Happy first week of class! Welcome back to all, and a special welcome to our new freshmen! I hope you have a wonderful semester.

Each week you'll receive the Honors PreHealth Newsletter. Please take a moment to scan through the items below. Students in the past have found great opportunities for research, volunteering, and more! I hope this proves to be a helpful resource on your PreHealth journey.

Best wishes,
Ms. Coco
MANDATORY FRESHMEN MEETING

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19
5:30-7:30 PM
DRAPER 152

Mandatory for all honors program pre-health freshmen. You will not be able to register for spring classes if you do not attend.

For extenuating circumstances that prevent your attendance, please email Coco_DiMauro@baylor.edu to receive an alternate assignment.

If you are a Pre-Health student AND in the Honors Program, the meeting is mandatory.
If you are a Pre-Health student and are NOT in the Honors Program, you are welcome to attend but not required.

FRESHMEN:

Want to know what you can be doing NOW to get to a strong start on your pre-health journey? Check out THIS PreHealth Particulars Podcast episode!

Research & Internships


Other Biomedical Research Internships: A catalog of biomedical research internships offered nationwide for high school, undergraduate, post-baccalaureate, graduate, and first-year medical students. (Please note, this link is password protected to maintain confidentiality).

PreHealth Research Programs: A variety of internships and research opportunities found on the PreHealth Office's website.
***DID YOU KNOW?***

It's important to log not only your hours, but also what you have learned from your experiences when shadowing, volunteering, working, etc. Click HERE for a handy activity log template. Remember to save a back up copy online too!

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**MCAT & PRE-MED RESOURCES**

AAMC Webinars: Other Resources:

- [How to Create a Study Plan for the MCAT Exam](#)
- [Khan Academy video tutorials and review questions](#)
- [Plan to Make the Most of Your Summer--Now](#)
- [Paying for Medical School](#)
Resources from the American Dental Education Association (ADEA)

- ADEA Enrichment Programs
- Preparing for Dental School
- The Admissions Process
- Dental Admissions Test (DAT)
- Virtual Interviews Do's & Don'ts
- Shadowing

Resources from the American Academy of Physician Associates (AAPA) and PA Education Association (PAEA)

- What is a PA?
- How to Become a PA
- Applying to a PA Program
- Information for Pre-PA Students
- What is CASPA?

Other Resources

- Baylor PreHealth Particulars Podcast - Pre-PA Episode
• Pre-PA Info (Workshops, Student Organizations, etc)

GAP YEAR, SHADOWING, & VOLUNTEERING
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

TEACHERS
TUTORS
CLASSROOM AIDES
CREATIVE PROBLEM SOLVERS
MENTORS (ENCOURAGERS/FRIENDS)
EXAM PROCTORS
SPANISH SPEAKERS

APPLY ONLINE: CWJCWACO.ORG
TRAINING PROVIDED
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Waco, TX

We need volunteers for:
- Reception: Welcome & Wayfinding
- Golf Cart Drivers
- Administrative Tasks
- Healthcare Provider Appreciation
- Patient Welcome & Support
- Veteran Recognition
- Special Projects

For more information: Erica Ballard, RN, Director of Volunteer & Guest Services
Erica.BallardeAscension.org (254)-751-4104

Volunteer & shadow at Baylor Scott & White
Waco! Click here to learn more. For shadowing opportunities, please call 254-202-6200 or email HBMCStudents@BSWHealth.org
SHADOW with Texas AHEC East/Waco Family Medicine. Click here for more info!

SHADOW at Ascension Providence! Click here to access the application

VOLUNTEER at Ascension Providence. Applications now open, click here!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Ask PreHealth:

Virtual one-on-one advising sessions. TBD
Zoom Meeting ID: 856 6050 9304  Passcode: Prehealth

PreHealth Scholarships:
Various scholarships available here.

PreHealth Particulars Podcast:

A Baylor pre-health podcast...pre-health advising on the go! Check out the Pre-Health Office's website here to listen on a wide variety of topics. Also available on Apple Podcasts. Stay tuned for more episodes!
Bear Tracks:
A new mentoring program aiming to connect on campus Baylor students with shadowing opportunities in the Waco area. Click here for eligibility criteria.

Baylor Bridges:
An organization within the pre-health student programs aiming to create a network for Baylor alumni to interact with current pre-health students. Click here for more info.

Committee Letter Process
Eligible students are highly encouraged to begin this process during the fall semester of the year prior to applying to professional schools. Click here to learn more!

Pre-Health Studies Office
Click here to get stay connected and up to date on news, research opportunities, events, and more!

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Have an Idea?
Are you or someone you know doing interesting research? Internship? Service? We want to know! Send us an email to see if it can be featured in the newsletter!

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University Scholars Weekly Newsletter
Other Resources

Honors Program
PreHealth Office & Student Organizations
Baylor Counseling Center & Pastoral Care
Tutoring & Academic Coaching
The Store (free food pantry)
Baylor Writing Center
Thesis Abstracts
Office of Engaged Learning
Texas Medical & Dental Schools Application Services (TMDSAS)
Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC)
AAMC 2021 Official Guide Medical School Admissions: How to Prepare for and Apply to Medical School

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