THE SECRET?

STEP 1  Understand CE!
STEP 2  Pick your Event!
STEP 3  Prepare!
LEVELS OF COMPETITION

▲ State Qualification Testing (SQT)

▲ Some events have testing to qualify for State Leadership Conference
▲ Top qualifiers in each region qualify for SLC
▲ Check the Quick Reference Guide for more info
  ▲ https://www.georgiahosa.org/competitive-events
LEVELS OF COMPETITION

State Leadership Conference (SLC)

May only qualify for participation in ONE competitive event

Registration, Feb 4th and event materials due no later than Feb 18th

List of Events and Activities- 2021/2022

Qualifies you for ILC- Top 3 in each Event
CATEGORIES OF COMPETITION

Middle School Events

Middle School (MS)- A middle school student is one who: a) is enrolled in a state-approved health science program or is planning to pursue a career in the health professions; and b) has not been promoted to a secondary institution (grades 9-12) prior to the state’s/country’s annual conference. He/she must be in grades 6-8.
- **Health Science Events**
  - Individual competitions focused on general knowledge
  - Mostly knowledge tests (Medical Spelling has Round 2 Spelling Bee)

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Health Professions Events

- Individual competitions focused on specific professions
- Mostly Two Rounds (except Clinical Specialty & Personal Care)
Emergency Preparedness Events

- Most events require teammates (except Life Support Skills & Epidemiology)
- Require critical thinking skills

Emergency Preparedness Events

- CERT Skills
- CPR/First Aid
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Epidemiology
- MRC Partnership
- Public Health
- Life Support Skills
  - IDEA qualified event
CATEGORIES OF COMPETITION CONT’D

▲ Leadership Events

▲ Individual competitions focused on employability & leadership skills
Teamwork Events
- Events require teammates
- Focused on working together to solve problems & share knowledge

Teamwork Events:
- Biomedical Debate
- Community Awareness
- Creative Problem Solving
- Forensic Science
- Health Career Display
- Health Education
- HOSA Bowl
- Medical Innovation
- Parliamentary Procedure
- Public Service Announcement
Recognition Events

- May participate in multiple events within this category, per guidelines
STEP 2 ➤ Selecting an Event

www.hosa.org
Selecting an Event

COMPETITION USEFUL TOOLS

Be sure to also read the General Rules and Regulations and CE Appendices for important information related to CE.

' 2021 - 2022 CE Updates and Changes

What Competitive Event is Right for You?

VIDEO: Summary to Explore HOSA Events

21-22: A flow chart that asks students questions to help them determine the best competitive event for them

Middle School Version

Secondary and Postsecondary / Collegiate version
How to Choose a HOSA Competitive Event That’s Right for You!

Secondary/Postsecondary Division

1. Are you creating, artistic, and can you think outside the box to find a solution?
   - YES
   - NO

2. Do you want to be recognized for your involvement in HOSA?
   - YES
   - NO

3. Do you want to practice specific skills related to a health care career?
   - YES
   - NO

4. Do you want to interact directly with your community and/or HOSA?
   - YES
   - NO

5. Do you want to get more involved in your community and/or HOSA?
   - YES
   - NO

6. Are you classified under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act?
   - YES
   - NO

7. Do you want to compete in a testing only event?
   - YES
   - NO

8. Do you want to improve your writing or speaking skills?
   - YES
   - NO

STEP 2 ➨

HOSA Happenings:
- HOSA Service Project
- Outstanding HOSA Achievement

Health Career Photography
Research Poster Presentation

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BARBARA JAMES SERVICE AWARD

CERT (2) – CPR/First Aid (2) – EMT (2)

Clinical Specialty – Sports Medicine
Biomedical advocacy Science – Clinical Housing
Medical Assisting – Nursing Assisting
Veterinary Science – Physical Therapy - Dental Science – Home Health Aide - Pharmacy Science

Biomedical Debate (3-4) – HOSA Bowl (4)

Health Career Photography
Research Poster Presentation

BARBARA JAMES SERVICE AWARD

Organizational leadership

*Personal Care = Interview Skills
*Speaking Skills = Life Support Skills

Beevani: Health Cultural Diversity-Medical
Dental Terminology – Human Growth
Medical Law – Nutrition - Pathophysiology – Pharmacology – Epidemiology – Medical Health Care Issues Team
Medical Reading - Health Informatics

Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking
Extemporaneous Writing – Healthy Lifestyle Job Seeking Skills – Prepared Speaking
Guidelines
Please review every step in the event guidelines!

- They contain the rules, test plan, resources, rating sheets, etc...
- Follow them to success!
- https://hosa.org/guidelines/
This is what judges use to score event submissions, presentations, & competition activities

Know them!
Event Samples

https://hosa.org/competitive-event-sample/
We’re Here to Help!