HEALTH EQUITY ACADEMY - LEADERS FOR TOMORROW'S HEALTHCARE (HEALTH)

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Office of Student and Resident Diversity

OSRD is thrilled to share that the Spring 2024 HEALTH Academy hosted 70 high school participants, with 12 alumni returning as mentors to support their peers.

Since post-pandemic, OSRD again began hosting the in-person HEALTH Academy for high school students 3 times a year.

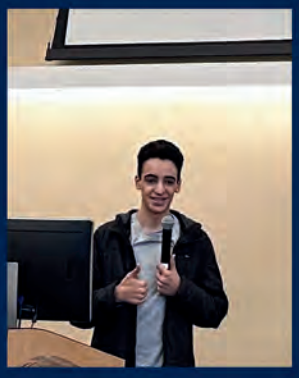


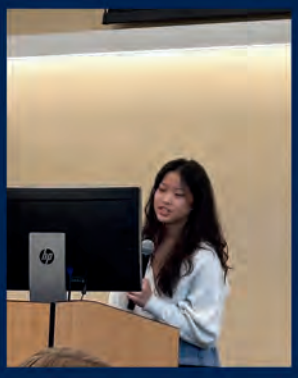
Scholars dedicated every Saturday for 6 weeks, alongside their regular academic school year commitments where they enjoyed leadership development sessions, insightful healthcare guest speakers, and interactive hands-on workshops. They also conducted research on health topics that significantly impact their community. Working in groups, they delved into various components of social determinants of health related to their chosen topics, carefully curating unique research presentations.











Lead Mentors

Haroon A. and Elizabeth N., returning as mentors for the second time, took on the Lead Mentor Role, guiding new mentors and facilitating discussions. They interviewed physician leaders about diversity, equity, and inclusion in healthcare and created an infographic to present their findings.

Visit our site to learn more about taking part in HEALTH Academy Program https://health.ucdavis.edu/diversity/k12_outreach.html