

What is the Allied Health Residency Program?

The Allied Health Residency Program (AHRP) is a health career focused program funded by the United States Department of Labor designed to give students an introduction to allied health careers. For two weeks during the summer students will receive classroom instruction, clinical training, shadowing experiences, hands-on practice, on-campus living, and field trips. Additionally, students will attend personal development workshops designed to help improve time management and study skills. Upon successful completion of the program, students will receive a \$200 stipend.



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Program Goals

- To strengthen academic skills
- To expose students to careers in health care
- To improve social skills
- To increase the pool of qualified potential allied health students

Program Objectives

- To foster students' interest in school
- To encourage students to pursue a college education
- To provide an atmosphere for students to develop a positive self-image
- To assist students in becoming successful in school throughout their academic studies
- To educate and stimulate the interest of students in healthcare

Component I: Classroom Instruction

Students will receive classroom instruction relative to healthcare careers.

- Medical Terminology
- Allied Health 101
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Dosage Calculation

Component II: Clinical Training

- Registered Nursing
- Phlebotomy/EKG
- Practical Nursing
- Respiratory Therapy

Component III: Personal Development

- Time management
- Presentation skills
- Ethics in healthcare
- Writing & Research

Component IV: Field Trip

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a high school junior in the upcoming school year
- Must have a strong desire and interest in healthcare
- Must have a minimum of 2.75 (4.0 scale) or 3.75 (5.0 scale) grade point average

Application Process

Student must complete an application packet which will include:

- Application for AHRP
- Official high school transcript
- Essay/personal statement
- Two recommendation forms
- Two letters of recommendation
- Interviews

*Recommendation forms and letters should come from same reference.

Application Deadline: January 31, 2010

Send completed application to:

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