













# Summercise 2018

NORTON SOUND HEALTH CORPORATION

CAMP DEPARTMENT

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# **CAMP Contacts for Summercise**

# Summercise Applications, Reference Letters, Questions or Concerns?

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# What is Summercise?

- Summer program for the youth of Nome, Alaska
- Program is designed to prevent diabetes in Nome's youth
- Group leaders teach healthy nutrition & exercise



# Where is Nome, Alaska?

- Nome is a secluded arctic town located in Northwest Alaska on the Seward Peninsula on the Bering Sea
- 539 air miles from Anchorage and ~1,000 dog sled miles (or by land)
- Nome is off the road system so you must fly to get there
- For more information: www.nomealaska.org

#### Mileage from the Lower 48:

- Chicago: 3,308 miles

- New York: 3,763 miles

- Los Angeles: 2,872 miles

- Orlando: 4,276 miles

- Austin, 3,687 miles

- Denver: 2,916

- Seattle: 1,970 miles

# Nome, Alaska

Nome has roughly 3500 permanent residents, but in the summer the population increases to 5,000.



#### Summercise Goals

- Increase Physical Fitness in Youth:
  - Increase number of youth who engage in the recommended amounts of physical activity per week
  - Increase knowledge and skill level of physical activity
- Increase Healthy Eating Behavior in Youth:
  - Increase knowledge and skill level of healthy eating
  - Increase level of healthy eating
  - Increase attitude towards healthy eating



# **Program Staff**

- CAMP Staff
- College Interns who specialize in Nutrition/Fitness
- High School Students
- Parents/community volunteers



CAMP Staff 2017

# Program Description

- Summercise interns plan, teach, and inspire kids in various nutrition and exercise classes
- Two 3-week sessions for kids to pick nutrition & exercise classes to attend
- Summercise Monday-Thursday from 1 pm to 5pm
- Kids grouped by 5-6 year old & 7 and up
- Interns will also have other nutrition opportunities throughout the experience

#### What do we do when Summercise is not in session?

Mornings and Fridays are reserved for the following:

- Assigned rotation, examples:
  - WIC
  - Maternal and Child Health
  - Counseling: Outpatient, Inpatient, Long Term Care
  - Community
  - Summer Lunch program
- Planning/Preparing for Summercise including:
  - Shopping
  - Lesson Plans
  - Evaluating
- Other Team Assignments or Projects as assigned

# 2018 Timeline

#### Summercise Applications Due:

• February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

#### Interns Arrive in Nome:

May 27<sup>th</sup> or 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (Memorial Day Weekend)

#### Orientation, Training, and Planning:

May 29<sup>th</sup> – June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

#### Summercise Dates:

- June 11th-July 26th, 2018
  - Session 1: June 11<sup>th</sup> -June 28<sup>th</sup>
  - Session 2: July 19<sup>th</sup> -July 26<sup>th</sup>

#### Interns Leave Nome:

• August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018



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