RESEARCH ASSISTANT OPPORTUNITY, ACADEMIC CREDIT AVAILABLE:

Adaptation and Development of a Quit Smoking Program for Korean Youth 14-19 Years of Age



The purpose of this study is to develop a totally virtual web and smart phone health education app as an intervention for stopping cigarette smoking among Korean youth, ages 14-19 in the Koreatown area. This app will be tested in a randomized clinical trial.

Responsibilities: RA's on this project will be working primarily on participant recruitment (which involves working with adolescents 14-19) for the assessment of stop smoking videos included in the study. RA's will also work on launching the app to Koreans both domestically and internationally. 6-10 hrs/ week for SRP 99 (2 units) or 8-10 hrs/ week, PSYCH 196 (4 units)

Required Qualifications: Ability to work as part of a team, ability to visit the Koreatown area, strong ability to communicate orally and in writing in English and/or Korean, must be detail oriented, advanced skills with Microsoft Office, or GIS Software, or App Development

Preferred Qualifications: Interest in addictions, engineering or bioengineering, design of health care applications, urban planning, or studying the organization of communities, and knowledgeable about Asian, particularly Korean, culture and communities.

If you are interested, please contact Professor Vickie Mays (mays@ucla.edu)

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