

HOSA COMPETITIVE EVENTS PROGRAM

Event Abbreviations: This page provides a summary of all events in the HOSA Competitive Events Program for membership year 2020-2021. There are 67 unique traditional competitive events being offered, plus 14 Academic Testing Center Events, for 81 total. Often these Event Abbreviations are used as short-hand when referencing event names.

EVENT	ABBREVIATION	EVENT	ABBREVIATION
Health Science Events		Teamwork Events	
1. Behavioral Health	BH	43. Biomedical Debate	BD
2. Cultural Diversities & Disparities in Healthcare	CDD	44. Community Awareness	CA
3. Dental Terminology	DT	45. Creative Problem Solving	CPS
4. Health Informatics	HI	46. Forensic Science	FS
5. Human Growth & Development	HGD	47. Health Career Display	HCD
6. Medical Law and Ethics	MLE	48. Health Education	HE
7. Medical Math	MM	49. HOSA Bowl	HB
8. Medical Reading	MR	50. Medical Innovation	MI
9. Medical Spelling	MS	51. Parliamentary Procedure	PP
10. Medical Terminology	MT	52. Public Service Announcement	PSA
11. Nutrition	NUT		
12. Pathophysiology	PAT	Recognition	
13. Pharmacology	PHA	53. Barbara James Service Award	BJSA
		54. Healthcare Issues Exam	HCIE
Health Professions Events		55. HOSA Happenings	HH
14. Biomedical Laboratory Science	BT	56. HOSA Service Project	NS
15. Clinical Nursing	CN	57. Outstanding HOSA Achievement	OHA
16. Clinical Specialty	CL	58. Outstanding HOSA Leader	OHL
17. Dental Science	DS		
18. Home Health Aide	HHA	Middle School Events	
19. Medical Assisting	MA	<i>Health Science</i>	
20. Nursing Assisting	NA	1. Health Career Exploration	M-HCE
21. Personal Care*	PC	2. Foundations of Medical Terminology	M-FMT
22. Pharmacy Science	RX	3. Math for Health Careers	M-MHC
23. Physical Therapy	PT	4. Medical Reading	MR
24. Sports Medicine	SM	5. Nutrition	NUT
25. Veterinary Science	VS	<i>Emergency</i>	
		6. Life Threatening Situations	M-LTS
Emergency Preparedness Events		7. Public Health	PH
26. CERT Skills	CERT	<i>Leadership</i>	
27. CPR/First Aid	CPR	8. Extemporaneous Health Poster	M-EHP
28. Emergency Medical Technician	EMT	9. Health Career Preparation	M-HCP
29. Epidemiology	EP	10. Healthy Lifestyle	HL
30. Life Support Skills*	LSS	11. Prepared Speaking	PS
31. MRC Partnership	MRC	12. Speaking Skills*	SS
32. Public Health	PH	<i>Teamwork</i>	
		13. Dynamic Decisions	M-DD
Leadership Events		14. Exploring Medical Innovation	M-EMI
33. Extemporaneous Writing	EW	15. Health Career Display	M-HCD
34. Health Career Photography	HCP	16. Health Education	HE
35. Healthy Lifestyle	HL	<i>Recognition</i>	
36. Interviewing Skills*	IS	17. Barbara James Service Award	BJSA
37. Job Seeking Skills	JSS	18. HOSA Happenings	HH
38. Organizational Leadership	OL	19. HOSA Service Project	NS
39. Prepared Speaking	PS		
40. Research Poster	RP		
41. Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking	RPS		
42. Speaking Skills*	SS		

"M" in front of an event designates a special event ONLY open to Middle School members.

* Denotes event for students under IDEA

**National Geographic Learning
Academic Testing Center Events**

1. Allied Health Statistics
2. Anatomy and Physiology
3. Biochemistry
4. Bioengineering
5. Biology
6. Career Development
7. General Chemistry
8. Human Heredity
9. Leadership
10. Math for Health Professionals
11. Microbiology
12. Occupational Health & Safety
13. Organic Chemistry
14. Physics College