

Summer Health Careers Institute



Information for Students

WHO:

This program is open to high school students currently in their sophomore or junior year.

WHAT:

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WHEN:

For five weeks starting mid-June
 Monday-Thursday
 Classes will be held 9:00-4:00, with a lunch break.

WHERE:

Santa Rosa Junior College and Field Trips to various health providers throughout the county.

WHY:

To provide an opportunity to explore career opportunities in the field of healthcare. To learn a lot and have fun!

COST:

All books, supplies and tuition will be provided at no charge. You will be responsible for providing transportation to and from SRJC and other locations when required. Usually, the group will be transported in SRJC minivans for field trips.

What happens at SHCI?

This course is designed to introduce high school students to opportunities in the healthcare field through lecture, laboratory and field-work experience.



- Observe and interact with healthcare providers in Sonoma County including Kaiser, St. Joseph's Healthcare Systems, Sutter Hospital, Southwest Health Center and Sonoma County Public Health.
- Learn about the history of healthcare.
- Understand keys to college success and prepare for a career in the healthcare industry.
- Learn medical terminology and procedures.
- Become certified in CPR and First Aid.

Why should I participate in SHCI?



- You will earn 5 college credits and 15 high school credits.
- You will get the opportunity to meet many of the healthcare industry leaders in Sonoma County.
- You will learn about jobs you never even dreamed existed in healthcare.
- You could set a course for your future!
- Participation in SHCI will look great on your college applications and resumes.
- You will make new friends and have a lot of fun.

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Important Dates

Applications must be postmarked or e-mailed by March 1 of this year



(Please mail completed applications to the address below.)

Screening and Interviews:

March 1 - April 1

Final Selection Announced:

April 1 - April 10

Orientation:

Early May

Program Begins:

Mid-June

(Please contact program after January 1st for exact dates.)

If you have questions please contact:

Healthcare Workforce Development Program

Phone: (707) 527-4809

E-mail: hwdp@santarosa.edu

For information in Spanish:

(707) 521-7881

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How to apply:

1. A teacher nominates students by filling out the attached Teacher Nomination section.
2. A teacher gives the application to the student and the student completes:
 - Application for Summer Health Careers Institute
 - Supplemental Questions
 - Statement of Parental Commitment and Support
3. The student must mail or e-mail in the completed application by March 1 to the address listed below.

Healthcare Workforce Development Program

c/o SRJC

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This program is a partnership between SRJC and the Healthcare Workforce Development Roundtable to encourage youth to pursue health careers.