



Category: Clinical initiatives

Name of Organization: Health Bridge – Open Source

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This program is able to accommodate 10 Students

Description: Health Bridge is a partnership between physicians, students, and patients to enable longitudinal care instead of sporadic visits to the emergency room when illness peaks (or when other healthcare resources are inadequate).

Students are paired with a high-frequency ER patient to provide health education, counseling, and motivation for patients to develop healthy habits and reduce unnecessary visits to the ER. Students receive training and the unique opportunity to improve their clinical interviewing skills while developing a long term relationship with a patient. There is no research activity for students.