

About BHECN

The Behavioral Health Education Center of Nebraska (BHECN, pronounced “beacon”) is dedicated to improving access to behavioral health care across the state of Nebraska by developing a skilled and passionate workforce.

BHECN provides training, workforce preparation, and a recruiting Ambassador Program, introducing students at the high school and college level to behavioral health careers. BHECN created a Behavioral Health Career Pathways brochure to introduce high school students to eight licensed behavioral health careers.

- Psychiatrist
- Physician Assistant
- Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner
- Licensed Psychologist
- Professional Mental Health Counselor
- Marriage and Family Therapist
- Clinical Social Worker
- Substance Use Disorder Counselor

Brochure details include:

- Basic job description
- Educational requirements
- Potential places of employment
- Projected job growth
- Average salary in Nebraska
- Academic programs in Nebraska



Visit the Behavioral Health Career Pathways web page: unmc.edu/bhecn/career-pathways

- Download the brochure and academic pathway infographic
- View career testimonial videos
- Find more behavioral health career resources
- Share with your students, educators and partners

Would you like your own supply of brochures for students?

Please contact: Laura Holly, BHECN, laura.holly@unmc.edu, (402) 552-7692

About the Jobs Website

BHECN also works with Region V Systems to provide a free jobs website connecting job seekers with the behavioral health employers in Nebraska at www.NebraskaBehavioralHealthJobs.com.

For more information, contact:

Krista Roberts

kristamobergroberts@unmc.edu

(402) 552-7693

