

## **Health Professions Recruitment and Exposure Program (HPREP)**

### **Q. What is the HPREP?**

A. The HPREP is a mentorship program sponsored by the Student National Medical Association. It exposes high school students to science related activities. The HPREP also teaches students about specific career fields and the steps needed to become a physician or other healthcare professional.

### **Q. What is the Student National Medical Association?**

A. The Student National Medical Association (SNMA) is the nation's oldest and largest organization focused on the needs and concerns of medical students of color. Students at the Howard University College of Medicine and Meharry Medical College established it in 1964. Membership includes nearly 5,000 medical students, pre-medical students, residents, and licensed physicians. Local chapters based at allopathic and osteopathic medical schools throughout the nation implement SNMA programs and activities.

### **Q. Who is eligible to participate in HPREP?**

A. We are specifically targeting Underrepresented Minority (URM) students (African American, Hispanic American, and Native American) in the 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 11<sup>th</sup> grades.

### **Q. When and where will we meet?**

A. We will meet on Saturday, March 3, 2012 from 09:00am – 1:30pm on the UAMS campus in Little Rock in the spring of 2012. Participants will be responsible for their own transportation to the UAMS campus.

### **Q. What will we do on meeting day?**

A. The session will consist of presentations by a healthcare professional, current medical and pharmacy students, and a financial aid advisor. There will also be a small group/mentoring session and a hands-on activity. Lunch will be provided.

### **Q. Who should I contact for more information?**

A. University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences/Center for Diversity Affairs  
C/O HPREP, 4301 West Markham, #625, Little Rock, AR 72205-7199  
The Center for Diversity Affairs: (501) 686-7299 or [cda@uams.edu](mailto:cda@uams.edu)

**Application Deadline: Submit application to [uams.hprep@gmail.com](mailto:uams.hprep@gmail.com) no later than Friday, February 17, 2012. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance and provided with directions to the HPREP program by mail and email during the week of February 20, 2012**

**Application**  
**UAMS – Health Recruitment Exposure Program (HPREP)**

Please Type or Print (black ink) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnic Origin:  African American  Asian  Hispanic  
 Native American  Other (Explain) \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: Male  Female  Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Home Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Work Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

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**EDUCATION BACKGROUND**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Present Grade Level:  9<sup>th</sup>  10<sup>th</sup>  11<sup>th</sup>

Area of interest:  Medicine  Pharmacy  Nursing

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ACADEMICS**

List any classes or activities that you feel have prepared you for HPREP.

CLASS	GRADE
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