

Welcome to March! The weather will be improving soon and we will be hosting a **Cruise on by** event on Wednesday, March 22 @ 11-1pm. Mark your calendars, more details will be coming soon.

Hope you get out to **Mr. Gustavus**, a fun event with a great cause this Friday, March 10 @ 6-8pm in the Caf. This is a fundraiser hosted by the Theta Xi Gamma Sorority. This event is a pageant for the title of "Mr. Gustavus." All proceeds are donated to [The Pinky Swear Foundation](#), an organization that helps families of children battling cancer. There will be food and prizes.

And on Friday, March 10th @ 7-9pm is the [International Festival](#) in Alumni Hall. A celebration of cultures of the world, student performances, food, and more!

[Podcast #48](#)- Senior McKenna Robb, '23 walks us through her very successful application cycle 2022-2023 to PT programs. She shares her experience at Gustavus, tips on what makes a good letter writer, how to approach a personal statement to how best to prepare for an interview. Bonus, she was accepted to EVERY SINGLE PROGRAM. She has a lot of great tips to share. Listen [HERE](#)

Thanks!

Heather & Heidi
Health Professions Specialists

Connect with Medical Schools at the Fair!
March 28-29, 2023

Tuesday, March 28 | Live Information Sessions: 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. ET
Wednesday, March 29 | Chat with Medical Schools: 11 a.m. – 8 p.m. ET

[Register Today!](#)

The Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) invites you to the [2023 Virtual Medical School Fair](#). In addition to the benefits of attending, your FREE registration qualifies you for a 15% discount on a subscription to the [Medical School Admissions Requirements™ \(MSAR®\)](#) website.

- Connect with representatives from medical schools across the U.S. and Canada.
- Get answers to questions about [financial aid](#), the [MCAT® exam](#), the [AMCAS® application](#), the [SHPEP program](#), and more by speaking directly with AAMC program representatives.
- Speak with current medical students and learn about their experiences
- Get the most current information about applying to medical school.

AAMC Virtual Medical School Fairs are open and free for all attendees.

[Register Today to Receive 15% off an MSAR Subscription](#)

Questions?

Contact virtualfair@aamc.org

Upcoming Webinars: *Fee Assistance Program Webinar: Learn about the 2023 AAMC Fee Assistance Program*

Join the Fee Assistance Program team on Wednesday, March 8 at 2 p.m. ET to learn how medical school applicants can save more than \$2,000 through program benefits.

Register here: https://aamc.elevate.commpartners.com/p/230308_FeeAssistance.

What It’s Like to Participate in Multiple Mini Interviews (MMIs)

Read tips directly from medical students and admissions officers on how to prepare for an MMI.

[Read More](#)

Want to make a difference in the lives of young children?

Casa de Esperanza seeks applicants for the Hands of Hope Service Year Program, an ideal gap year opportunity for pre-med/pre-health students. Casa de Esperanza provides residential foster care to children ages birth through six who are in crisis due to abuse, neglect or the effects of HIV.

For a complete description visit: <https://www.casahope.org/hands-of-hope-service-year-1>.

Application: <https://www.casahope.org/application-part-one>

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The **Helen N. & Harold B. Shapira Undergraduate Scholarship** was established in 1969 to assist young students pursuing degrees in medicine and science. This \$1,000 scholarship award is given annually to an undergraduate student enrolled in a four-year Minnesota college

or university and working in a medically related curriculum with potential application to patients with diseases of the heart and blood vessel system.

Applications are due by April 1, 2023. Interested students can learn more at www.heart.org/mnscholarships.

THE HPSP WILL COVER YOUR FULL TUITION

The Health Professions Scholarship Program (HPSP) is one of the most comprehensive scholarships available in the health care field, covering your full tuition for an advanced medical degree while also providing you with a monthly stipend.

This program could be for you if you are pursuing a career in one of these fields:

- Medical (including Osteopathy)
- Dental
- Veterinary
- Nursing
- Counseling and Clinical Psychology
- Optometry

HPSP provides you with:

- Full tuition for up to four years, depending on specialty
- Funding for books, equipment, and other school fees
- Monthly stipend of \$2,608 plus a monthly allowance for food and housing
- Up to a \$20,000 sign-on bonus, plus Officer's pay during school breaks
- Salary increases with promotions, time in service, and cost-of-living adjustments

Requirements for HPSP:

- U.S. citizenship
- Active duty status in the Army
- Qualification as a commissioned Officer
- In progress or completed a bachelor's degree from an accredited school
- Acceptance to or enrollment in an accredited graduate, doctoral, or medical school program in the U.S. or Puerto Rico
- Full-time student status during the length of the program

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Job opportunities:

Registration Rep-Part Time-Overnights

Mayo Clinic, Mankato

Part-time

Wage: \$15.81 per hour, eligible for shift differential

Position description: The Registration Representative may be responsible for the accurate check-in/admissions of incoming patients in the hospital setting as well ED setting. This includes the verification of patient demographic information, collection of insurance data, the identification and/or creation of appropriate accounts, and the collection of indicated co-payments.

Aide - per diem

Mayo Clinic, Mankato

Wage: \$15.00 per hour

Position description: Performs an array of task which include, but are not limited to cleaning/turning over patient rooms, emptying soiled linens, stocking clean linens, emptying garbage bins, stocking isolation gowns, ordering/delivering meals, walking discharged patients out of the hospital, cleaning/delivering equipment, stocking carts, restocking patient rooms, and running patient charts.

PCA position with St. Paul family (many past pre-health Gusties)

**Position description attached below

Excellent pay

Recruiting for multiple PCA positions for three shifts:

8am -4pm, 4pm-11pm, 11pm-8am

Past recent Gusties PCA family employees:

- Annalee Olson-Sola (2022) – Just accepted @ St Scholastica in Occupational Therapy
- Calli Sizer (2019) – in Occupational Therapy program @ University of Minnesota
- Michael Hensch (2019) – Physical Therapist