Center for Rural Health Pipeline Activities

2018-2019

PIPELINE- HIGH SCHOOL

STATISTICS

OVERALL NUMBER OF STUDENTS INVOLVED 2649
NUMBER OF EVENTS 76
COUNTIES 19
HIGH SCHOOLS 38
NUMBER OF HIGH SCHOOL GROUPS VISITING CAMPUS 10 EVENTS INVOLVING 236 STUDENTS

Embedded in the larger initiative is a smaller more targeted part of the initiative which includes health care club formation, trips to the medical school, medical and other speakers, suturing clinics and other activities for the schools that wish to pursue the more intensive approach.

COLLABORATIONS

In order to maximize resources, the MUJCESOM Center for Rural Health partners with a variety of agencies and programs, primarily those that serve the underserved and minority student population, including

- Upward Bound
- GEAR-UP (Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs)
- HSTA (Health Sciences Technology Academy)
- HOSA (Health Occupations Students of America)
- Project Lead the Way

Events with groups targeting minorities/underserved/rural 23
Number of students in collaborative events 678

RESOURCES

- MUJCESOM Men’s Health Organization
• Office of Recruitment/Main campus
• School of Forensic Science
• School of Pharmacy
• School of Engineering
• Basic Sciences/Physics
• School of Physical Therapy
• MUJCESOM Gross Anatomy Lab
• MUJCESOM Clinical Skills Lab
• Coalfield Health Center
• Concord University
• Rescare, Mercer County region

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**ASSESSMENT**

Pre and post test of students

• 65% increase in knowledge of health care careers

**NEW INITIATIVE**

Staff attended all high school awards presentations for BS/MD students, Spring 2019

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**College Pipeline**

College visits are made each year in order to widely disseminate information about medical school admissions and criteria. Visits include meetings with pre-med advisors, deans, and interested students.

Alderson Broaddus

Bethany College

Bluefield State

Concord University

Davis & Elkins

Marshall University

Fairmont University

Shepherd University

Wheeling Jesuit
Hampton University
Ashland CTC
University of Charleston
WV Wesleyan
WV State

Center for Rural Health Presentations

Upward Bound Regional Meeting, Keynote speaker January 2019