



# NORTH DAKOTA AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER

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## AHEC SCHOLARS PROGRAM

AHEC Scholars is a nationally recognized certificate program that complements existing coursework to emphasize a team-based approach with interdisciplinary curricula implementing a defined set of clinical, didactic, and community-based activities for healthcare in rural and/or underserved areas.

### ELIGIBILITY

Students should have a current interest in rural or underserved healthcare  
Be currently enrolled in a health professions degree  
Be two years from program or degree completion

### REQUIREMENTS

Complete 40 hours of clinical or experiential training in rural and/or underserved areas each year  
Complete 40 hours of didactic education within given core topic areas each year

### BENEFITS

Gain additional leadership knowledge and experience in rural and underserved areas  
Enhance your resume and earn recognition as a student leader in the health community

**\*Students are eligible to receive an annual stipend upon completion of the program requirements**

## 8 CORE TOPIC AREAS

Current & Emerging Health Issues | Interprofessional Education | Cultural Competency | Virtual Learning & Telehealth | Social Determinants of Health | Practice Transformation | Behavioral Health Integration  
Connecting Communities & Supporting Health Professionals



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## CLINICAL ROTATIONS PROGRAM

The ND AHEC Clinical Rotations program is for ANY health discipline student who is completing a clinical rotation in a rural or underserved health setting in North Dakota.

### ELIGIBILITY

Students should have a current interest in rural or underserved healthcare

Be currently enrolled in a health professions degree

### REQUIREMENTS

Incurred travel and/or lodging expenses in a rural area to be considered

Completed a minimum of 20 hours of clinical or experiential training

### BENEFITS

Gain additional leadership knowledge and experience in rural and underserved areas

Build a network of health professionals who support primary care in rural communities

**\* Stipends range from \$250+ dependent on expenses during the rotation. Funds are disbursed after required documentation is received upon training completion.**

Are you an enrolled health professions student completing training in a rural North Dakota community? Let ND AHEC help cover some of your travel and lodging expenses through the Clinical Rotations program! Grant funds will be awarded based on availability.

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### NORTH DAKOTA HOSA MISSION

Encouraging North Dakota HOSA-future health professionals to develop skills commit to learning, and become thriving health care leaders in North Dakota communities.

### INSPIRE. ADVOCATE. LEAD

Student led-organizations creates a local program of work to engage in community services, and lead opportunities for person growth- and leadership.

### LOCAL CHAPTERS INCREASING

HOSA is starting the year strong. With a overall 38% growth in student participation and broke record membership this year with 720 members. We are also seeing a growth in new chapters.

### STRENGTHS

- Rural Health
- Teaching Health Related Skills
- Advocating for Health Related Jobs
- Public Speaking
- Community Outreach
- Volunteering

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