Texas Tech Doctor of Nursing Practice
Student Named to State Position

Deb McCullough, MSN, RN, FNP recently was selected to serve as a member of the Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Public Health Funding and Policy Committee by the Texas Municipal League.

Senate Bill 969, passed during the 2011 regular legislative session, directed the DSHS to create a Public Health Funding and Policy Committee to discuss and make recommendations on various issues relating to local health entities. The recommendations will relate to funding and communications between the entities and DSHS as well as more general public health policy issues.

McCullough graduated from Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC) with her BSN in 1987, MSN and Family Nurse Practitioner in 1993 and currently is a student in the TTUHSC School of Nursing Doctor of Nursing Practice program.

McCullough currently is the clinic director and family nurse practitioner at a small rural local public health department (LHD). Previously, she was the director of nursing at a medium-sized LHD.