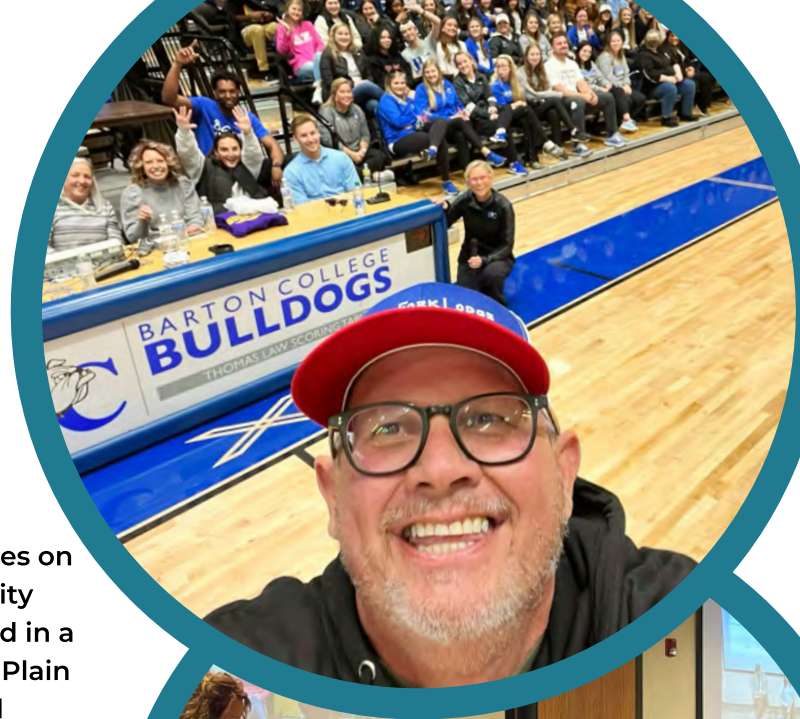


Trauma and Addiction

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In October 2022, Dr. Stephen Loyd spent four days in our five-county region sharing his story and providing updates on the Opioid Settlement Funds. He spoke on two community college campuses, provided a CME in Wilson, participated in a conference in Rocky Mount, met with the Upper Coastal Plain Council of Government's (UCPCOG) board members, and addressed student athletes and athletic staff at Barton College. Dr. Loyd was also interviewed by a Tarboro High School junior for a podcast focused on trauma and addiction. In total, he touched approximately eight hundred individuals in our region. In January, Dr. Loyd invited Area L AHEC, Carolina's Family Health Center, and Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition (WCSPC) to participate in a panel discussion at the Opioid Abatement Summit at Georgetown University to share the efforts in North Carolina regarding the Opioid Settlement funding and the work in the Area L AHEC region. These events would not have been possible without the support of our sponsors.

Sponsors: NCHQA, Coalition for Addiction Recovery Education (C.A.R.E.), Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition (WCSPC), Wilson Medical Center, Halifax Community College, Edgecombe Community College, Barton College, Rural Opportunity Institute (ROI), Trillium, Eastpointe, HRSA, Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust, and the Duke Endowment



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- Mental Health First Aid March 16
- Scientific Stigma Reduction: Just Say KNOW March 28
- Results-Based Accountability: Do the Right Things and Do Them Well April 4 - 6

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- Making Shift Happen: An Overview of Motivational Interviewing Feb. 22
- OSHA Laws: Annual Spring Bloodborne Pathogens and Hazcom Update March 31 *
- Pharmacy Law Update 2023 April 20

Online, Self-Paced Educational Activities



- Healthy Opportunities Pilot (HOP) for the Care Manager: Understanding the Medical Respite Cross Domain Service
- North Carolina's Guide to Diabetes Prevention and Management
- CGWEP: Falls Prevention Awareness: Advanced Training for Home Health Aides

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- Alumni Certificate Conference Aug. 3
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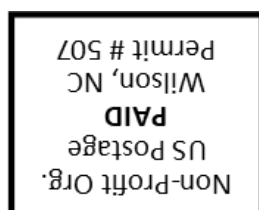
NC Certificate in Trauma and Resilience

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Area L AHEC has received funding from the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Division of Mental Health to provide a North Carolina Certificate in Trauma and Resilience, and a North Carolina Certificate in Trauma and Resilience with an added focus on Racial Trauma. Area L AHEC is working in collaboration with Florida State University (FSU), Resources for Resilience, and Community Organizing for Racial Equity (CORE) to provide more than 500 certificates to professionals working in North Carolina.

This funding will also allow Area L AHEC to provide both an Alumni Certificate Conference and a two-day Resiliency Conference. The funding will also support Area L AHEC staff in working with Barton College in Wilson, NC, to pilot a Trauma Informed Campus initiative. Additional funding from the Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust, Wilson County Substance Prevention Coalition (WCSPC), Eastpointe, and Wilson County DSS will also support this work.

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