



HOSA Takes the Hill!



At the State Advisors' Management Conference in Washington, DC, HOSA state leaders and officers met with nearly 200 Congressional Delegates and staff addressing health care workforce issues. It is evident that the shortage of qualified health care providers is real—and it is time to focus on the recruitment of qualified young people upon which this Nation will depend to deliver quality health care to all Americans.

In January 2008, HOSA leaders met with Congressional leaders to review the partnership between HOSA and the Medical Reserve Corps designed to provide HOSA members and advisors with emergency preparation training as well as experience in responding to disasters involving the Medical Reserve Corps. Likewise, HOSA chapters are committed to providing members with training and experience in emergency preparation practices and greater awareness of the career opportunities in the public health service.

