



State Grant To Fund 'health Pipeline' Program

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Three Rivers Community College and its partners, Quinnebaug Valley Community College and the Eastern Connecticut Workforce Investment Board, have been awarded a \$105,931 grant for the "Health Pipeline Program," which introduces students to job opportunities in the health care industry.

The program pairs four regional hospitals with area high school students for training in the health care field and a paid summer internship at the hospitals.

The grant was available under the 2008 Health and Education Initiatives Program, run jointly by the state Department of Higher Education, the state Department of Health and the Office for Workforce Competitiveness.

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