

PROGRAM FOCUS DAY

What is it?

The primary emphasis is for students to begin their detailed application process to their chosen program and to meet with faculty for the appropriate assistance needed to gain entry and be prepared for the upcoming academic year. There will also be information regarding financial aid. This event is designed to acquaint individuals who have completed high school and their families with the programs available at University of Mississippi Medical Center's School of Health Related Professions.

Why should I attend?

If you are considering a health-related profession, this is an ideal opportunity for you to learn more about the careers available. Each profession is different; seeing the displays and demonstrations, as well as talking with current students and faculty, will help you clarify your career goals in a way no catalog or brochure can. In addition, you can sense the excitement and challenge of attending the state's only academic health science center.

When is it?

Program Focus Day will take place **Friday, November 13, 2009.**

Where is it?

It will take place at the School of Health Related Professions on the campus of the University of Mississippi Medical Center (see attached map for directions).

Who should attend?

Individuals who are interested in a career in one of the following health-related professions are encouraged to attend:

- Clinical Laboratory Sciences
- Cytotechnology
- Dental Hygiene
- Health Informatics and Information Management
- Health Sciences
- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Radiological Sciences

What happens during Program Focus Day?

- The day will begin with an introductory session which will include a short address by the Dean of the School of Health Related Professions and the Chairpersons of each department.
- Following the introductory session, there will be guided small-group tours. Each department will have displays and demonstrations to help clarify the roles of the various professions.
- You will have an opportunity to interact with current students from each program.

How long will it last?

The day's events will last from **1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

What should I do if I want to attend?

RSVP is requested. Please contact **Brenda Nash Jefferson, Student Recruiter** at (601) 984-6332 or email to bnash@shrp.umsmc.edu to confirm your visit.

Directions to the School of Health Related Professions:

I-55 to Lakeland Drive, west on Lakeland Drive
Left on to Medical Center campus
SHRP is on the left

Additional Info:
<http://shrp.umc.edu/>

