

2017 Wisconsin AHEC Program Announcement



Wisconsin Express 2017

Summer Session: May 21-26, 2017

Wisconsin Express is a one week cultural immersion experience designed to give health professions students an opportunity to study firsthand the diverse local and regional healthcare innovations and challenges in Wisconsin communities. Multidisciplinary groups of 6-12 students explore the region's cultural diversity and healthcare, developing strategies for intercultural and interprofessional effectiveness in healthcare practice. Throughout the week, participants have opportunities to reflect on and evaluate their experiences. Sessions are offered during UW-Madison Spring Break (2-3 sites) and Summer (12 sites, the fourth week in May).

2017 Wisconsin Express Community Sites: Summer

**Ashland | Beloit/Janesville | Fennimore | Green Bay | La Crosse | Ladysmith
Milwaukee | Minocqua | Shawano | Sheboygan | Stevens Point | Wausau**

Summer sites are residential; participants are required to stay all week in the housing provided. Having a roommate is part of the residential program and enhances the experience for all.

Transportation is provided during the week to the various program sites. However, students are responsible for arranging their own transportation to arrive at the program site on the first day.

Participant fee is \$210.

Activities vary by site and include:

- Experiential and interactive learning in groups
- Participation in community activities
- Access to healthcare organizations behind the scenes
- Conversations about life in the community and region
- Interactions with practitioners in primary and public healthcare

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The summer program application deadline is **Wednesday, February 15, 2017**

APPLY ONLINE: <http://www.ahec.wisc.edu/wisconsin-express>