



Dear Counselors,

Memorial Hospital is excited to let you know that our Junior Medical School (JMS) program is back! Last year was an incredible success and we hope to do the same (if not better!) this year. JMS is a 3-day, immersive program designed to give your students a full view of the many different aspects of a healthcare career. It is available to junior and senior students with a GPA of 3.0 or higher who have an interest in a healthcare career. It is also open to 2018 graduated seniors may also apply.

From physicians to nurses, from rehab to palliative care, students will be exposed to professionals in their field to hear about what the job entails, the educational requirements and the "typical day". The program offers roundtable discussions, hands-on activities, department tours and other engaging sessions to expand their understanding of the hospital environment. Some of the areas to be covered include:

- Occupational Panels
- Ethics Roundtables
- Simulation Labs
- Occupation, Speech and Physical Therapy
- Medical Student Panels
- Learning Suturing and Surgical Knots
- Pathology
- Wound Care
- OR Tour/Robotics
- Radiology
- Emergency Medicine
- Cardiology
- Trauma
- Palliative Care
- Pharmacy Tours
- Dietary Impact
- Genetic Intervention
- Nerve & Pain Therapies
- Renal Care/Dialysis

To apply, go to <https://www.ucchealth.org/give-to-ucchealth/volunteer/> (scroll down a bit to the Junior Med application) and requires a \$25.00 fee. Two Letters of Recommendation must also be submitted within 5 days of the application date. If accepted, the program cost is \$150.00 which includes food and a program shirt. Some scholarships will be available. In total, there are 4 sessions available with 2 application deadlines. There is a maximum of 15 students per session. Students may apply to just 1 (one) session. The entire program has only 60 openings and the competition is tough! **Complete** applications should include the aforementioned elements (a completed application, fee and letters of recommendation) and meet appropriate deadlines. And as a helpful hint: Well developed and presented student essays are a good start!

Session	Dates	Application Deadline (5pm MT) NO EXCEPTIONS!!	Notification
Spring 1	June 25, 26, 27	April 27	June 1
Spring 2	July 9, 10, 11	April 27	June 1
Summer 1	July 23, 24, 25	June 1	June 29
Summer 2	August 6, 7, 8	June 1	June 29

I would be happy to come to your school and present this information to your students. Is there a best day and/or time that works for you? Please let me know! On-site presentations will be available through April. Meanwhile, attached is our program brochure which has more detailed information.

I look forward to hearing from you and meeting your students!

Sincerely,
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