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## Research & Internships

**Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE):** Various paid internship and fellowship opportunities at U.S. Department of Defense Research facilities across the nation. Application requirements and deadlines vary.

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**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). **\*\*Link recently updated; click on "this spreadsheet" under "Summer 2023 Internships"\*\***

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

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# Article of the Week



Where Medical Statistics Meets Artificial Intelligence  
(from The New England Journal of Medicine)

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## \*\*\*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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# SAVE THE DATE!

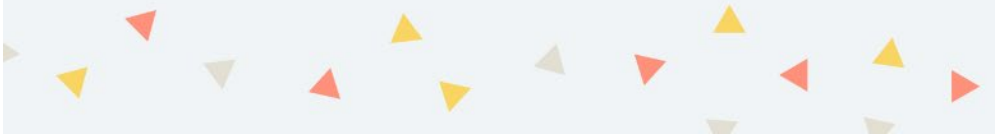


# **MCAT PREP INFO SESSION**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10**

**5:30-6:30 PM  
MORRISON 104**

**Come hear from Senior Honors Pre-Med  
students who have already taken the  
MCAT! Learn tips, tricks, and study  
strategies to help you be successful!**



# WONDER WHAT MED SCHOOLS WANT IN AN APPLICANT??

MED SCHOOLS USE THESE  
AAMC CORE COMPETENCIES TO  
EVALUATE CANDIDATES →



**COME DIALOGUE WITH LOCAL PHYSICIANS  
ABOUT THESE IMPORTANT  
CHARACTERISTICS! GREAT OPPORTUNITY  
TO NETWORK!**

**PRE-PROFESSIONAL  
COMPETENCIES (PART 1)**

**OCTOBER 16**

**5:30-6:30 PM**

**LOCATION: MORRISON 104**

**PRE-PROFESSIONAL  
COMPETENCIES (PART 2)**

**OCTOBER 30**

**5:30-6:30 PM**

**LOCATION: CASHION 502**

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

**EMAIL [COCO\\_DIMAURO@BAYLOR.EDU](mailto:COCO_DIMAURO@BAYLOR.EDU) TO RSVP**

## PreHealth Office Workshops

**Picnic with PreHealth** covering various topics, including:

- Planning and registering for classes (Oct. 18 @ 12:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)
- How to fit in extracurriculars (Nov 15 @ 12:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)

**Must register [here](#) by 5 pm the Monday prior to the workshop.**

**Registration is limited to 40 seats.**

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**Answering the Big Questions with PreHealth**, covering the following topics:

- How do I know if I am a good fit for medical school? (Oct 10 @ 3:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)
- How do I prepare for the MCAT? (Oct 24 @ 3:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)
- How do I know I'm ready to apply to medical school? (Nov 7 @ 3:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)
- What did I miss? (question & answer opportunity) (Nov 28 @ 3:30 pm, Earle Hall classrooms)

**Must register [here](#) by 5 pm the Monday prior to the workshop. Registration is limited to 40 seats.**

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# CURE BU: PHILIPPINES

*Medical-Ministry Mission*

**HEALING THE SICK  
PROCLAIMING THE  
KINGDOM OF GOD**



## *What? Where?*

We will spend two weeks during the May Minimester 2024 in Batac, Philippines. We will visit a multispecialty teaching hospital and shadow physicians, surgeons, and nurses. We will also visit a local orphanage and have the opportunity to work with and minister to children, acting as the hands and feet of Christ.



## *Why?*

Our goal is to provide students pursuing careers in healthcare with the opportunity to experience the intersections between medicine and Christian ministry, grow in their faith and calling, and appreciate the practice of medicine in a different culture.



## *Who?*

Due to the heavy medical nature of this visit, students in pre-health and allied health (pre-med, pre-PA, pre-PT, pre-dent, pre-nursing, public health, health sciences, dietician, etc) will be prioritized. Further priority is given to active CURE BU members, but everyone is able to apply.

**Deadline: November 8th**

## CONTACT



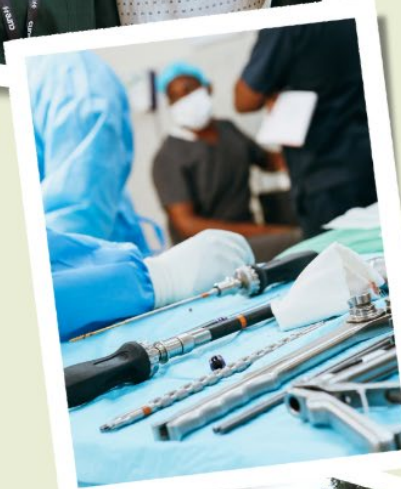
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## CURE BU Medical-Ministry Mission to the Philippines

CURE BU is a Christian organization at Baylor that explores the intersections of health, service, faith, and Christianity in a small, close-knit club. This mission trip will take place at a multispecialty teaching hospital and a local orphanage in Batac, Philippines, from May 16-30<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Students will have the unique opportunity to shadow doctors, surgeons, and nurses in different fields of medicine, as well as serve and minister to children in a local orphanage. We hope that students will gain a holistic cultural experience that combines medicine, mission, and faith. **The application deadline is November 8th.** Please contact Elizabeth John ([elizabeth\\_john1@baylor.edu](mailto:elizabeth_john1@baylor.edu)) for more details. [BUMissions Application Link](#)



# 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](#)




# PRE-DENTISTRY INFO

## 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](#)
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# PRE-PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT INFO



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







CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S JOB CORPS | McLENNAN COUNTY

*Nurturing Women, Transforming Lives*

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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



APPLY ONLINE: [CWJCWACO.ORG](http://CWJCWACO.ORG)  
TRAINING PROVIDED

Ascension Providence

# Volunteers Needed!

## Serving those in need with love and compassion

Support our healthcare providers, patients, and community by becoming a Providence Volunteer.



**Scan this code  
to apply!**



Ascension Providence  
6901 Medical Pkwy  
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.Ballard@Ascension.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!**



**What's Happening:  
Pre-Health Office**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **GLOBAL HEALTH WEEK (OCT 2-6)**

Global Health Week is here! Attend events from Oct. 2-6 to learn about The Social Determinants of Health: Social Community & Context, Economic Stability, Healthcare Access & Quality, Education Access & Quality, and Neighborhood & Built Environment. The mission of Global Health Week is to expose students to global health issues and equip them for advocacy in global & local health initiatives. Hear from local and student organizations, participate in global health initiatives on campus, and learn more about the social determinants of health!

**Win a \$3000 Scholarship!**

- For every Global Health Event you attend, you will have the opportunity to enter in a raffle for a \$3000 scholarship sponsored by the Office of Prehealth Studies at the end of the event. The more events you attend, the more chances you have to win!
- This scholarship is open to undergraduate and graduate students of all majors. The raffle winner will be announced and contacted at the end of Global Health Week.

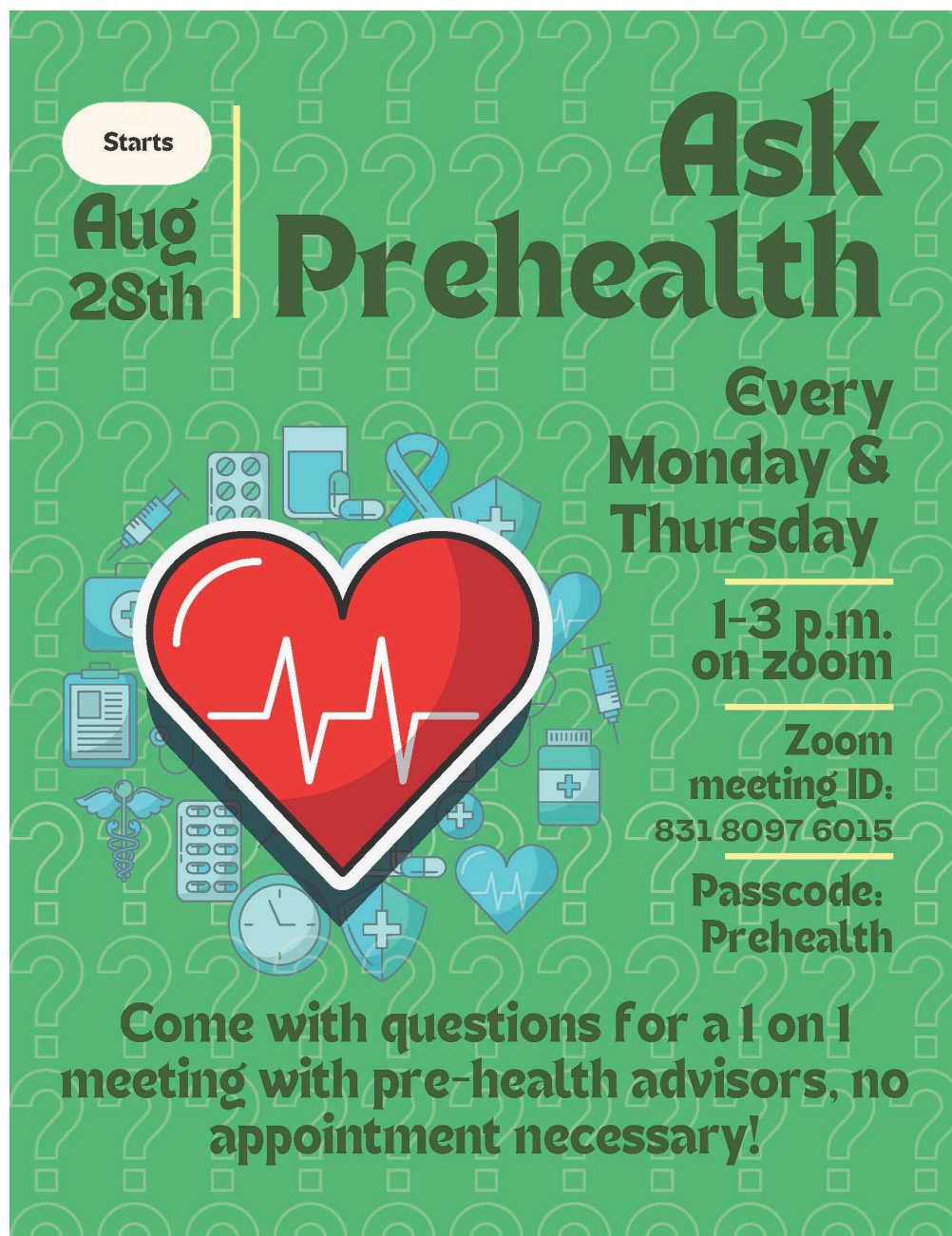
Check out [the website](https://globalhealthweek-fall23.my.canva.site/) to see the full lineup of events: <https://globalhealthweek-fall23.my.canva.site/>

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### **Ask PreHealth:**

Virtual one-on-one advising sessions. Mondays & Thursdays @ 1-3 pm

**Zoom Meeting ID: 831 8097 6015 Passcode: Prehealth**



**Starts**

**Aug 28th**

# Ask Prehealth

**Every Monday & Thursday**

**1-3 p.m. on zoom**

**Zoom meeting ID:**  
**831 8097 6015**

**Passcode:**  
**Prehealth**

**Come with questions for a 1 on 1 meeting with pre-health advisors, no appointment necessary!**

**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 & Workshops**

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!

- **MCAT/DAT Strategy Session: Oct 18 & 19 @ 4 pm**
  - Zoom Meeting ID 681 609 2559 (Passcode 366832)
- **Personal Statement Session: Nov 8 & 9 @ 4 pm**
  - Zoom Meeting ID 681 609 2559 (Passcode 366832)
- **Interview Session: Dec 5 & 6 @ 4 pm**
  - Zoom Meeting ID 681 609 2559 (Passcode 366832)
- **Medical/Dental School Application Session: May 1 & 2, 2024 @ 4 pm**
  - Zoom Meeting ID 681 609 2559 (Passcode 366832)

### **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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# PRE-NURSING



A poster for the FNA General Meeting. The background is a photograph of a modern building interior with large windows and a sign that says "BAYLOR UNIVERSITY". The poster has a light beige background with a starburst icon and a smiley face icon. The text is in a serif font. The date and time are circled in orange.

**FNA General Meeting!**

4 October  
7:30pm

BSB C105

From Camp  
Beloved and Beyond  
Guest Speaker:  
Laura Elder



The logo for "BELOVED AND BEYOND" features the word "BELOVED" in a bold, sans-serif font inside a white circle, with "AND BEYOND" in a smaller font below it. The entire logo is set against a black square background.



COFFEE AND COOKIES

# NURSING PANEL

OCTOBER 17TH, 2023

4:00 P.M.

TEAL LIBRARY ROOM 107

Pre-Nursing students, come and hear from nurses that are currently working in the field of nursing. Various backgrounds, career paths, & more. Also, come hear about Honor's College from our honor's advisor.





FALL INTO GOOD THESIS WRITING HABITS

# ***THESIS WRITING RETREAT***

\*Breakfast and Lunch included

***Friday, October 13***  
***(First day of Fall Break)***  
***8:30 am - 3:15 pm***  
***Student Union Building***

Make plans to join us for Fall Break

Please RSVP by **October 9**



## ***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!



# UNIVERSITY SCHOLARS

## Weekly Newsletter



Interested in all-things University Scholars related? Click [here](#) to subscribe to the 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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