



# Alaska AHEC

## 2021-2022 Health Workforce Program Highlights

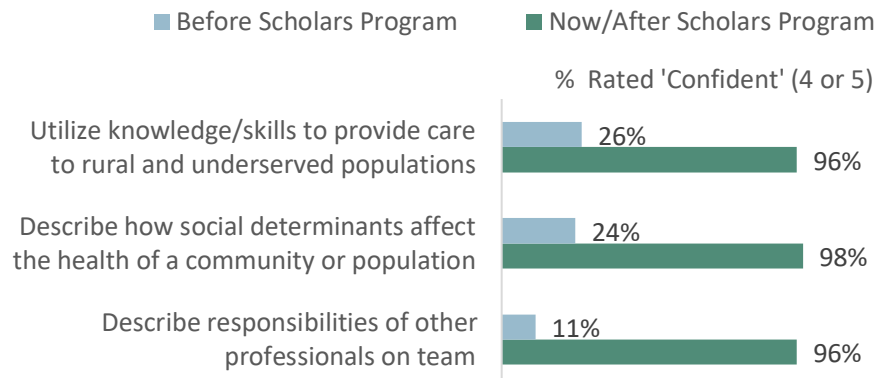
3,132  
Participants\*

*Enhancing access to quality healthcare, particularly primary and preventive care, by improving the supply and distribution of healthcare professionals through community/academic educational partnerships.*

**AHEC Scholars** a longitudinal program designed to prepare future health professionals' leadership skills within a rapidly changing healthcare system. In 2022, AHECs asked Scholars about key learning outcomes including: team-based care, cultural competence, behavioral health integration, and their future practice. Selected results are provided below.

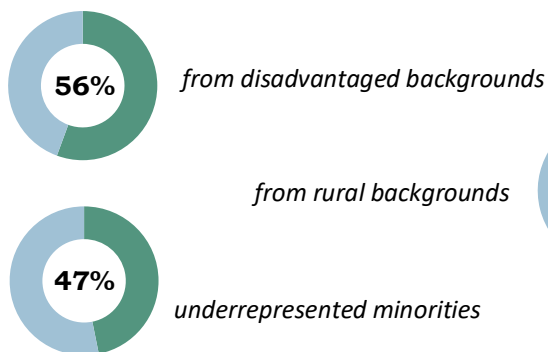
119 AHEC Scholars:

- 64 APN, RN, LPN and CNA nursing students
- 11 medical students
- 10 behavioral health students
- 9 pharmacy students
- 6 rehabilitation students
- 2 physician assistant students
- 15 other disciplines



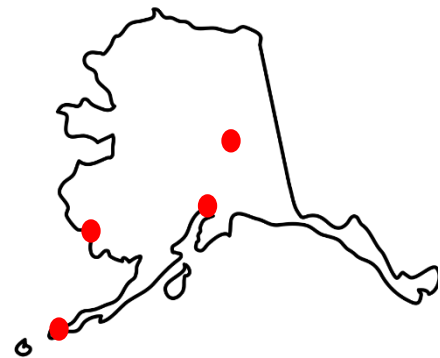
**Pipeline programs** expose students to health careers and develop intent to pursue post-secondary education in primary healthcare professions.

978 health career participants



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

Facilitated 83 rural Alaskan rotations



**Continuing education** providing health professionals with access to resources to improve the quality of care for medically underserved communities and health disparities populations.

1952 continuing education participants

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