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HEALTHPOINT RENTON

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HealthPoint Health Scholars Program

Mission:

The purpose of the HealthPoint Health Scholars Program is to provide exposure, opportunity and mentorship to high school students interested in a career in healthcare, who belong to underrepresented groups in health and medicine.

Program Content:

1. Shadowing
 - a. Shadow opportunities with physicians and nurse practitioners, and if interested, nurses, dentists, pharmacists, and medical assistants
2. Cooperative learning
 - a. Learning on topics like public health and healthcare disparities, interviewing patients, organ systems, imaging modalities, medical ethics, and more
3. Hands-on skill building
 - a. Develop practical medical skills like taking vital signs, suturing wounds, administering vaccines, Basic Life Support
4. Mentorship
 - a. Learn how to write a successful resume, how to finance a career in health, and have access to numerous healthcare professionals and hear about their different career paths to healthcare

Requirements:

1. **Fully vaccinated against COVID-19**, preferably boosted. Updated vaccination against flu
2. Sophomore, Junior or Senior in high school
3. Be in **academic good standing** (GPA of 2.0 or higher)
4. Able to **commit to two, 2-hour sessions per month** from November 2024 through June 2025.
5. Be able to **maintain confidentiality**. There will be a training session about patient confidentiality at the beginning of the program
6. Receive **approval from parent/guardian** to participate

Questions:

If you would like to speak to a previous Health Scholar about their experience, please contact us at healthscholars@healthpointchc.org and we would happily connect you



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Application Questions:

If you are interested in this program, please answer the following questions and submit via email to healthscholars@healthpointchc.org or in person to the HealthPoint School-Based Health Center. Applications are due October 20, 2024.

Name:

Email:

Phone Number:

Year in school:

School you attend:

1. What interests you in a career in healthcare?
2. The mission of the HealthPoint Health Scholars Program is to provide exposure, opportunity and mentorship to high school students interested in a career in healthcare, who belong to underrepresented groups in health and medicine. The program aims to inspire underrepresented students to feel that they belong in healthcare, and to feel confident in pursuing a career in healthcare. Why is this program right for you?
3. The HealthPoint Health Scholars Program also helps students develop leadership skills, both so they can excel in their personal lives, and so they can help their friends, colleagues and community grow. How do you hope to contribute to your community in the future?