

2016 Hawaii HOSA State Leadership Conference Behavioral Guidelines for Educational Symposium

HOSA Advisors:

Please encourage your students to participate in the Roundtable or Educational Symposium scheduled for Thursday after most of the competitive events are completed. Attendance will be on a first come, first serve basis and there are limits to the number of students allowed in each session. There will be no registration, however, advisors are encouraged to have students sign up for these before hand to assure that students know where they are going. Please encourage all students to participate as presenters are volunteering their time and energy in providing career and health information.

Roundtable: 1:30 – 3:20 p.m.

These presentations will provide hands-on activities for the students. They include: Physical Therapist Assistant, Opportunities in Health Care, “My Plate”, Volunteer Opportunities, “Gross Anatomy & Functions of the Heart”, “Aging, Health & Imagination, What’s Your Role?” and Athletic Trainer/Sports Medicine. Maximum capacity for the Roundtable will be 150 students. Doors will open at 1:15 p.m. Groups of twenty to twenty-five (20-25) students will rotate every 20 minutes through five presentations. To avoid disruption to the presenters, students will not be allowed to enter or exit during the Roundtable.

Educational Symposiums: 1:30 – 2:20 and 2:30 – 3:20 p.m.

Speakers will include: “Journey from High School to Nursing, Surgeon, Veterinarian, “Top 5 Things I Wish I Knew Before Going to Medical School”, Hawaii Medical College, “Stress Bucket”, Emergency Medicine, Clinical Psychopharmacology & the UH DKI College of Pharmacy and Massage Therapy. Students will be able to attend two sessions. Because there will be no registration, when the room capacity is reached, doors will be closed and students must find an alternate speaker. It is recommended that students prioritize their choices so they do not waste time getting to their assigned rooms. Remember, there are limits to the number of students allowed in each room. A signed parental permission form will be required for the Massage Therapy Session.

Behavioral Guidelines:

- Arrive prior to the scheduled start time and stay until the end of the session.
- Turn off your cell phone. No texting, gaming or internet searches, etc.
- Always show the utmost respect to the person speaking. Listen with your eyes.
- Be a mature HOSA role model. Avoid loud talking, vulgarity, profanity, and horseplay during presentations.
- Prepare questions for the presenters ahead of time. Avoid personal questions such as “how much money do you make?” Instead, ask questions like, “ what is the starting salary for your profession?” or “what is the average salary for your profession?”