

Healthcare Workforce: 2010

Planning for Minnesota's Future Healthcare Workforce

A forum addressing Minnesota's Healthcare Worker Shortage

Location: Kandiyohi County Health & Human Services Building
2200 23rd St NE, Willmar, MN

Time: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Registration: Please return your completed registration to:
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Registration due by: September 8, 2004. No registration fee will be charged, please do register in advance.

We are committed to making forum activities comfortable and accessible for every participant. For special considerations (including dietary), please contact Kristin Juliar at 507-389-2707 or kristin.juliar@mnsu.edu

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Minnesota Health Professions Workforce Partners

- Healthcare Education-Industry Partnership/Minnesota State Colleges and Universities
- Care Providers of Minnesota
- Minnesota Area Health Education Centers/University of Minnesota Academic Health Center
- Minnesota Colleagues in Caring Collaborative
- Minnesota Department of Education
- Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development
- Minnesota Department of Health, Office of Rural Health and Primary Care
- Minnesota Health & Housing Alliance
- Minnesota Healthcare Initiative
- Minnesota Hospital Association
- Minnesota Nurses Association
- Minnesota Rural Health Association
- Minnesota Rural Partners
- Rural Health Resource Center, Minnesota Center for Rural Health
- Rural Policy and Research Institute (RUPRI)

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Purpose

Three years ago, several healthcare organizations sponsored a series of regional forums on the healthcare workforce shortage. The forums provided information on the nature and scope of the shortage. Participants began developing regional and state strategies for addressing the shortage.

The Regional Healthcare Workforce Forums in 2004 will provide updated information on the healthcare workforce. Many new workforce initiatives have been developed since 2000, and participants will learn about innovative projects in their region and the State. The second series of Forums will build upon the initial strategies and identify what else is needed to address healthcare workforce shortages and engage participants in long term planning for their region based on the data and information presented.

Goal

To identify future workforce issues and potential strategies that impact the education, recruitment, practice, and retention of healthcare professionals in Minnesota.

Who Should Attend

Hospital, long-term care, home care, and ambulatory care administrators; pharmacists; human resource directors from healthcare providers; economic developers; legislators; public health and social service providers; chamber of commerce leaders; county commissioners; extension offices; K-12 educators; educational program directors from health professions programs; and local workforce center leaders.

Highlights

- Visual representations of current workforce needs and potential solutions.
- Small groups will participate in facilitated discussions on workforce issues and potential strategies following lunch.

Location

Kandiyohi County Health & Humans Services, 2200 23rd Street NE.
Please park on the north side of the building.

Agenda

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| 8:30 am | Pre-forum session: Minnesota Rural Health Plan and Rural Health Status Report -
MDH, Office of Rural Health & Primary Care |
| 9:30 am | Registration |
| 10:00 am | Welcome/Introductions -
Karen Welle, MDH, Office of Rural Health & Primary Care |
| 10:15 am | Regional Workforce Data and Future Trends -
Sally Buck, Rural Health Resource Center |
| 11:00 am | Panel Discussion:
1. Healthcare Education-Industry Partnership <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Minnesota Community Health Worker Project -
Anne Willaert, HEIP• K-12 Health Career Programs -
Sonya McNamara, HEIP 2. MDH, Office of Rural Health & Primary Care <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workforce Development Grants -
Karen Welle, MDH, ORHPC 3. Minnesota Area Health Education Center -
Kathy Huntley, Southern Minnesota Area Health Education Center |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch |
| 12:45 pm | Regional Accomplishments in Healthcare Workforce:
Simulation in Healthcare Education -
Lynn Johnson, RN, MSN, Ridgewater College

The Challenge of Healthcare Education in Rural Communities -
Carol Gerlach, RN, BAN, MS,
Minnesota West Community & Technical College |
| 1:15 pm | Discussion, "What else is needed to address workforce shortages?" |
| 2:00 pm | Summary/Next Steps |
| 2:30 pm | Evaluation and Adjourn |

*Lunch and refreshments sponsored by
Southern Minnesota Area Health Education Center.*

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