

Nurse Managed Centers



PATH Clinic at M-POWER Ministries



The University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing partners with M-POWER Ministries and UAB Health System to operate the nurse-managed PATH (Providing Access to Healthcare) Clinic. This collaborative effort is currently supported by a HRSA Nurse Education, Practice, Quality and Retention (NEPQR) award and utilizes an interprofessional, team-based model to improve primary care and chronic disease management to a medically underserved population.

Foundry Clinic



The University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing partners with The Foundry Rescue Mission and Recovery Center in Bessemer, Alabama to operate a nurse-managed clinic for both Foundry residents and community members in need of affordable health care. The clinic provides primary care and urgent care for health concerns that might otherwise go untreated, including diabetes, high blood pressure and heart disease, for patients ages 14 and older.

HRSA Heart Failure Clinic



Dr. Maria Shirey, Assistant Dean of Clinical and Global Partnerships, was recently awarded a grant from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to implement a nurse managed health center. Dr. Shirey's grant will fund a Nurse Managed Heart Failure Center for underinsured and/or medically underserved population. The purpose of the center will be to develop an interprofessional (IP) collaborative practice (IPCP) model which coordinates transitional care to reduce 30-day hospital readmissions in heart failure (HF) patients.

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