

COMPETITIVE EVENTS UPDATE 2018-2019



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THIS UPDATE SUMMARIZES MOST MAJOR CHANGES TO THE EVENT GUIDELINES, BUT IS NOT AN ALL-INCLUSIVE LIST. CHANGES TO BOTH THE RATING SHEETS AND RULES ARE MADE EVERY YEAR FOR CONSISTENCY AND CLARITY. FULL EVENT GUIDELINES SHOULD BE PRINTED FROM HOSA.ORG EVERY YEAR TO ENSURE THE MOST UP-TO-DATE VERSIONS ARE BEING USED.

Event	Update
GENERAL EVENT UPDATES	
Middle School Division	There will be no additional events added to the Middle School Division for 2018-2019.
Photo ID's	Beginning with ILC 2019- All competitors will be required to show a photo ID prior to competing. This is a new ILC rule – check with your State Advisor for policies at any regional and/or state conferences.
Eligibility Forms	In PC, LSS, IS and SS events, the form used for Student Eligibility has been updated and process has been revised.
Presentations	For consistency, the use of notes and how team members are scored for taking an active role in the presentation has been clarified in all applicable events.
STEM Premier Events	Health Career Photography facility and subject permission forms as well as written descriptions of photos will be uploaded to STEM Premier. Health Education and Community Awareness portfolios will now be a required upload to STEM Premier. States now have the option of using STEM Premier for HOSA Happenings submission as well.
APA Formatting	Clearer language for APA formatting will be released with new guidelines.
Display Times	The option for competitors to bring their own tablecloths for display times has been removed. Competitors will use tables as they are provided in the event room.
HEALTH SCIENCE EVENTS	
Medical Reading (SS & PS/C)	<i>Leadership and Self-Deception, Getting Out of the Box</i> – The Arbinger Institute <i>In Shock, My Journey from Death to Recovery and the Redemptive Power of Hope</i> – Rana Awdish <i>Internal Medicine: A Doctor's Stories</i> – Terrence Holt <i>The Book of Blood: From Legends and Leeches to Vampires and Veins</i> - HP Newquist <i>Complications: A Surgeon's Notes on an Imperfect Science</i> – Atul Gawande
Medical Reading (Middle School)	<i>The Book of Blood: From Legends and Leeches to Vampires and Veins</i> - HP Newquist <i>Making Rounds with Oscar: The Extraordinary Gift of Ordinary Cat</i> – David Dosa <i>Throwaway Players</i> – Gay Culverhouse
Knowledge Test – Nutrition	Nutrition and Diet Therapy by Roth 12 th Edition has been released.
Knowledge Test – Pharmacology	Roach's Introductory Clinical Pharmacology 11 th Edition has been released.
Medical Math	Formulas for Standard Deviation and Body Surface Area have been added to the guideline conversion chart.
Knowledge Test - Behavioral Health	Discovering Psychology: The Science of Mind 3 rd edition has been released.
RECOGNITION EVENTS	
Health Care Issues Exam	Dates for state testing will be from July 1 – Nov 1. Dates for ILC testing will be from Jan 1 – May 15.
Outstanding HOSA Chapter	The Middle School Division will have the same areas of work but a decrease in the number of activities needed for recognition. Needed points will be 24 for state and 28 for ILC. Clarification has been added that the Outstanding Chapter book is the property of the chapter. Alumni Gold Chapter Recognition will be added to the rating sheet worth 4 total points.
HOSA Happenings	A state submission option in electronic format via STEM Premier has been added. This means the submissions can be either in hard copy or via STEM Premier. Check with your state for which process will be used.
HOSA Service Project	National Pediatric Cancer Foundation Website: https://nationalpcf.org/

HEALTH PROFESSIONS EVENTS	
Nursing Assisting	The glass thermometer in Skill VI has been removed. The skill will be done via electronic thermometer. Preparing a patient for a meal, determine intake skill will be deleted to better align with the resource.
Clinical Nursing	<i>Introduction to Medical-Surgical Nursing</i> 12 th edition has been released.
Biomedical Laboratory Science	The list of laboratory equipment to study in Skill I will be updated to match current resources. The 2 nd edition of <i>Biotechnology: Science for the New Millennium</i> has been released.
Sports Medicine	In Skill I the warm up will now be verbalized as opposed to demonstrated. The stretch will be demonstrated for 5 seconds instead of 20 – 30 seconds. The CE Committee is working with National Partners for overall guideline revision coming in 2019-2020.
Pharmacy Science	The event has moved from pilot status to a regular event.
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EVENTS	
EMT	The HOSA guidelines for EMT are aligned with the NREMT psychomotor skills. Those guidelines from NREMT were updated June 1 2018. With the release of the 2018-2019 HOSA guidelines, look for changes in the order of steps in some skills, and a new skill added.
Epidemiology	The case studies will be changed from short answer to multiple-choice response.
Public Health	2018 -2019 Topic: Civilian Readiness A table will be added to Round One presentation setup for props. Battery operated equipment will be allowed in both rounds.
LEADERSHIP EVENTS	
Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking	The event will return to a single round. Both the paper and presentation will be judged. 2018-2019 Topics: 3D Printing-Based Technology Should Be Used to Create Human Organs Police Officers Should Be Required to Carry Naloxone
Prepared Speaking and Speaking Skills	2018-2019 Topic: Define Your Purpose
Healthy Lifestyle	Expect new guidelines to include information on how to set appropriate healthy lifestyle goals.
Health Career Photography	Competitors will be allowed to use notes in Round Two.
TEAMWORK	
Biomedical Debate	2018-2019 Topic: Pain Management: Opioids are the best solution!
Forensic Medicine	Name will be changed to Forensic Science.
Existing and Original Medical Innovation	Both events will move to a Round One and Round Two. Round One will rate the innovation display and Round Two will evaluate the presentation, similar to HCD.
Public Service Announcement	2018-2019 Topic: Be the First.... tobacco-free generation! Notes will be allowed in Round Two.
Parliamentary Procedure	Competitors must now read aloud the minutes from the previous meeting. It will no longer be acceptable to indicate minutes have been previously sent.