

What is the summer Health Careers Enrichment program?

WVU will conduct a summer preliminary education program to prepare students for health professions schools. The primary goal of this project is to present to students the knowledge, skills, support, and to enhance their abilities to enter and graduate from post-secondary schools offering careers in allied health, medicine, dentistry, and pharmacy, then return to practice in the Appalachian region.

A specially designed program that provide an opportunity to build a strong foundation in knowledge of both basic sciences and study skills needed to facilitate entry into and graduate from health professions schools

This component is designed to enhance the student's college-level basic knowledge and skills necessary to succeed in health career goals and to familiarize the student with the medical, dental, pharmacy, medical technology, dental hygiene, physical therapy, occupational therapy and exercise physiology professions.

Who:

- High school seniors who have just graduated and will be freshman at a college/university
- High school students who have completed their junior year with a strong interest in dental hygiene only

What:

Summer residency for six weeks starting mid June

Where:

West Virginia University
Robert C. Byrd Health Sciences Center

Application Deadline:
April 17th

Students interested must request, complete, and return a program application packet. HCOP staff will recruit from area high schools and can be reached by the phone numbers and website provided in this brochure.

