



# Scholarly Concentrations Program: A PRIME Approach to Addressing Care for the Medically Underserved and Vulnerable Populations

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**SCHOLARLY CONCENTRATIONS**

- BLOOMINGTON**
  - Human Sexuality and Health
    - Kinsey Institute
  - Medical Education
- EVANSVILLE**
  - Quality and Innovation in Health Care
    - local health care systems
- FORT WAYNE**
  - Health Integration and Healthy Aging
    - regional health care systems
- INDIANAPOLIS**
  - Biomedical Research
    - Genetics in Medicine
    - Health Information Technology
    - Regenstrief Institute
- MUNCIE**
  - Health Promotion and Disease Prevention
    - BSU Clinical Exercise Physiology Program
- NORTHWEST-GARY**
  - Urban Medicine and Health Care Disparities
    - community partners
- SOUTH BEND**
  - Ethics, Equity and Justice
    - University of Notre Dame
- TERRE HAUTE**
  - Rural Health
    - rural health systems
- WEST LAFAYETTE**
  - Biomedical Engineering and Applied Medical Technology
    - Purdue Weldon School of Biomedical Engineering
  - Care of Hispanic/Latino Patients
- STATEWIDE\***
  - Business of Medicine
    - Kelley School of Business
  - Public Health
    - Fairbanks School of Public Health
  - Medical Humanities
    - Medical Humanities and Health Studies, School of Liberal Arts
  - Religion and Spirituality in Medicine

\*Based in Indianapolis but available from any campus

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### Purpose

Examine how well the structure of the Scholarly Concentrations Program and content of each concentration relates to the goals of the federal Health Resources and Services Administration grant received to create more interest and prepare more medical school graduates to care for medically underserved and vulnerable populations. The grant funds the Primary Care Reaffirmation for Indiana Medical Education, or PRIME. project. A review of how concentrations align with the grant was conducted by reviewing program, concentration and course learning objectives and mapping to the grant objectives. Numerous concentrations were found to be an excellent fit, creating a PRIME opportunity to enhance the SC Program and move the needle on the grant objectives.

Scholarly Concentration	Campus	Primary Care	Care of Medically Underserved and Vulnerable Populations
Urban Medicine and Health Care Disparities	Gary-Northwest	X	X
Rural Health	Terre Haute	X	X
Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	Muncie	X	X
Care of Hispanic/Latino Patients	West Lafayette	X	X
Public Health	Statewide	X	X
Human Sexuality and Health	Bloomington	X	X
Quality and Innovation in Health Care	Evansville	X	
Ethics, Equity and Justice	South Bend	X	X
Health Integration and Healthy Aging	Fort Wayne	X	X
Health Information Technology	Indianapolis	X	X
Business of Medicine	Statewide	X	
Genetics in Medicine	Indianapolis		X
Medical Humanities	Indianapolis		X
Medical Education	Bloomington		
Religion and Spirituality in Medicine	Indianapolis	X	X

- ### Scholarly Concentration Curricular Areas Tied to HRSA PRIME Grant
- Education on identifying and addressing population health needs
  - Consideration of social determinant of health factors in patient care plans
  - Enhancement of student cultural and linguistic competency
  - Health systems-level education, quality improvement, enhancing patient experiences and reducing costs
  - Practice within rural and/or urban medically underserved communities

HRSA PRIME Priority Scholarly Concentrations	Topic-Specific Courses
Urban Medicine and Health Care Disparities	Healthcare Disparities in an Urban Setting Introduction to Public Health
Rural Health	Introduction to Rural and Agricultural Health Rural Health Journal Club
Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	Lifestyle Medicine Introduction to Public Health
Care of Hispanic and Latino Patients	Introduction to Hispanic/Latino Patient Care Introduction to Public Health

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Initial Priority Concentrations for HRSA PRIME grant support