



Join NCRHA today!

UNIQUE COMMUNITIES

COMMON CHALLENGES

SHARED SOLUTIONS

HEALTHIER FUTURES

NC Rural Health Association

Better Health Begins at Home

Nearly 40 percent of North Carolinians call a rural community home. Building a healthy North Carolina can only happen when we bring those communities to the table, listen to their unique challenges and advocate for policies and programs that advance rural health. We exist to listen, learn and lead a movement that keeps rural health at the forefront of every conversation regarding the health of our state.

What We Offer:

- Educational Opportunities
- National Rural Health Association Annual Conferences
- Networking Opportunities
- Legislative Updates
- Member Newsletter



Learn more about membership at
www.foundationhli.org/ncrha



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Who Are We?

NCRHA's diverse membership includes individual members, students and organizations/associations/corporations interested in supporting and providing leadership on rural health issues through, advocacy, collaboration, and education.

How do we Work?

NCRHA promotes collaboration by connecting and convening on matters of health, coordinated forums, and work groups to address and foster collaborative rural health solutions.

Our Work Groups

Each of our workgroups meets monthly. Visit foundationhli.org/ncrha for more information and to register.

Health Equity

Provides advice, guidance and recommendations that will address and advance health equity in underserved, high-risk communities. This includes convening rural allies by creating social and physical environments that promote good health for all in rural

Behavioral Health


Convenes individuals and organizations working in the behavioral health space including substance abuse/misuse. This group gives special focus to access, quality, affordability, co-occurrence, and social stressors.


Rural Coalition Fighting COVID-19

Examines existing data on vaccination rates and social vulnerability areas. Also provides input on gaps in rural health engagement regarding population health and identifies strategies for bridging these gaps.


Policy and Legislation

Champions health issues affecting rural communities and monitors actions of the NC General Assembly as they pertain to rural health in our state. This includes assisting staff with development of a legislative agenda each year.

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