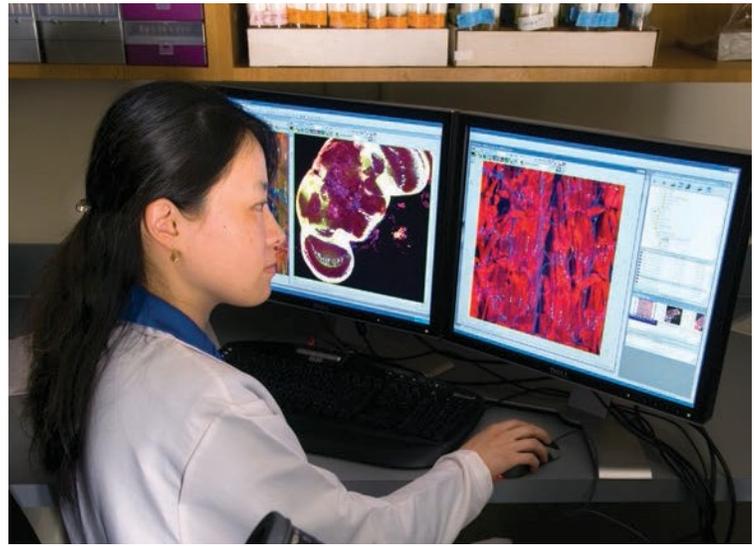


The **High School Careers in Medicine Workshop (HSCMW)** is designed to enhance interest in the health sciences among rising high school seniors from underrepresented backgrounds. Participants will be engaged in a learning environment that nurtures their interests and provides them with focused instruction along with academic counseling, college counseling, and mentoring.

HIGH SCHOOL CAREERS IN MEDICINE WORKSHOP



LEARNING BY DOING

This seven-week, nonresidential program runs from Monday, June 15th through Friday, July 31, 2015 and will take place on the University of Miami's Coral Gables and Miller School of Medicine campuses offers classroom instruction in select science courses in the medical education curriculum, including anatomy, and cellular and molecular biology. The college-prep curriculum includes language arts, sociocultural anthropology, and a course on applying to college which are all taught in ways that demonstrate relevance to the study of medicine.

ELIGIBILITY

This program is open to students who have successfully completed their **junior year** of high school and will be entering the 12th grade the following academic year. The admissions committee selects the top 25 applicants who demonstrate they will benefit from participation and are competitive candidates for college admission to pursue the study of medicine or other health fields. Other criteria include:

- **Citizen or Permanent Resident of the US**
- Must be one of the following:
 - African American/Black
 - Multi-ethnic
 - Hispanic/Latino
 - Native American/Alaskan Native
 - Asian
- Must also be one of the following:
 - First-generation college student
 - Raised in a single-parent household
 - From a low-income household
- Goal of entering medical, dental, osteopathic, chiropractic, pharmacy, podiatry, optometry, or veterinary school
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- FCAT scores in reading and math of Level 3 or better
- Completion of a high school chemistry and a high school biology course with grades of B or better

APPLICATION PROCESS

The application is available online at

<http://diversity.med.miami.edu/summer-programs/hscmw>.

Complete applications must be received in the Office of Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, address below, by **Friday, April 17, 2015** and should be accompanied by the following documents:

- Complete official high school transcript
- An essay on educational and professional goals, minimum of 400 words
- Three letters of recommendation
 - 1 from your guidance counselor
 - 1 from your science teacher
 - 1 from a teacher of any subject
- Wallet size photo – passport photo

Only complete applications will be considered for admission and applicants will be notified of their program status via email on **Friday, May 1, 2015**. One hundred percent attendance/participation is required during the program. This experience is fully funded through the Miller School of Medicine and participants will receive free coursework, books, supplies, and transportation.



2014 High School Careers in Medicine Workshop:

A seven-week interactive curriculum gave these high school seniors a firsthand introduction to topics related to the study of medicine and other health fields.

"Although we still have a long time before we are ready to send out our school applications, The High School Careers in Medicine Workshop definitely put us one step ahead of the game. Not only did it prepare us for our Senior year, but it also gave us some insight on what was to come in college and after."



ShaQuelle Ballou
2014 High School Careers in Medicine Workshop participant

"The synergy between a diverse group of individuals and the invaluable support of the administration made HSCMW one of my most memorable and inspiring summers. You'll not only have the dream experience for any aspiring physician, but you also join a highly progressive community. Although the program makes you a Cane for seven-weeks, it'll make you part of an everlasting family at The U."



Aneeq Chaudhry
2014 High School Careers in Medicine Workshop participant



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