



Fellow Application

To apply for the Rural Health Fellow of TN program, please complete the information below.

Submit application by email to RHAT@RHAT.org and pay \$100 application fee online or by mail to: RHA of TN, PO Box 656, Decaturville, TN 38329 by February 15, 2019.

- Applicant must have at least 3 years of rural-specific professional experience
- Applicant must complete a minimum of 60 hours of Fellow Approved continuing education over the three-year period previous to applying
- Applicant must be an active member of the Rural Health Association of Tennessee
- Applicant must complete a project through participation in an annual cohort with a focus on either Legislative/Regulatory/Policy or Community Health Improvement

Full Name _____

Organization _____

Mailing Address _____

Position Title _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Date of Application _____

Are you an active member of the RHA of TN Yes _____ No _____

Criteria

Please provide information on the following three questions to ensure that you meet the criteria for participation.

1. Do you have at least three years of professional rural health experience?
(Please describe or attach your resume / CV)
2. Have you completed at least 60 hours of Fellow Approved continuing education over the past three years? (Please attach or list events attended and dates as available (mo/yr) All RHA of TN events over the past three years are grandfathered into this requirement. If non-Association events were attended that may apply, please include a description of the event along with title / date / hosting entity)

3. Describe in detail the legislative/regulatory/policy initiative or community health improvement program that you will complete to obtain the Rural Health Fellow of TN designation. (The Community Health Improvement Project must create a benefit specific to rural areas of Tennessee and must be presented in written format (a project paper). The project paper must be a minimum of 4 pages, use supporting literature or research, and contain results from the project.)
(Legislative / Regulatory/Policy Position Paper must address emerging regulatory or policy initiative specific to rural health in Tennessee. The paper must be a minimum of 4 pages, use supporting literature or research and contain an impact analysis of the position on rural communities.)