



Southwest Healthcare Partners Alliance

Our Vision and Goals

Bring together health community stakeholders from Region 9 to promote and improve the health of our communities across the region. We collaborate across disciplines as a *single table with multiple projects* to seize opportunities, solve problems, assure success of the healthcare sector, and celebrate accomplishments across the region.

Potential joint projects:

- Improve educational connections and develop innovative solutions to workforce challenges (such as the medical assistant apprenticeship program)
- Development of a speakers' bureaus for regional trainings such as: Naloxone trainings; PDMP trainings; Safe Prescribing Practices; others
- Development of a regional opioid prescription procedure;
- Collect and analyze population data about regional and local health outcomes for planning or realigning programs to address gaps in service.
- Share resources to periodically conduct community health needs assessments and maintain inventory of assets and gaps for the region.

The population of Health Service Region (HSR) 9 is 112,625. By working together, we can make a greater impact on the health of the region! Southwestern Colorado AHEC is a 501c3 nonprofit organization and as a program of AHEC, all membership donations to the Partners Alliance are tax deductible.

Annual Levels of Partnership for 2018:

Full Partner	\$1000
Friends	\$500
Sole proprietor/independent practice/501c3	\$100
Volunteers/Health Professions Students	\$25
In-kind Contributor (volunteer employees' time, food for meetings, meeting space, and/or travel to meetings)	

Benefits of membership:

- As a **Full Partner** you will receive:

- Publicity through the AHEC network with your logo on the AHEC website and in our publications, such as weekly e-news and PowerPoint presentations;
- Run your ads in Pathways Updates for a full 6 weeks (non-partner timetable is up to 3 weeks);
- Promote your events through free advertising and job postings in weekly e-news;
- Receive a **10% Discount** on all workshops and CME's; employees with children receive a **10% discount off Health Careers Camp tuition**;
- Be automatically enrolled as a member of the **Healthcare Partners Alliance** (invitation to quarterly meetings, plus an annual retreat, convened by AHEC)
- Recipient of advocacy efforts for your organization through AHEC
- Access to a members-only forum for networking and information- leverage funding for grants; receive member discounts; access to information about upcoming grants or trainings;
- Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities;
- Tax Deduction
- As a **Friend of AHEC** you will receive:
 - Automatic enrollment as a member of the **Southwest Healthcare Partners Alliance**;
 - Advocacy for your organization through AHEC;
 - Access to members-only forum for networking and information- leverage funding for grants; receive member discounts; access to information about upcoming grants or trainings;
 - Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities;
 - Tax Deduction
- As an **Individual, Volunteer, or Health Professions Student** you will receive:
 - Advocacy for your organization through AHEC;
 - Opportunity to request enrollment as a member of the **Southwest Healthcare Partners Alliance** and gain access to members-only forum for networking and information-leverage funding for grants; receive member discounts; access to information about upcoming grants or trainings;
 - Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities;
 - Tax Deduction
- As an **In-kind Contributor**, you will receive:
 - Opportunity to request enrollment as a member of the **Southwest Healthcare Partners Alliance** and gain access to members-only forum for networking and information-leverage funding for grants; receive member discounts; access to information about upcoming grants or trainings;
 - Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities;

Sponsorships, In-kind donations, and volunteering is a great way to give back, gain visibility for your organization, and highlight your commitment to the community. Your sponsorship and/or donation support enables SW Colorado AHEC to demonstrate community engagement and leverage additional funds to continue as the backbone organization for the Southwest Healthcare Partners Alliance. We value your partnership! Please go to our [website](#), or contact the SW Colorado AHEC executive director at 970-426-4284 for more information!

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