

**Application for Montefiore elective: “Research Based Activism and Advocacy”**

**Course dates: October 4-29, 2004.** Please submit as early as possible, but application deadline is May 3, 2004. Decisions will be announced via email by May 17, 2004.

Name:

Medical School and anticipated year of grad:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

1. Have you completed prior training in epidemiology or biostatistics?  
If yes, please briefly describe:
2. Have you completed prior training in advocacy skills?  
If yes, please describe:
3. To what degree do you consider yourself familiar with health policy?  
 Very familiar  Familiar  Interested, but unfamiliar  Unfamiliar
4. Please describe other related activities: (esp: participation in medical societies/associations, community organizations, political activism or advocacy, etc.)
5. Please describe a couple project ideas which you could explore over a month and complete at your home institution. The project should focus on health issues that you believe need change at the local or national level, and should combine research and advocacy skills.
- 5a. Describe local health advocate partners who might be interested in these projects, if you know who they are. Please include contact information if possible. (We know many of you do not have access to health advocates in your communities, but if you do know who they are, we encourage you to discuss your ideas with these partners.)
6. In a paragraph or so, please describe why you are interested in research-based health activism.
7. How did you hear about the course?

Please send your application by email to [gsacajiu@montefiore.org](mailto:gsacajiu@montefiore.org). Please also attach a recent CV to this email. Subject line for the email with your application should read “RBHA ’04 application, your name”

If you have no email access, you may return the application to the following address: RPSM, Social Internal Medicine, Attn: Dr. Galit M. Sacajiu, 3544 Jerome Avenue, Bronx, NY 10467.

For more information please contact Dr. Sacajiu at 718/920-5521 or email at [gsacajiu@montefiore.org](mailto:gsacajiu@montefiore.org). Thank you!