

\$1.9 MILLION GRANT TO TRAIN BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

Thanks to a [\\$1.9 million grant](#), Central Pennsylvania will soon have more well-trained behavioral health professionals. The grant to Millersville University is from the Health Resources and Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Dr. Karen Rice, chair of the [School of Social Work](#) says the project will help to teach graduate students about the unique needs and challenges found in today's behavioral health fields. The grant will also give students the chance to gain valuable work experience with one of our community partners. In addition, students will receive a \$10,000 stipend upon completion of their specialized training and internship.

The "Promoting Rural Behavioral Health Outreach" grant is a

Forty-seven students were selected and participated in the PSSI. These students represent 14 different majors, including biology, sports management, education and applied engineering.

The program also provides various mentoring opportunities for the students. Additionally, they are given training for their various student accounts, ordering textbooks and other important factors that will aid in their transition to freshman year.

The PSSI is hosted by the Office of Student Access and Support Services. By focusing on college readiness and access, the office hosts various programs to help students through their time at Millersville University. For more information, visit <https://www.millersville.edu/sass/>.

NEW STUDENT LEADERS

Leizel Schlott is the president of Millersville University's Student Government Association and Madison Whitcomb was recently sworn in as the student member on the Council of Trustees for Millersville University.

