinpcc.org

If students are selected for an internship, they will need to meet **Immunization Requirements** at their own expense, before starting. They must submit a copy of their immunization records to verify immunity to measles, mumps, rubella (MMR), varicella (chicken pox), and vaccination for tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (Tdap). Also a negative TB Skin test within the last year and a TB Symptoms questionnaire. Details regarding the immunization requirements will be provided to the student at their internship interview.