



Connecting students to careers, professionals to communities and communities to better health.



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Supporting Primary Care Workforce Development in Connecticut By:

- ▶Promoting Strong Community/Academic Partnerships
- ▶Creating Pipeline Programs for Pre-Health Professions Students
- ▶Supporting Health Careers Awareness Programming
- ▶Providing Community-Based Training for Health Professions Students
- ▶Supporting Community-Based Health Education and Screenings
- ▶Promoting Strategies to Address Health Disparities

CT AHEC Network Regional Centers:

Central AHEC, Inc. (Hartford, Middlesex and Tolland Counties, Meriden and Wallingford)

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CT AHEC Responds to COVID-19 Need

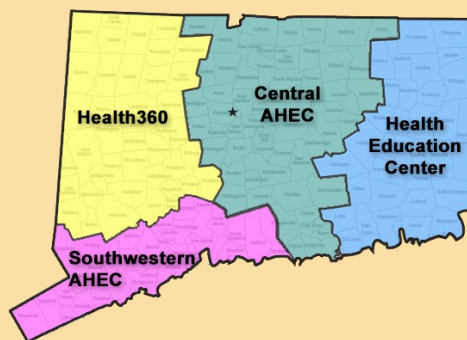
The COVID-19 crisis is challenging the way we live and work with each other. As healthcare workers and institutions strive to provide care while social distancing, CT AHEC’s mission to address health disparities in underserved communities is more essential than ever.

The CT AHEC Network is helping to manage the crisis in a multitude of ways. Health profession student volunteers are using their time and knowledge to directly assist patients and community members challenged by the pandemic; they are also working with Urban Alliance and the City of Hartford's Department of Health and Human Services to educate affected community members about COVID-19 and to connect them with SNAP and WIC resources and food banks. Urban

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Health/AHEC Scholars are providing follow-up surveillance by calling UConn Health patients to monitor symptoms and basic living needs.

As of this date, these efforts have resulted in outreach to/follow-up with over 340 Connecticut residents. [WFSB Channel 3's story](#) by Joe Zone provides a glimpse into one of these projects.

For the duration of this crisis, CT AHEC is committed to collaborating with healthcare partners, social service agencies, the Connecticut Department of Public Health, and faith-based groups in supporting Connecticut's most vulnerable communities.

The statewide Connecticut Area Health Education Center (CT AHEC) Network, based at UConn Health, is implemented through four regional centers which enable the CT AHEC Network to provide high-quality, efficient, effective and flexible services that meet local needs. Thank you for your continued support of the CT AHEC Network.

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