**AHSC: Helping People Live Better, Longer**

“Aging is being redefined in our society,” says J. Lyle Bootman, PhD, ScD, senior vice president for health sciences at the University of Arizona. “Today many more of the Baby Boomers will live beyond 80. That population segment consumes the majority of health-care services.”

As this video explains, contributing to healthy lifestyles among this population is a significant focus of Dr. Bootman’s vision for the Arizona Health Sciences Center: to assist Arizona in once again becoming a health destination.

**Dr. Peter Rhee Named to Martin Gluck Endowed Chair**

Thanks to a $1.7 million commitment by Tucson Foundations, supplemented by proceeds of the 2011 MASH Bash, a newly named endowed chair at the UA College of Medicine will ensure that Peter Rhee, MD, is able to continue his distinguished public service in medical education, patient care and research at the UA.

**Traditional Honoring Ceremony Recognizes Graduates**

Complementing spring convocations, a traditional honoring ceremony at the Arizona Health Sciences Center celebrates the accomplishments of graduating American Indian and Alaska Native students from the UA Colleges of Medicine, Nursing and Pharmacy and the UA Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health. This year, students representing Navajo, Choctaw, Yaqui and Seminole American Indian tribes were blessed and congratulated.
**Graduate Students in Public Health Study Migration**

Six UA graduate students, four of them from the UA Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health, are looking at the health impact of migration on communities in the Mexico-Guatemala border region through a nine-day Border Health Service Learning course. Their focus includes the dangers of migration and the effects on families left behind. They also are examining successful and sustainable business models that reduce the need for migration.

**First GME Residency Scholarships Awarded**

Seven resident-physicians in the Graduate Medical Education program at the UA College of Medicine have been awarded the first Resident Excellence and Leadership scholarships through the GME office. The scholarships are designed to promote the academic careers of residents who have a proven track record of excellence and have demonstrated potential in becoming future leaders. "It is one of the missions of this institution," says Conrad Clemens, MD, associate dean for GME, "to develop the next generation of academic leaders for our community, state and nation."

**Geriatric Education Catches On**

The Interprofessional Senior Mentor Program, housed in the Arizona Center on Aging, pairs students from the health sciences who are interested in learning about older adults with active seniors. Inaugurated in spring 2011 with 29 students, the program attracted 50 participating students in spring 2012. Eighteen of these were PharmD students.

**Survivor+cise**

LinkIN!, an innovative program at the UA College of Nursing, provides an online compendium of resources for cancer survivors. The program also has made possible an exercise program particularly for patients who have just completed chemotherapy and/or radiation.

**Style Guide Helps Writers, Designers**

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