UC Davis School of Medicine Introduces

Prep Médico: Navigating Your Path Into Medicine

The UC Davis School of Medicine is pleased to offer this six-week residential pipeline program for freshman and sophomore college students interested in becoming physicians. Offered this summer, the program's main focus is to help students navigate through their educational journey towards medical school and provide exposure to the world of patient care.

Program highlights

- Experience dormitory life on the UC Davis campus
- Shadow physicians from UC Davis Medical Center and Kaiser Permanente in hospitals, emergency and operating rooms and clinical practice settings
- Participate in suturing, ventilation, CPR, AED, casting and simulated cases
- Assess your learning style and learn new study and test-taking skills for success
- Learn how to prepare for medical school application
- Explore Latino health disparities and social determinants of health
- Discover health policy and its impact on Latino health
- Assess your leadership style and explore new skills
- Develop your path into medicine with structured mentoring and advising

Program eligibility

- 2.85 GPA or higher
- Demonstrated interest in medicine and in serving Latino communities
- Completion of General Chemistry or General Biology and English Composition
- In your first or second year college
- Residence in the Central Valley or Northern California

APPLICATIONS OPEN MARCH 11, 2016

To learn more, visit us at healthsystem.ucdavis.edu/diversity-inclusion or call 916-734-2201.

Navigating Your Path Into Medicine is a component of UC Davis School of Medicine’s Prep Médico (or Preparando Estudiantes Para Ser Médicos) – a comprehensive, longitudinal pipeline initiative that spans the pre-health years through medical school. Other components include the PrIMeR (Pre-Med Internship, Mentoring and Research) program for college juniors and seniors, MCAT scholarships and volunteer experiences in UC Davis student-run clinics that provide health care to Latino populations.