



Engage Internship Program



About the Program

The Engage Internship Program is one of EMPHNET's key initiatives to support knowledge exchange and capacity building in public health. Developed to strengthen the public health workforce in the region, the program offers practical, structured learning experiences for students and recent graduates.

Through mentorship, hands-on assignments, and exposure to real-world projects, Engage supports students and young professionals in transitioning from academic training to meaningful public health practice.

Why Choose Engage?

- Real-world public health projects
- One-on-one mentorship from regional experts
- Self-paced, accredited learning opportunities
- Access to a growing alumni network
- Career and networking pathways within EMPHNET and beyond



What the Program Offers to Interns



Practical Experience

Contribute to real public health projects aligned with EMPHNET's goals.



Mentorship

Receive structured guidance from experienced mentors across a range of technical public health areas.



Professional Development

Strengthen core competencies in public health research, communication, policy, program management, and more.



Networking

Connect with a regional network of professionals and gain visibility through EMPHNET's platforms.



Accredited Learning

Enroll in self-paced courses offered by IAPH and EMPHNET to deepen your knowledge. *Complete the three-month program to earn an APHEA-accredited certificate and CPD points.*



Certification

Earn a Certificate of Completion and become eligible for recommendation letters.

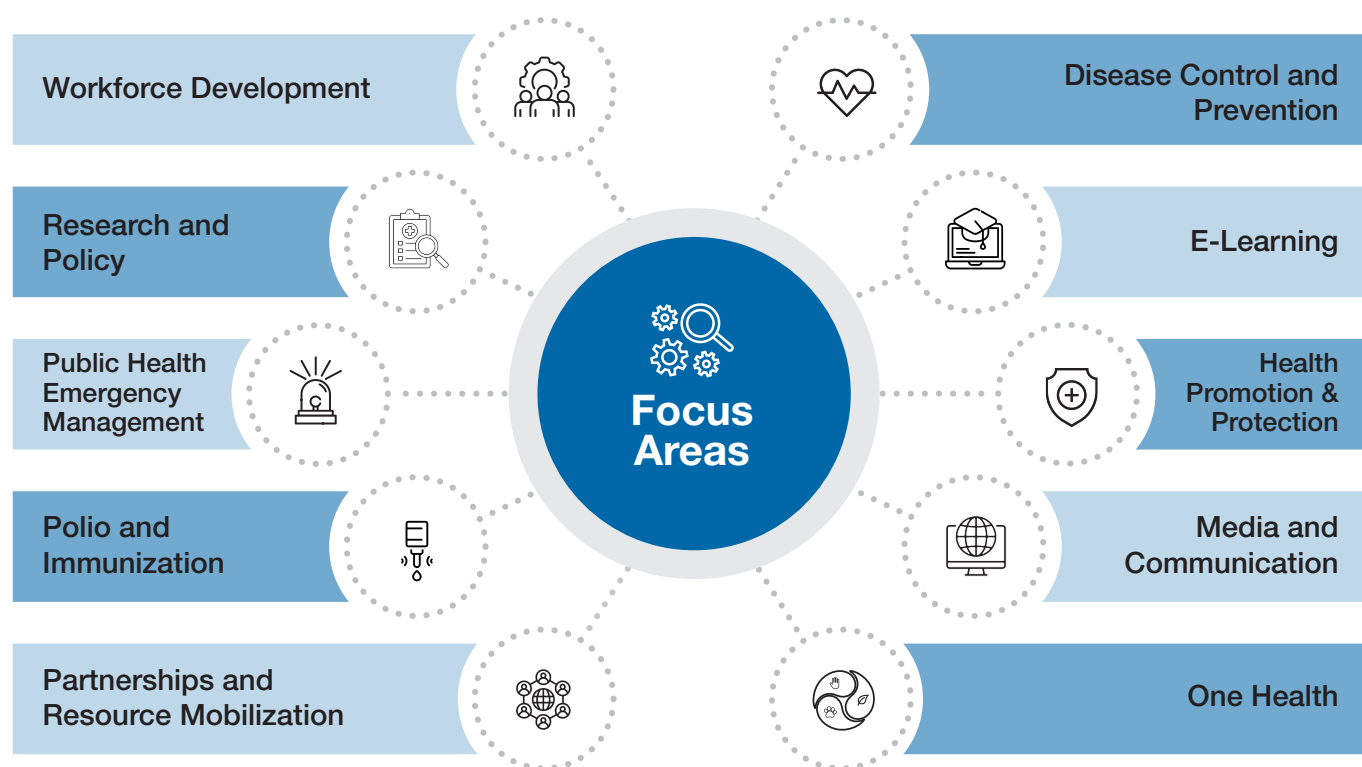


Employment




Benefit from potential hiring opportunities at EMPHNET and through its extended public health network.

Specialized Public Health Training

Interns can enhance their experience by taking self-paced, accredited courses offered by the International Academy of Public Health (IAPH) and EMPHNET. These courses combine thematic content with practical assignments and offer a Certificate of Completion and CPD points. The training is accredited by the Agency for Public Health Education Accreditation (APHEA) and provides added value for those seeking to deepen their public health knowledge during the internship.



Program Details

	Duration	3 to 6 months
	Modality	Virtual, Hybrid, or Onsite (based on availability and project needs)
	Target Audience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students and recent graduates from diverse academic backgrounds Young professionals seeking practical public health experience

Program Reach

1500+
Applications
Received

80+
Alumni
Trained

30+
Global
Interns

20+
Expert
Mentors

10+
Interns Hired by
EMPHNET

Alumni Network

Graduates of the program join the Engage Alumni Network, gaining access to:



Career and internship opportunities



Regional events and professional workshops



Ongoing learning resources

What Our Alumni Say About the Program



Engaging myself in the heart of immunization activities in Somalia equipped me with invaluable hands-on experience that transcends the confines of a conventional internship.

*- Polio and Routine Immunization Intern,
Abdirahman Moallim Ibrahim*



EMPHNET stands out because it puts a lot of effort into supporting the professional growth of its interns and fosters an environment of continuous learning.

*- Partnership and Resource Mobilization Intern,
Reem Al-Jawlahi*



My experience with EMPHNET showed me that I would likely enjoy working more closely with the national health system in Jordan and that there may be opportunities to pursue here in the future.

*- Disease Control and Prevention Intern,
Jack Carew*



This internship has solidified my passion for clinical research and health education. It has equipped me with the necessary skills and knowledge to confidently use my career aspirations.

*- Research and Policy Intern,
Vivian Opoku*

How to Get Involved

For Students and Graduates:

Looking to gain experience and grow your public health career?

Keep an eye on our website & social media channels for new opportunities or register your interest

For Academic Institutions and Partners:

We welcome collaboration with universities, public health organizations, and training institutes to:

- Host interns
- Co-develop learning opportunities
- Nominate students for the program

