

Apprenticeship Intermediaries
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RURAL
HEALTH
ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE

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Mission

Lead the way to a healthy tomorrow throughout rural Tennessee



Partnerships



Education



Advocacy



Resources

Vision

To become among the healthiest states in America.

Workforce Development Program



- Began as a partnership with West Tennessee Healthcare
- 2000+ Workforce Ready Participants
 - Jackson State EKG; Billing & Coding
 - TCAT Jackson
 - High School CTE students
- 70+ Employer Partners
- 500+ Workforce Participants (apx.)
 - 100 Certified Nursing Assistant
 - 100 Certified Medical Assistant
 - 100 Patient Care Tech
 - 200 EKG and/or Phlebotomy
 - 50 Community Health Workers
 - 25 Emergency Management Services
 - 35 Billing and Coding

Registered Apprenticeship



- Registered Apprenticeship Intermediary
- 7 Graduated Apprentices
 - Certified Medical Assistant
 - Community Health Worker
- 14 Current Registered Apprentices
- 12 Employer Partners
 - Dickson Community Clinic
 - LifeSpring Community Health
 - Community Clinic of Shelbyville and Bedford County
 - Methodist Le Bonheur Community Outreach
 - St. Mary's Health Clinic

Benefits of Working with an Intermediary

- Registered Apprenticeship Program Administration and Compliance Support
- Training Plan Development
- Case Management Support*
- Recruiting Support*
- Training Delivery*
 - Labor and Delivery Doulas
 - Community Health Workers
 - Peer Recovery Specialists
 - Behavioral Health Technicians
 - Workforce Ready (soft skills)
- Securing Matched Funding Sources*

** These benefits are specific to Rural Health Association and may not be available from other intermediaries.*



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NHC is proud to partner with the Rural Health Association of Tennessee to attract and grow the healthcare workforce in Tennessee. Our patients and partners (employees) have greatly benefited from this partnership through additional support and services provided by the leadership at the RHA. We have worked hand in hand with them to introduce more Tennesseans to the healthcare profession and improve access to healthcare in Tennessee.

NHC looks forward to continuing this strategic partnership with the Rural Health Association of Tennessee and improving the lives of all Tennesseans.

- Chris West, Vice President, Human Resources, NHC

Upcoming Events



- National Association Rural Health Policy Institute
February 14th and 15th
- 2024 Advocacy Day
March 5th, 2024
- East TN Regional Event
March 19th, 2024
- West TN Regional Event
April 9th, 2024
- Middle TN Regional Event
April 23, 2024
- 30th Annual Conference
November 20th – 22nd

Thank YOU for your support of Rural Health!



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