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Dear Administrator and/or Faculty member,

Methodist College is excited to announce that we are continuing an Explorer Post for high school students. **Exploring is an interactive career education program sponsored by the businesses and organizations in the community.**

Studies have shown that the teenagers of today are very concerned about the career decisions they face tomorrow. Our Explorer program will give interested high school students an opportunity to gain knowledge, insight, and practical experience in multiple healthcare fields through:

- Guest Speaker Presentations
- Demonstrations
- Hands-on Simulations
- Core Study Planning and more.

<u>Students who excel in sciences and psychology are excellent candidates for our program.</u> However, healthcare is multifaceted and our Exploring program is open to all students interested in participating.

Methodist College would like you to use the enclosed sign-up sheet to recommend students for our program. Our Exploring Post meets once per month during the school year. **Space is limited to 50 Explorers, and registration in our Exploring Post is \$25 per year.** Should you have any further questions about the Exploring program, please contact Kyle Bright at <u>kbright@methodistCOL.edu</u> or (309) 672-2779.

All of us at Methodist College are proud to bring this opportunity to the youth in our community. We hope you share in our pride and enthusiasm.

Sincerely,

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Dr. Deborah Garrison Interim Chancellor and President Methodist College of UnityPoint Health

PLEASE NOTE:

There are TWO separate "tracks" for this program.

Healthcare Introduction & Healthcare Sciences Methodist College

Exploring Program

Meetings are scheduled for the second Wednesday of each month from September through May, starting at 4:00 p.m. and ending at 5:30 p.m. Meetings are held on the Methodist College campus unless otherwise noted.

HEALTH SCIENCES INTRODUCTION TRACK Exploring Program Topics 2017-2018

October 11 Anatomy & Physiology I **February 14** HULT Healthy Living Center II

November 8 Anatomy & Physiology II

December 13 HULT Healthy Living Center I

> January 10 Vitals & Assessment

March 14 Microbiology

April 11 Positioning, Lifting, & Transfer

> May 9 Wrap Up Celebration & Presentations

Explorers that complete all sessions may be eligible to compete for an exclusive Explorer Scholarship for a Methodist College Nursing Assistant (CNA) course.

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HEALTHCARE INTRODUCTION TRACK Exploring Program Topics 2017-2018

October 11 Nutrition & Hydration

November 8 Infection and Asepsis

December 13 First Aid and Emergency Care

> **January 10** Positioning, Lifting, and Transfer

February 14 Vitals and Assessment

March 14 HULT Health Living Center

> April 11 Aging

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CAREER DEVELOPMENT RECOMMENDATION SHEET



- 1. List names of students recommended for this Career Development Exploring Program.
- 2. Provide as many names as you like. We encourage you to list at least 10 students.
- 3. **50 slots are open in this program.** Students are <u>not</u> guaranteed a slot.
- 4. Slots will be offered in the following order: Previous Participants & Seniors, followed by Juniors, then Sophomores.

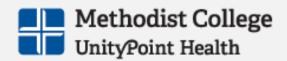
5. **\$25 PER STUDENT. AGES 16 YEARS OLD AND UP.**

* If a student is unable to pay fee due to financial circumstances, contact Heather Sexton at 309-824-9828 to discuss options.

Name of School: Please return student recommendations by OCTOBER 6TH to: **Guidance Office or Principal Office Staff is Recommended. 1. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 2. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 3. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 4. GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 5 GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 6. 7. _____ GRADE ____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY ______ 8. _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 9. 10. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 11. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 12. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 13. 14. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 15. 16. GRADE RECOMMENDED BY 17. _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 18. _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 19. _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____ 20. _____ GRADE _____ RECOMMENDED BY _____

Please use back of sheet for additional names. \rightarrow

Organization: Career Development Program: Methodist College Healthcare



YOUTH PARTICIPANT		O Exploring Post O Explorer Club	Number:
If applicant has an unexpired participant certificate, participation may be accomplished at no charge	by transferring the registration. Mark and attac	h a copy of the certificate.	
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