

### HOSA – Future Health Professionals

Health Occupation Student Association



#### What is





HOSA is a global student-led organization recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services and several federal and state agencies.

HOSA's mission is to empower HOSA-Future Health Professionals to become leaders in the global health community, through education, collaboration, and experience.

HOSA actively promotes career opportunities in the health industry and enhances the delivery of quality health care to all people.

HOSA provides a program of leadership development, motivation, and recognition for secondary, postsecondary, middle school, adult, and collegiate students with interests in pursuing careers in health professions. HOSA is 100% health care!

Since its inception in 1976, HOSA has grown steadily reaching over **260,000 members** through **54 chartered** HOSA Associations, American Samoa, Canada, China, District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico.







The rapidly changing health care system needs dedicated workers who, in addition to their technical skills, are people-oriented and capable of playing a leadership role as a member of a health care team. HOSA helps members to develop leadership qualities and skills, build self-confidence, and create social networks. HOSA helps members to set educational goals and understand current healthcare issues.



Celebrate

Competitive events, program accomplishments, travel, friendships, and successes.



Serve

HOSA chapters are saving lives—donating their stem cells, adding new stem cell donors to the NMDP Registry, fundraising to support patients, and families, and more.



Build

Resumes, relationships, skills, social networks, and goals, scholarship opportunities, and portfolios.



Collaborate

With health professionals, future employers, work internships, community leaders, and local, state, and national members.





# Competitive events

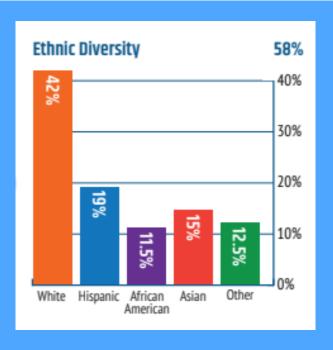
 The Competitive events program is designed to motivate HOSA members and provide a system for recognizing the competencies developed by members through Health Science and Biomedical Science class instruction, related job training, and HOSA related activities.  HOSA does not provide competition for competition's sake. HOSA provides a national competitive events program as a means of recognizing those students who are willing to pursue excellence by preparing for competition and having the determination to attend a conference and participate in a competitive event.



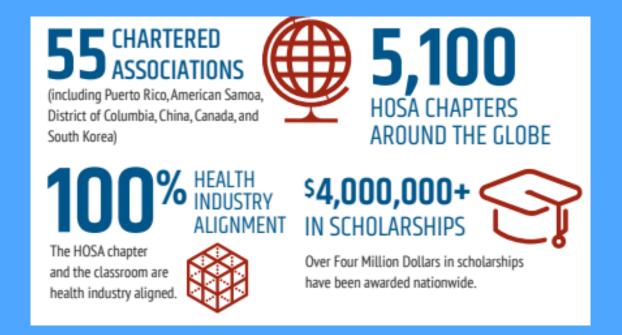




## future health professionals Is 100% Health Care



80% 19% 1% Female Male Other



230,000+ MEMBERS IN PURSUIT OF A CAREER IN THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS

HOSA-Future Health Professionals fosters an inclusive membership organization where diversity and individual differences are valued, celebrated, and leveraged to achieve the organization's vision and mission.



### **Barton HOSA Members**



**Nursing Students** 





Pre-Pharmacy and EMS students

Sports Medicine and Pre-Nursing students



























