



Big Bend AHEC Scholar Program **Cohort 4 Student Selection**

On behalf of the Florida Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Network, we are pleased to announce the following students who have been selected to be a part of the Florida AHEC Scholars Program for the 2021-2023 cohort.

The AHEC Scholars Program is designed for health professions students interested in supplementing their education by gaining additional knowledge and experience in rural and/or underserved urban settings. This two-year program offers students 40 hours of didactic training and 40 hours of clinical training each year along with a stipend. These students will receive core content in the areas of interprofessional education, behavioral health integration, social determinants of health, cultural competency, practice transformation and current and emerging health issues. Over the course of this program, students will have the distinct opportunity to gain knowledge, skills, and experiences that will help them meet the needs of underserved populations.

The AHEC mission is to enhance access to quality health care, particularly primary and preventive care, by improving the supply and distribution of healthcare professionals via strategic partnerships with academic programs, communities and professional organizations. These efforts support strategic priorities to increase diversity and distribution among healthcare professionals and enhance healthcare quality and delivery to rural and underserved areas.

Welcome to the AHEC Scholars Community, Cohort 4!

Angela Smith, FAMU
Delyn Owen-Robinson,
FAMU Garly Ambrose, FAMU
Michael Osei Assibey, FAMU
Marcia Forbes, FSU
Babita Thapaliya, FSU
Juan Argüelles Ortiz, FSU
Korey Creary, FSU
Catherine Cooper, FSU

Isabella Diaz, FSU
Allyson Wolman, FSU
Tianna Battles, FAMU
Alexia Brashares, FSU
Andre' Johnson, FAMU
Millicent McFarland, FAMU
Conqualla Scott, FSU
Hermaley Lubin, FSU