AHEC Scholars: A Community Healthcare Fellowship

The AHEC Scholars program will prepare students to more effectively enter the health professions workforce. AHEC Scholars is designed specifically for applicants who have a strong interest in providing care to those living in rural and medically-underserved communities across Indiana in positions such as physicians, physician assistants, nurses, public health practitioners, physical therapists, social workers and other allied health occupations.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be in the final two years of an accredited health professions program. (Two-year degree programs are eligible to apply.)
- Must be available to participate for two years.
- Must have reliable transportation – this program includes multiple site visits across the selected AHEC region.
- Must be able to provide the necessary paperwork (such as W-9 and direct deposit form) to receive the annual stipend of $750 that supports participation in AHEC Scholars.
- Must be willing to respond to AHEC on an annual basis upon completion of the fellowship for updates on practice location and activities.
- Must submit program evaluations related to fellowship activities.
- Must be available to participate in 40 hours of online learning units and 40 hours of team-based community experiences per year (for two years).
- Must be willing to submit to a criminal background check and drug screening.

Application Information

Priority Application Deadline: June 30, 2019
Regular Application Deadline: July 31, 2019
Apply Online: Indianaahec.tfaforms.net/4628970

Fellowship Dates: Sept. 2019 - May 2021
Stipend: $1,500 total ($750/year)

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