

Health Career Academy

Volunteer Health Provider: Brief Description of Class Visit

Goals

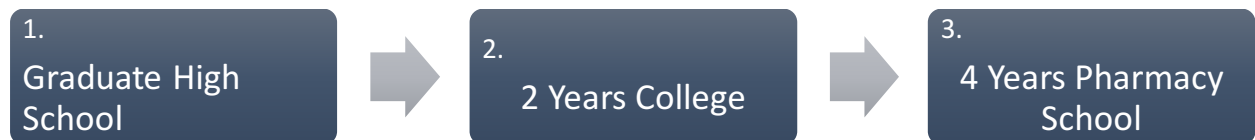
- Expose students to a variety of health careers
- Create a pipeline for health careers
- Facilitate relationships to support students
- Encourage high school graduation and post-secondary education

Logistics

- One-hour commitment with high school students
- Share educational path
- Talk about what you do
- Do an activity

Share Educational Path

- WRITE IT OUT – starting with “#1: graduate from high school”
- Example: Pharmacist



Talk About What You Do

- What does a typical day entail?
- What is most rewarding about your health career?

Hands On Activity

- Students most interested when engaged in an activity
- Examples:
 - Pharmacist: M&M's and pill counters
 - Nurse Practitioner: O2 monitor and BP cuff
 - Physician Assistant: Practice using otoscope
 - ED physician: role play (presentation of kidney stone)
 - Immunologist: pipetting cellular contents of murine lymph nodes