## Health Profession Education Program (HPEP)

## What is (HPEP) of Nevada?

The Nevada Office of WICHE was created to help Nevada students afford the cost of graduate/undergraduate medical education in occupational fields with high workforce demands and a shortage of providers. In exchange for funding, recipients agree to physically reside in Nevada and practice (employment) in your professional field upon completion of your education in a health profession shortage area (HPSA) or a medically underserved area.



## **HPEP Funding Available**

Must be certified as a Nevada resident one year prior to submitting application and accepted into your professional program. For more information on requirements visit **nvwiche.nevada.edu**.

Field of Study	2025-2027 Support Fee Funding Amount
<b>Registered Nursing (RN)</b> For Associate and Bachelor Nursing students who have been accepted into their professional program where they are taking nursing courses and completing clinical rotations.	\$2,400
Master of Science Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)	\$7,700
Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)	\$7,700
Master of Social Work (MSW)	\$5,000
Intention to obtain Licensed Master of Social Worker (LMSW) or Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW) or Licensed Master Exam and Advanced Generalist Exam Social Worker (LISW)	

After Graduation and Licensure all stipend recipients must complete a service requirement of one year full time employment in a Health Profession Shortage Underserved Area in Nevada per Disbursement

Limited HPEP Funding\* for Advanced Practice Nursing, Licensed Master of Social Work and Registered Nurse Nevada Residents for 2025-2026

Apply by Monday, July 7, 2025, for Priority Consideration

Application review will begin after July 8, 2025.

\*Funding is contingent upon 2025 Nevada legislative appropriation

