CT Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Network

Annual Report Highlights

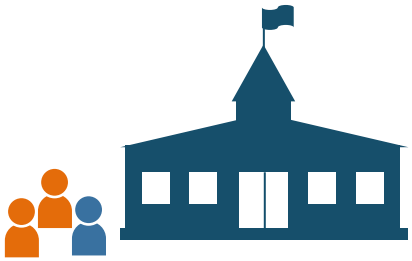
2024 - 2025

18,101
participants*

Addressing health disparities through primary care workforce development and training

Promoting careers in primary care

through pipeline (K-16), health profession student and adult programs



3,432 *learners*
including
203 Community-Based Experiential Training (CBET)

4,280

Web learners

(users of https://HealthCareersinCT.com, https://CHWresourcesCT.org and https://h.uconn.edu/ust-pod)

Consumers or patients educated

8,850

Activities cover many topics including behavioral/mental health; diabetes; immunization; men's health; nutrition; oral health; senior health; substance use prevention; and others. In addition, this includes patient encounters focused on primary care and prevention at free, community-based clinics and health fairs.

Providing clinical training

improves readiness, willingness, and ability of health professions trainees to serve in primary care, and rural and underserved community settings.

facilitated
838
rotations

- **391** medical students
- **186** nursing students
- **44** dental students
- **217** associated health profession students

661
Rotations in rural or underserved locations (subset of the above)

70 *Clinical training sites*
used include:

- **65** primary care setting
- **34** located in a medically underserved community

105

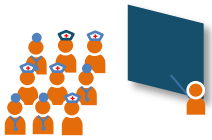
Urban Service Track/ AHEC Scholars *attending*

6 health profession schools *at*
2 universities *provided with a total of*
8,160 interdisciplinary clinical and didactic training hours

596
continuing education participants

Continuing education programs

address key issues in health professional shortage areas by providing health professionals with access to resources that support practice, reduce professional isolation, disseminate best practices, and improve quality of health care for medically underserved communities and health disparities populations.



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*Numbers include duplicate counts where individuals have participated in multiple pipeline, clinical training or continuing education programs.

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