The Department of Allied Health Sciences annually celebrates the contributions of our Clinical Preceptors. They provide a vital component to the clinical education experience of our students.

The special luncheon and program have been held at various venues in Chapel Hill including the William and Ida Friday Center, the Center for School Leadership Development, and the Carolina Club.

The program has focused on professional development topics such as “Supervising Students in the 21st Century,” “Generational Differences,” and “The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly Mentor.”

Top Left: Cynthia Bulik presents at the 2012 CPAE held at the Friday Center. Top Right: Clinical Preceptors enjoying lunch at the 2004 CPAE. Bottom Left: Winston Crisp speaks on “Generational Differences” at the 2009 CPAE. Bottom Right: An overview of the audience at the 2013 CPAE.
As shown in the map above, Allied Health students were assigned clinical sites in 47 different cities throughout N.C. during the 2013-2014 academic year. All Area Health Education Centers (AHEC) were utilized with these clinical sites. Greensboro and Wake AHECs were the dominant regions because of their close proximity and academic accommodations to UNC-CH.

During this academic year, Allied Health students also completed rotations in 17 sites outside of N.C. as far north as Norton, Massachusetts (Marathon PT), as far south as Miami, Florida (Mailman Center), and as far west as Southern California (Center for Childhood Communication). In addition, opportunities were presented to students in the OT, PT, RS, and SPHS divisions to travel to international sites such as Honduras (Un Mundo), Malawi (Sandi Rehab), and Guatemala to gain a broader clinical experience.

*Excludes the following programs: Auditory Learning Certificate, RA Masters, PT off-campus, and PhDs.

Total Student Body = 435