

INTERPROFESSIONAL HEALTHCARE CASE COMPETITION 2018

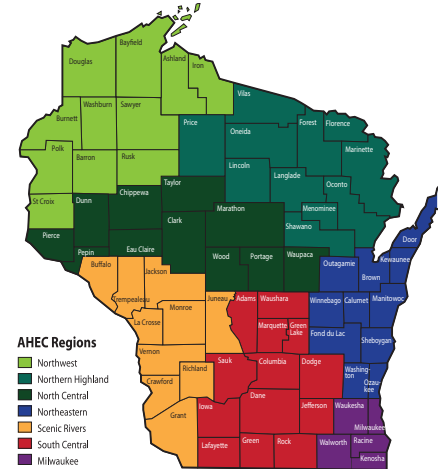
5th Annual | January 11-12, 2018

Open to Wisconsin college students — tech, undergrad and grad students | Sponsored by Wisconsin AHEC

Wisconsin AHEC invites students from any Wisconsin college/university to compete in a case competition to prove you've got the knowledge and skills that employers are seeking in up-and-coming health professionals!

Who can participate? How are teams formed?

- Health professions students from any degree or discipline may compete.
- Form a team of 4-5 students, with at least three different degrees/professions represented.
- Choose which AHEC region your team will apply to represent (7 regions).
- Applications are accepted online beginning Friday, September 1, 2017: www.ahec.wisc.edu
- Deadline to apply is Friday, October 6, 2017.
- Each team member will pay a \$35 registration fee.



What are the benefits?

PRIZES

- 1st Place: \$3,000 cash
 - 2nd Place: \$2,000 cash
 - 3rd Place: \$1,000 cash
- Prize is shared by team.*

- Refine your research and writing skills.
- Participate in an interprofessional health care team experience.
- Prepare yourself for professional practice.
- Gain a competitive edge in job hunting; during interviews; many employers seek evidence of interprofessional teamwork skills.
- Academic credit / course requirements may be possible to fulfill.
- A local club or organization may sponsor your team; consult your academic advisor for suggestions.
- Networking opportunities will be available during the competition season, especially at the final competition event.

Registered teams receive a Competition Guidebook:

- Rules and regulations
- Roles for students/advisors
- Team definitions
- Judging criteria
- Contact information for additional questions
- Maps, schedule of events, and hotel directions
- Technical assistance for team development
- The Case

When and where is the competition event?

- Thursday, January 11-Friday, January 12, 2018
- Teams will stay overnight in the Wisconsin Dells at the **KALAHARI RESORT** (hotel rooms, indoor waterpark passes, and meals sponsored by Wisconsin AHEC).

How does the competition work?

- Teams will work together for two months (October-December), and submit their entry prior to the competition event. Each team will conduct an analysis of interprofessional efforts during the care of a patient/client.
- At the end of the process, your team will present your findings to a panel of judges representing various disciplines in the community of Wisconsin's healthcare professionals.
- Teams will travel to Wisconsin Dells to present their case January 11-12, 2018.
- Cash prizes will be awarded to winning teams.

Last year, participants told us:

"The case prompted me to learn about other disciplines and how our cooperation can improve patient outcomes at the individual level."

"I learned a lot about other health professions and how we work together to promote and enhance the health of those around us."



For more information about the 2018 Interprofessional Healthcare Case Competition, please contact Jill Niemczyk at: jilln@newahec.org or 920-652-0238

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