

Ohio HOSA Announces Credentialed Award Recognition Program

Supporting students' efforts to gain credentials toward their high school graduation, Ohio HOSA is proud to announce a Credentialed Award Program. An easy process provides you an opportunity for your students to be recognized for their accomplishments.

How does a student earn the award?

1. Every student who earned a total of three (3) or more credentialed points from March 16, 2020 – March 16, 2021 will receive a specially-designed Ohio HOSA Credentialed Certificate.

What is the two-step process for advisors?

1. Submit the names of students who have earned the three credentialed points to Ohio HOSA.
2. **Send names of students who earned the award to ohiohosa.14@gmail.com by March 15th** for recognition at SLC. Note: Students who earn the three credentialed points after the SLC will have their certificate mailed to their school once the local advisor notifies the state advisor.

Value and benefits of the award.

1. The certificate provides an area for the local advisor to sign their name as a form of endorsing the students' success.
2. The certificate is suitable for inclusion into the student's Career Passport.
3. Provides students with a tool that can be shared with potential employers and/or included in scholarship applications.

When and how will recognition be presented?

1. All chapters with recipients will be recognized on at the SLC on April 15, 2021. Certificates will be mailed to advisors to distribute to their awardees.
2. Award winners will have their name and chapter posted on the Ohio HOSA website.

Below are two examples of the information an advisor could submit for students to earn the Credentialed Award Certificate. *If possible*, please submit your information as an Excel document.

Student Name	Credentialed Points Earned
Example #1: John Doe	Stop the Bleed CPR First Aid1 OSHA 10-Hour Training1
Example #2: Jane Doe	STNA