

Ambassadors Program at NM Highlands University

The HSC Office for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion's Health Sciences Ambassadors Program hosted at The ARMAS Center at Highlands University is a federally funded program that provides students from economically or educationally disadvantaged backgrounds a year to year program to ensure students matriculate and graduate to their next level of education, ultimately, a health professions program.

What does the Ambassadors Program offer?

- Educational activities designed to meet academic and social strengths and needs specific to each Ambassador cohort.
- Exposure to Health Career school admissions requirements, Financial aid literacy, individualized development of life-long learning, and coping/wellness strategies.
- Academic enrichment support in cultural humility, identity formation/promotion/expression.
- Provide training and research projects in the clinical areas of opioid abuse, mental and behavioral health, or childhood obesity.
- Mentorship Component.
- Community engagement and service learning.

Yearly stipend upon completion of yearly requisites



Eligibility

- NM resident/U.S citizen or non-citizens nationals, or foreign who possess a visa permitting permanent residence in the U.S.
- Considered an incoming Freshmen (0- 27credits) or Sophomore (27 - 59 credits) beginning in Fall 2020.
- Must express interest in a health profession (Not including nursing)
- Student comes from an economically and/or educationally disadvantaged background

Application Requirements

- Completed application
- Unofficial copy of your transcript
- Personal statement questions
- One letter of recommendation

Application Deadline:

July 15, 2020



Program Begins:

September 7th, 2020



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