MEDacademy is located at Cooper Medical School of Rowan University, 401 South Broadway, Camden, New Jersey, 08103.
“MEDICAL SCHOOL IS A DREAM FOR MANY, AND FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS INTERESTED IN A CAREER IN MEDICINE, A MEDICAL SCHOOL SUMMER PROGRAM CAN BE THE FIRST STEP ON THE PATH TO BECOMING A DOCTOR.”

Paul Katz, MD, Dean, Cooper Medical School of Rowan University

ASPIRING PHYSICIANS: DISCOVER A CAREER IN MEDICINE

Have you ever wondered about becoming a doctor? MEDacademy of Cooper Medical School of Rowan University (CMSRU) can provide a one-of-a-kind opportunity to explore the world of medicine.

MEDacademy is a four-week summer program (Monday-Friday, 9am to 4pm) located on the campus of CMSRU that introduces high school juniors and seniors to medical school. Students are exposed to four featured medical specialties and participate in lectures, hands-on demonstrations, case-based learning activities, and interactive clinical simulations taught by CMSRU’s faculty, medical students and staff.

Students experience firsthand what it is like to be a doctor, learning from featured guest speakers and guided tours of Cooper University Hospital. To conclude the full medical school experience, students present a final group project during a graduation ceremony. MEDacademy activities are designed to guide and engage students so they can broaden their understanding of the field of medicine and refine their particular interests in healthcare.

ADMISSION

Eligible candidates are highly motivated, talented high school students entering their junior and senior year who are in excellent academic standing and demonstrate an interest in medicine. Applicants must have a GPA of 3.3 or above and have successfully completed science and math courses. Two letters of recommendation (science teacher and guidance counselor or a teacher who can highly recommend attendance in the program), official high school transcripts, last semester grades, and a $500 refundable (if candidate is not selected) application fee are required at the time of submission.

HOW TO APPLY

Application materials and fee are required at the time of submission to be considered for this highly competitive program. Selection will be determined only through a review of all application materials. Visit our website for current program dates, application and permission forms available for download at www.rowan.edu/coopermed/medacademy.

TUITION

Tuition for the four-week summer program is $2,500 and includes: scrubs, stethoscope, daily lunch, field trips, educational resources, graduation reception and ceremony. Payments may be made through checks made out to Rowan University with notation in memo section: MEDacademy. MEDacademy is an all day program (9am to 4pm). Students are responsible for their own transportation.

“My FAVORITE THING ABOUT MEDACADEMY WAS THE DIFFERENT MEDICAL SKILLS THAT WE LEARNED AND HOW MUCH THESE PAST FOUR WEEKS WERE LIKE BEING IN MEDICAL SCHOOL.”

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