BBRCTE PHASE IV

Phase IV 2019 consisted of comprehensive career preparation courses in the health and tourism industry. Students traveled to Naknek for career insight into the lodge operation industry and the jobs that it entails. Seven students traveled to Anchorage, and six students went to Fairbanks for our courses related to Allied Health Pathways.

Professionalism in Health Careers



A rich career preparation course took place in Anchorage put on by AHEC's talented instructors. Students interested in the health career field took on the challenge of resume writing, cover letters, job shadowing, career exploration, and job interview conducted by a live panel of AHEC and providence professionals. Students experienced first hand professionals that held high esteem and passion for their careers. One student was able to job shadow the emergency room in real life. There were no 'sit out here' or 'close your eyes' moments available to the students; they endured every component of the hospital career life. One student watched emergency room nurses do their job as they do every day with high work ethic, human care, clear communication, and confidence. Other students shadowed pediatric nurses, adult care nurses, and radiology.

Other Anchorage activities included field trips to other health professional facilities, and a chance to showcase their newly learned professional skills shopping for appropriate professional attire.

PROFESSIONALISM IN HEALTH CAREERS









Session IV Courses

Lodge Operations

Professionalism in Health Careers

CNA Skills Lab

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Lodge Operations Course



This past Lodge Operations course was packed with many techniques that set our nine distinguished students up for success in the lodge hospitality/tourism industry. Students learned essential knot tying, boat maintenance, housekeeping, marketing, management, personal skills and best of all got to get out and fly fish! Each student tied numerous flies that they took out on King Salmon Creek for some testing. Despite the chilly spring weather, students had success with their newfound skills, catching fish such as char & rainbow. These students were given the opportunity, on the last day, to apply for summer jobs at any lodge of their choice, that was still hiring for this upcoming season. Jobs available ranged from housekeeping, dock help, maintenance crew, and guides.







Certified Nurse Aide Program

In January of 2019, six seniors students from three districts entered into a Certified Nurse Aide cohort program. In May 2019, all six students completed the nine credit program earning and Occupational Endorsement from UAF CTC program. These students dedicated themselves in and out of school. For the final phase of the CNA program, the students traveled to Fairbanks to work with patients in long term care facilities, practicing the necessary skills to be successful. They learned what a 50 - hour work week felt like starting at six in the morning. Through practicing the nursing skills required to finish the program, students also bonded with patients and learned how vital human compassion is in the nursing field. BBRCTE is so proud of all six students sticking with the program from the beginning to the end. It was a long semester and their senior year meaning graduation, prom, and senior trips also had to be juggled into their already busy schedule. Some students will continue on to the nursing field, one in dentistry, and one even was offered an immediate job. CNA was a rich program supported by a dedicated instructor who supported these gals all the way to the finish line.



2018 - 2019 in Review

These career enriching CTE opportunities were a multi-district joint effort provided by the support of the following entities: Alaska Area Health Education Center (AHEC), Bristol Bay Economic Development Corporation (BBEDC), Bristol Bay Area Health Consortium (BBAHC), Bristol Bay Native Corporations (BBNC), and UAF Bristol Bay Campus.

- 15 BLS CPR & First Aid cards
- 9 Emergency Trauma Technician certifications
- 9 Mental First Aid certification cards
- 8 Stop the Bleed Cards

- 6 OE Certified Nurse Aide
- 5 Merchant Marine Credentials
- 8 Food Service Cards

Other: State ID cards