



MEETING: RHPP Directors, Regional Center Directors
 DATE: August 18, 2021
 TIME: 12:00 – 12:46pm
 PLACE: AHEC Zoom Meeting
 HOST: Leila Barraza
 Attendees: Jennifer Zuniga, Amanda Perkins, Colleen Reed, Nicole Paredes, Sonia Cota-Robles, Edgardo Figueroa, Nancy Johnson, Felipe Perez, Ana Roscetti, Andrea Lerner, Mallika Peddada, Marica Martinic, Lourdes Montez, Elias Villarreal, Shelley Vaughn, Elizabeth Hall-Lipsy, Marc Verhougstraete, Jeri Byrne, Courtney Madsen, Joena Ezroj, Carlos Gonzales, Jonathan Cartsonis

ITEM	ANNOUNCEMENT/DISCUSSION	Information provided by:
Meeting 12:00pm	Welcome	Leila Barraza
Discussion	<p>El Rio Community Health Center was awarded the Southern Arizona AHEC regional center contract. Welcome Nancy Johnson and Dr. Felipe Perez. Center will be located at El Rio’s Cherrybell Facility.</p> <p>Center Contract Updates: AzaAHEC is working on new award year for centers.</p> <p>RHPP Awards if you’ve received requests for additional information please return as soon as possible. Remember to send in second page signatures to indicate acceptance of the award. If you have specific questions please email Amanda Perkins, alperkin@arizona.edu.</p> <p>Housing—Tuba City – due to COVID limitations the number of students utilizing the house is currently limited to two students.</p> <p>AHEC Scholars</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Faculty Mentor Orientation Recap – There was a great turn out on the August 17th orientation. 90% of the faculty mentors were in attendance. Attendance is required this year for all faculty mentors. There will be a repeat session on August 24th 6-7:30pm. If any RHPP Director or Center Director and staff is interested in attending please contact Nicole. b. AHEC Scholars Orientation- Saturday, 9/11 is scheduled for approximately 9am-12:00p. The remainder of Saturday and Sunday is dedicated to center immersion activities. c. Status update for the Center Preliminary ASP Fall Community (Remote) Immersion Agendas EAHEC plans for windshield drive through survey and submitted their immersion schedule. NAHEC plans for virtual windshield tour along with presentations about the surrounding communities. CAAHEC has begun planning immersion for students. WAHEC will research immersion requirements to begin planning. d. The AHEC SCHOLARS APPLICATION deadline is August 29. Center scholar lists will be sent the week of August 30. e. AHEC Scholar Stipends for all new scholars should be paid in September/October through centers’ regular processes. Second year scholars may still be paid in August. Centers may determine if 	<p>Leila Barraza</p> <p>Amanda Perkins</p> <p>Jennifer Zuniga</p> <p>Nicole Paredes</p> <p>Amanda Perkins</p>



	<p>they will distribute two \$500 payments or one \$1000 payment to the new scholars.</p> <p>f. If Center Director or staff will need access to the D2L AHEC Scholar site, please contact Amanda Perkins. There is a detailed UA form that will be completed and the process can take a few weeks before access will be available. Access is already available to Scholars, Mentors, and RHPP Directors due to their existing affiliation with an ABOR university.</p>	
<p>Ended 12:46pm</p>		