AHEC SCHOLARS PROGRAM

An innovative, interprofessional opportunity for Alabama's health professions students



GOAL: The goal of the AHEC Scholars Program is to prepare a diverse, culturally competent primary care workforce, improve workforce distribution throughout Alabama, particularly among rural and underserved populations, and develop a workforce prepared to deliver high quality care in a transforming health care delivery system.

ACTIVITIES: AHEC Scholars will learn together as interprofessional teams, completing both didactic and clinical training over and above their regular curricula with a focus on preparing them to care for Alabama's medically needy populations. The commitment is for 40 hours of online training per year and 40 hours of team-based service learning.





AHEC Scholars will enhance their knowledge and competence in the following core areas:

- Interprofessional Education (IPE)
- Behavioral Health Integration
- Social Determinants of Health
- Cultural Competency
- Practice Transformation
- Current and Emerging Health Issues

AHEC Scholars will engage in team-based clinical experiences providing care to vulnerable and underserved patients in settings such as homeless shelters, free clinics, community health centers, health fairs and more.

\$500 STIPEND AVAILABLE

For more information or to apply, contact

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