

# The Northeast Kentucky AHEC can help you -

- coordinate continuing education conferences and seminars for health care professionals
- facilitate speakers for the community on health-related topics
- advocate for public health through participation on local coalitions and community organizations
- provide education on healthy lifestyles to community members, organizations and school-aged children
- coordinate clinical rotations for students in health professions
- support opportunities for health career exploration through exposure and shadowing
- offer a medical library to serve as a resource for health professionals and students
- serve as a liaison between communities, health care institutions and health care providers
- assist as a partner on any health-focused projects

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“Bringing Our Best Back Home”



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# WHO IS THE NORTHEAST AHEC?

The Northeast Kentucky Area Health Education Center (AHEC), based in Morehead, Kentucky at St. Claire Regional Medical Center has been a contributing strength in the community for over 20 years. In 1983 a non-profit organization, the Northeast AHEC, opened its doors as the first regional office developed in Kentucky. St. Claire Regional Medical Center has served as the host institution sponsor for the Northeast AHEC since its inception. In 1999 an additional satellite office was established in Ashland, Kentucky at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital to expand our services.



The Northeast AHEC serves a 17-county area of northeastern Kentucky. This region, which sits at the foot of the Appalachian Mountains, is in many ways an underserved area of our state. Fourteen of our seventeen counties are designated as Appalachian counties, Medically Underserved Areas (MUA) and/or Medically Underserved Populations (MUP). The predominately rural region has a total population of 330,231. The smallest population bases and most rural areas are Elliott (6,835) and Robertson (2,308) counties.

Proudly serving: Bath • Boyd • Carter • Clark • Elliott • Fleming • Greenup • Lawrence • Lewis • Mason • Menifee  
Morgan • Montgomery • Nicholas • Powell • Robertson • Rowan

## TODAY

Improve the health of  
rural Kentucky by:

- cultivating an interest for health careers in our youth → not experience a shortage of health care professionals
- coordinating clinical experiences for health professional students → have access to quality health care close to home
- providing continuing education locally to health professionals → have access to the most current and up-to-date medical care
- promoting health education to the community → make healthier lifestyle choices

## TOMORROW

Rural Kentuckians will:

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