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Denali Training Fund Quarterly Progress Report

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Name of Organization: UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA
Name of Project: RURAL ALLIED HEALTH TRAINING – Joint Trainee Success Projects
Reporting Period: January – March 2008, Phase IIIB, 3rd Qtr and FINAL
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Expenditures to date: Provided by UA Office of Cost Analysis
Certification: I certify that the information in this report is current, correct and true and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.
Signed by: <u><i>Jan Harris</i></u> Dated: <u><i>4/15/08</i></u>
Title: <u><i>Associate Dean, CHSW / Project PI</i></u>

1. In a few sentences, please describe the scope of your project.

The Trainee Success project is a suite of support services to enable trainees in allied health to be successful. There are coordinators at each of the three main campuses who are responsible for providing personalized support, preliminary advising, coaching and supplemental instruction, and assistance with distance education technologies, all to enhance the academic success of rural trainees.

2. Project Activities for this Reporting Period:

Describe the grant activities that happened during this report period. Include planning, advertisement and/or training performance that occurred this quarter? List any accomplishments achieved. (Attach advertisements if applicable)

Routine support of Rural Allied Health Training Project trainees as described above and in the number described in #4 below.

3. Scheduled Project Activities/Important Dates for next quarter:

Describe your planned activities and training for next few months. Please include important dates like graduation, site visits, travel, job fairs, etc.

Continuing support of Rural Allied Health Training trainees.

Marketing contacts on the schedule for the next quarter include:

April 7-11 –Village Health Occupation Program in Sitka representatives of villages of Southeast

April 10 – 15 trainees to gather in Sitka for special presentation

May or June - Trainee Success Coordinators will meet to enhance coordination.

4. a. How many are in your training program during this reporting period?

	UAS	UAA	UAF
Number Trainees (unduplicated)	15	47	50
Total Contacts/ Assists	30	158	75
Personalized Support	30	113	47
Advising & Registration	25	56	38
Technical Support	0	20	27
System Barriers	5	20	2
Group Communications	0	85	18
Total Marketing Contacts this period (through job fairs, mailings, etc)	1310	800	none

5. Please list the community to which each individual trained is from, the type of training and certification, the graduation date and who will employ them upon completion of training.

These trainees and their communities are reflected in the report of the academic programs in which they are enrolled.

6. Please identify any problems or changes in your training project that will affect the budget, scope or timeline of the project. Is your training on schedule? What are the reasons for any difficulties or delays? Are you over budget/under budget? Have you had to change the initial scope?

Please provide an explanation to this change and your resolution to the variance.

This project is progressing as expected.

7. How are you or will you be evaluating the individuals being trained to ensure competency, skill level and understanding? (Testing, assessment, etc)

Trainee Success Support is not academic program but a support system for trainees.

8. Please identify areas that we can assist you in the future.