Arizona Area Health Education Center
AzAHEC 8th Annual Interprofessional Rural Health Professions Program Conference
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Since 1984 the AzAHEC mission: to enhance access to quality primary care by improving the supply and distribution of health care professionals through academic community partnerships in rural and medically underserved areas.

Five AzAHEC Regional Centers
Central Arizona AHEC (CAAHEC) Phoenix
Eastern Arizona AHEC (EAHEC) Globe
Northern Arizona AHEC (NAHEC) Flagstaff
Southeast Arizona AHEC (SEAHEC) Nogales
Western AHEC (WAHEC) Somerton

AzAHEC Program Office
University of Arizona Tucson
Identify, address both emerging issues (e.g., Coronavirus) and intractable health disparities – health professions training opportunities, coverage, access to health care, social determinants of health.
Coronavirus in Arizona: Map and Case Count

By The New York Times  Updated April 3, 2020, 8:00 A.M. E.T.

Coconino County, Ariz.

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Pipeline to Practice

K-12 Pre-Professional
BLAISER, HOSA, Med-Start, SCRUBS

Undergraduate
Community Colleges, Universities

Licensed, Practicing

Teaching, Precepting, Practicing

Intern, Resident, Fellow
Graduate Medical Education

Graduate
DDS, DO, MD, MPH, NP, PA, RN CNM

THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA
Arizona AHEC
Area Health Education Centers
Interprofessional Health Professions Education: Experiential, Collaborative Learning; Integrated Curricula; Continuing Professional Development

Organization: University of Arizona
Supportive Environment, Vision & Commitment to Social Determinants IPE

Community: Community Engagement, Community Priorities, Reciprocal Commitment

Adapted from: National Academies of Sciences (2016) framework for educating health professionals to address the social determinants of health.
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https://telemedicine.arizona.edu/