Educating Leaders

Students

KU has 82 students from Pottawatomie County: 46 undergraduate, 23 graduate, and 13 students at KU Medical Center.

KU students from Pottawatomie County have significant support in the form of grants, scholarships, and fellowships. As of the fall census, $221,114 in federal, state, institutional, and outside/private grants, scholarships, and fellowships have been awarded on all campuses to 40 Pottawatomie County students for FY 2015.

KU has 338 alumni from Pottawatomie County.

Building Healthy Communities

Business

KU has partnerships with three businesses in Pottawatomie County.

- 1 business works with KU on career services
- 1 business participated in KU continuing education programs
- 1 business in Pottawatomie County provided charitable giving through KU Endowment.

Public Safety

KU provides public safety training to the state for law enforcement, fire and rescue response. In FY 2014, 36 law enforcement officers and 55 fire and rescue officials from Pottawatomie County were trained at KU.

Healthcare – KU Medical Center

Strengthening the Health Care Workforce

- 43 KU Medical Center graduates live and/or practice in Pottawatomie County.
- 8 Pottawatomie County physicians received funding through the Kansas Bridging Plan, a loan-forgiveness program offered to primary care medical residents who agree to practice in rural Kansas.
- 3 enrollments in KU Medical Center continuing education courses and conferences by Pottawatomie County health care professionals in Fiscal Year 2014.
Advancing Health Care Access

- Pottawatomie County residents saw KU Medical Center health care providers 31 times via telemedicine in FY14. An interactive video technology that connects providers and patients when distance separates the two, telemedicine services are provided through the University of Kansas Center for Telemedicine and Telehealth.

- Pottawatomie County residents made 1 visit to KU Medical Center health care providers in outreach clinics held outside of Kansas City in FY14.