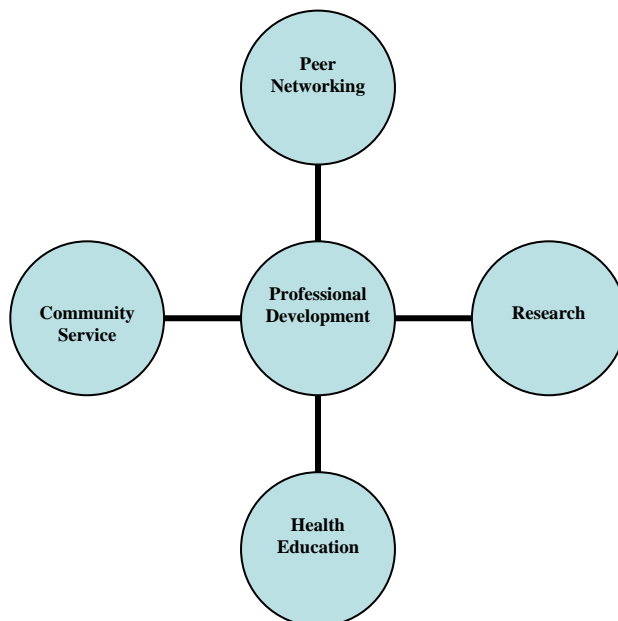


Student Public Health Association

Winner of Outstanding New Organization Award in 2006 & 2007
Outstanding Educational Event Award in 2007



Purpose: to increase the professional competencies of Health Science Students at Truman state University through service and educational activities both on and off campus.

Membership requirements:

- current enrollment at Truman State University
 - Health Science major or 6 credit hours in HS courses
 - participate in 4 service hours and 4 education hours per semester
- Average service hours per week: 1-2 or more (varies with your involvement)
Meetings: two times / month (2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.)

Dues: \$20.00 / semester

Health Education Programs:

- Self-Care Facilitators (freshman, senior citizens, community members)
- Smoking Cessation Facilitators

Service Activities:

- Stress-Free Fridays
- Sleep Awareness Week
- Alcohol Education Week
- Adopt-A-Street project
- HS speaker's bureau on campus

Volunteers for:

- Student Health Center
- Kirksville Public Schools—reading tutors
- Stream Clean-up with HLTH 362
- Special Olympics
- Relay for Life

Research Opportunities/Conference Presentations/ Published articles

Members have presented their research projects at the following conferences:

- Student Undergraduate Research Conference
- Meeting of the Minds Conference in Kansas City, MO
- Missouri Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance (MAHPERD)
- American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance (AAHPERD)

Members are involved in these campus/community coalitions:

- Meeting of the Minds in Kansas City, MO
- MO-PIP (Campus Coalition for Substance Abuse Prevention)

Members have published their research in the *Missouri Journal of Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance*

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