

# AHEC SCHOLARS GRADUATES

## *May 2026 Graduates*

Tonya Dory - May 2026

Siobhan Ewing - May 2026

Scarlette Howell - May 2026

Samira Lopez - May 2026

Sophia Lucas - May 2026

Dominick Madrigal - May 2026

Ashlyn Neves - May 2026



# May 2025 Graduates



Ximena Cadenas - May 2025

Aaliyah Greene - May 2025

Jessica Rodriguez - May 2025

Jennifer Armstrong - May 2025

Sarah Arndt - May 2025

Keani Lopez - May 2025

Ashton Miller - May 2025

*"Since finishing nursing school and AHEC Scholars, I passed my NCLEX and started working in the Burn ICU at UHealth University of Colorado Hospital, as well as at a rehab center in Brush. I am also continuing my education and working on my BSN. It has been a busy year, but I have learned so much and I am really enjoying getting more experience as a new nurse."*

# May 2024 Graduates

## Jennifer Gonzalez-Flores – May 2024

*"Career and College plans include getting an undergraduate degree, successfully completing the MCAT, getting into and graduating from medical school and finally becoming a psychiatrist."*



## Aster McNally – May 2024

*I am currently working as a CNA at Columbine while finishing school. I plan to obtain my bachelor's in biology before studying to obtain my MD. From there, I want to complete my residency in pediatrics followed by neonatal intensive care (NICU) fellowship.*

*"The purpose of life is to live it, to taste experience to the utmost, to reach out eagerly and without fear for newer and richer experience & quote"  
– Eleanor Roosevelt*



# May 2023 Graduates

## Emiliano Gonzales-Serrano – May 2023

*"Hello, my name is Emiliano Gonzales-Serrano, and I am a pre-med student at CU Boulder. I plan to study integrative physiology during my time at the university. Currently, I am a certified CNA and I plan to be a physician of family medicine serving underrepresented populations. I love to travel, and I will one day volunteer my time with doctors without borders."*



## Karli Havel – May 2023

## Yasmin Berumen Martinez – May 2023

# May 2022 Graduates

## Jessica Ditter – May 2022

*Hi! I'm Jessica, an inspiring medical student. I have always loved helping people and being able to change a life. From the little things, like getting some water, to the big things, like performing CPR, healthcare has surrounded my life. I hope to get a job at the hospital this summer and continue my medical education. I am a junior in high school and am already able to get a job in the healthcare settings because of the amazing opportunities Aims and AHEC have offered me. After high school, I plan to continue my medical education to reach my life goal of working in the NICU. I mean who wouldn't want to work with cute babies all day.*



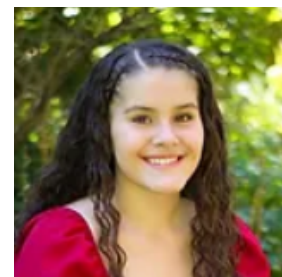
*Gracelyn Alexander  
Payton Bays  
Jazable Breazeale  
Jasmine Casas  
Alexis Crook  
Jessica Ditter  
Kayline Garman  
Pamela Gutierrez Soto  
Aubrey Humphrey  
Ashlyn Mallory  
Brianna Mendoza Olivas  
Melanie Olivas Rivera  
Andrea Rincon  
Quinten Stutler  
Cyra Waldfogel*

*Diana Alva  
Madisyn Beers  
Alexis Bruntz  
Yesenia Casas  
Vicky Cruz  
Abbygale Erdmann  
Emily Gigliotti  
Makenzie Hall  
Audry Loya  
Teagan Marsh  
Whitley Mireles  
Victoria Ortiz  
Josie Roselle  
Sophia Unzueta  
Tera Witt*

*Ivey Armstrong  
Wyatt Bolling  
Alany Carrillo  
Payton Chavez  
Jaqueline Cruz Bencomo  
Aleayah Garcia  
Kyah Grant  
Adaleigh Hood  
Kloey Maggiano  
Natalie McGirl  
Anahi Mota Gutierrez  
Nataly Pitones De La Cruz  
Jaqueline Soto  
Hannah Vannatta*

## Kayline Garman – May 2022

*My goal for my future career path is learn to work in a emergency setting where I would be working in a fast paced precise environment and later on down the road settle down in helping children.*



# May 2021 Graduates

## Stephanie Norris – May 2021

*AHEC Scholars has allowed me to explore a multitude of topics and unique populations which has only helped grow my knowledge base. This program has helped to prepare me for a career in nursing.*



## Liza Nelson – May 2021

*I finish up nursing school this August and I plan to jump right into working. I was given a position at North Colorado Medical Center for my last clinical rotation. I will be working full-time in the ICU. I plan to use the relationship I have with the hospital to help get me a job there or in the Banner system. After I graduate, I hope to stay in Northern Colorado because I love the people and the area. I enjoy the medical/surgical roles in nursing, so I plan to work in the hospital. And while I mainly love the hospital environment, as I move forward, I also have an interest in public health and harm reduction. I'm excited to see where this next year takes me!*



## Tanya Perekrestenko – May 2021

*I just recently graduated from the University of Northern Colorado's School of Nursing, and AHEC Scholars has been a part of that journey since my second semester in nursing school. It led to great opportunities to delve deeply into topics that are touched upon in classes, and some topics that are not addressed at all but are no less important to providing holistic care. Once I pass the NCLEX, I will be going into a position at a local hospital system. My plans are to move in the organization towards labor and delivery as that has been a passion of mine that drove me to go into nursing. After I get experience and have an established career, I intend to continue on to become a Certified Nurse Midwife to deepen my role.*

