

What can AHEC do for YOU?



The Georgia Statewide AHEC Network is a non-profit organization that began as a coordinated partnership between Medical College of Georgia and Mercer University School of Medicine. This effort was created to respond to the challenges of limited supply and distribution of health professionals in rural and underserved areas of the state.

Since 1984, the Georgia Statewide AHEC Network has represented a growing partnership with local communities and educators to increase the quality, supply and education of health professionals. They have combined their efforts to resolve these challenges by providing educational support to health professionals and students through four program areas:

- Health Careers Recruitment
- Community-Based Clinical Training
- Information Services
- Continuing Education

Community-Based Clinical Training

Health Professions Student Support

Our Preceptor Coordinator office develops partnerships with educational institutions and community-based health care practitioners to provide necessary clinical training hours for health care students.

What can AHEC do for you?

- AHEC can identify and secure your clinical training sites with health professionals.
- AHEC has housing arrangements available in some areas on a first come, first served basis.
- AHEC can offer travel stipends in some areas.
- AHEC offers job placement support services, including career counseling, financial aid information, and potential job leads in communities interested in improving access to primary care services.
- AHEC offers students access to the Ovid & CINAHL databases.

We look forward to assisting you with your clinical rotations and housing arrangements. Our goal is to help you have a successful and fulfilling clinical training/clerkship rotation.

*Please use the GA Statewide AHEC Request Form when requesting assistance.
Contact your local Preceptor Coordinator to obtain a copy. Thank you!*

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