

Spring 2025 DSHS Interns

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South Central Texas (PHR 8)

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Healthcare Safety Unit

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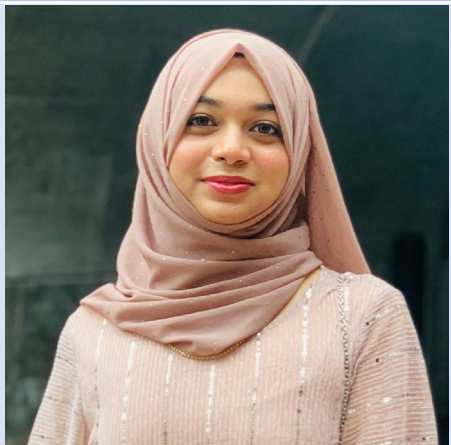
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Fiscal Support and Oversight Unit

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Birth Defects Epidemiology and Surveillance

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Maternal and Child Health

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South Texas (PHR 11)

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Alzheimer’s Program

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Office of Practice and Learning

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