

*Henson Health
Professions Advising
Program (HPAP)
Semester Kickoff and
Overview*

September 8, 2010

7:00 pm

Henson Science Bldg 243

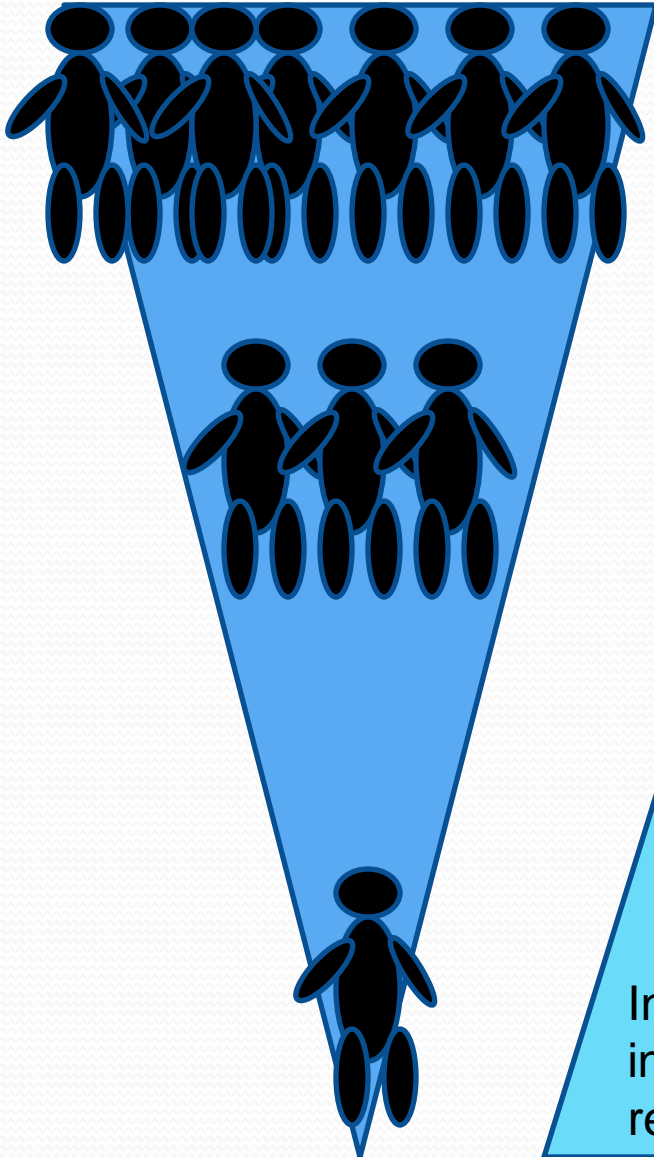


Health Professions Advisory Program Team

- Director- Dr. Diane Davis
- Associate Director- To be announced soon
- Professional School Liaison- Marylane McGlinchey
- FYI: Henson Advising Services Coordinator- Dr. Lisa Leslie currently on medical leave
- The faculty advisors by major

The Current "Vision" of Health Care Advising

Students Declaring
Medical Majors



Role of Health Professions
Advising Program

Group
Advising

Specialized
Group
Advising

Individualized attention
including interview prep,
reference letters, etc.

Role of Individual Advisors
in Major

Get informed about
student's career goals
and best path(s).

Emphasize importance
of group sessions.

Monitor student's
academic progress
and congruence
with goals.

Assist in preparation
for career goals and/or
developing alternatives.

Important Resources to know:

Our website:

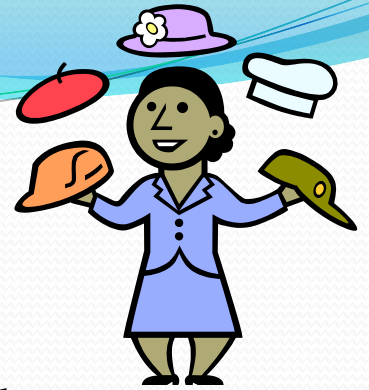
<http://www.salisbury.edu/henson/hpap>

Our e-mail:

HPAP@salisbury.edu

Our Reading Room:

Devilbiss 308



Career Services

- Explore multiple job titles in health care.
- Use their services for advising, resume writing, interview skills and more

<http://www.salisbury.edu/careerservices/Students/GraduateSchool/Health.html>

FALL WORKSHOP ON INTERVIEWING!

Two parts: September 30 and October 7

Sign up ASAP

Freshmen

- If you attended talk at Preview in June, no group advising necessary this fall.
- Register at:
HPAP@salisbury.edu
if you haven't already.
- Plan to attend as many HPAP events as you can

Sophomores and Transfers

- Register at:

HPAP@salisbury.edu

if you haven't already.

- Plan to attend (particularly if you're not in a health major)
 - Group advising on October 6, 2010 4:30 pm, Henson 109
 - As many HPAP events as you can

Juniors and Seniors

- If you've already met with Dr. Davis, email any updates to previous conversations
- If you've never met with Dr. Davis, make a 15 minute appointment by November 1 to discuss your academic plan.
- Use HPAP@salisbury.edu to make the appointment.
- **EXCEPTION:** Pre-vet Juniors and Seniors will meet with Dr. Ellen Lawler.

Juniors and Seniors

- Go to the HPAP website and be sure you know:
 - Where you are in the required pre-requisites
 - The application process to get an HPAC interview in the spring, if applicable. March 15 is the deadline!
 - Be ready to talk about the schools you've researched, the experiences you've had or plan and whether your GPA is competitive for health professions admission.
 - Know when you plan to take entrance exam required for your choice (MCAT, GRE, etc.)

HPAP Events

- Comprehensive calendar on the website.
- Will be posted on the “Campus Digest” emails
- Will be sent via the HPAP database emails.
- Will be posted to the electronic bulletin boards.
- Will be on 4 HPAP bulletin boards:
 - Lobby and Third Floor of Devilbiss
 - Henson Hall outside Dean’s office and outside Anatomy labs


WE NEED YOU TO COME!!

First event Thursday Sept 23, HS 209

UMES Physical Therapy Program

Why you need to attend HPAP events

- Opportunity to ask questions without having to travel to distant schools
- May get important tips about your application, interview, chances for admission.....
- Opportunity to learn about a variety of health care choices, including some you didn't know you would like
- Will assist us in keeping school recruiters coming; they won't drive here if we constantly have no students showing up !
- **SOMETIMES:** cool give-aways and/or food!



Put the HPAP Events on your calendar NOW!

Monitor your email for changes
to the schedule.

Medical Careers Society

- Excellent organization to help promote your own career goals
- Networking with other students
- Resume enhancement
- Fun!
- Will let the president tell you more.....

Medical Careers Society Officers

- Vincent Gutierrez, vgo8188@gulls.salisbury.edu
- Matt Copeland, mc24461@gulls.salisbury.edu
- John Flaig, jfi5728@gulls.salisbury.edu
- Sabrina Kunciw, sk21497@gulls.salisbury.edu

E-mail your name and preferred email addresses now to the officer to be included in MCS emails and event notices!

Medical Careers Society Plans

- Needs to be a club that you want to belong to and that services your needs
- Feel free to send your ideas
- Some of the ideas we already have
 - Field trips to cadaver lab, schools.....
 - Alumni speakers
 - Service events such as Relay for Life, blood drive....
 - Social events- movie night?
 - Study groups to prepare for entrance exams
 - Medical Spanish

First Event- We need you!

- Blood Drive – Wednesday October 6 in the Wicomico Room
- We need-
 - Help to recruit donors prior to the event
 - Help setting up
 - Your blood donation, if you can
 - Help cleaning up
 - Anything and everything will be appreciated!

Right now you need to.....

- Register at HPAP@salisbury.edu if you haven't already
- Send your email to a Medical Careers Society officer if you haven't already
- Tell a Medical Careers Society officer what time on October 6 you can help and/or donate blood
- Put HPAP events on your calendar and plan to come!

**Thanks for your
attention!
Have a great
semester!**