



MEETING: RHPP Directors, Regional Center Directors, AHEC Faculty Mentors
 DATE: June 18, 2020
 TIME: 11:00 – 12:00pm
 PLACE: AHEC Zoom Meeting
 HOST: Jennifer Zuniga
 RHPP Director Attendees: Shelley Vaughn, Carlos Gonzales, Jonathan Cartsonis, Leila Barraza, Diane Nunez, Christy Pacheco
 Center Director Attendees: Gail Emrick, Marica Martinic, Joena Ezroj, Jeri Byrne
 Other Attendees: Dan Derksen, Colleen Reed, Amanda Perkins, Nicole Paredes, Sonia-Cota Robles, Jen Peters, Ayanna Figueroa, Marc Verhougstraete, Claudia Gonzales, Nicole Ferschke, Heidi Sanborn, Debra Ilchak, Lourdes Montez, Elias Villarreal

ITEM	ANNOUNCEMENT/DISCUSSION	Information provided by:
Start 11 am	Welcome & Attendance	All
Discussion	<p>A subset of the COVID 19 Scholars will start date July 1, 2020 to begin responses to community requests. Other scholars will join on an ongoing basis. Target scholar number is 18; 7 applications have been received; more mentors will be needed as number of scholars increase. Scholars will work with Heidi Sanborn and COVID 19 mentors to include contact tracing.</p> <p>RHPP contract templates were sent to everyone. Contact Amanda for questions. UA budgets will be awarded 20% initially; once fully approved remainder will be awarded. NAU/ASU distribution model remains the same.</p> <p>The furlough impact on UA AHEC funding is uncertain. Programs can budget without calculating the furlough reduction for now. The budget will be reduced if furloughs has to be considered. ASU/NAU should follow their University's furlough plans.</p> <p>AHEC Scholars in UA colleges will receive travel costs as an allowance. AHEC is working on the travel costs for ASU/NAU program participants.</p> <p>AHEC Scholars Two-Year Program has 32 applicants. Year 1 immersion is the weekend September 11-13, 2020. To be determined if it will be in person or virtually, depending on university travel restrictions and guidelines.</p> <p>Faculty Mentor Office Hours 11am-12pm Mondays via Zoom. mverhougstraete@arizona.edu https://uahs.zoom.us/j/97562725509</p> <p>Working on UA reentry plans (led by Dr. Rich Carmona), and statewide COVID-19 serum antibody testing in all 15 AZ counties. Leila Barraza will begin as AHEC Director on July 1, Dr. Derksen will serve as her senior advisor. While the Tribal AHEC received bipartisan legislative support, it was not passed before the session expired. Agnes Attakai and Timian Godfrey are working to implement a virtual Tribal AHEC collaborating with the 5 existing AHEC Regional Centers. AHEC Regional Center contracts will include performance-based measures. Dr. Derksen expressed this appreciation to all for their hard work and adapting to new challenges during the pandemic.</p>	<p>Jennifer Zuniga Nicole Paredes Heidi Sanborn</p> <p>Amanda Perkins</p> <p>Nicole Paredes</p> <p>Marc Verhougstraete</p> <p>Dan Derksen</p>
End 12:00pm		