PRE-HEALTH

KEY SKILLS
• Analytical
• Communication
• Community Outreach
• Critical Reasoning
• Data Analysis
• Informatics
• Memorization & Recall
• Problem-solving
• Research
• Team, Inter-Professional

SAMPLE OCCUPATIONS
• Alternative Medicine Practitioner
• Dentist
• Dietitian/Nutritionist
• Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine
• Gerontologist
• Medical Assistant/Technician

CONCENTRATIONS/SPECIALIZATIONS
• Alternative Medicine
• Chiropractic
• Dentistry
• Health Education
• Medical Research
• Medical Technology
• Medicine (MD or DO)
• Nursing
• Occupational Therapy

POSSIBLE WORK SETTINGS
• Dental Center
• Emergency Room
• Federal Government
• Health Clinic
• Health Institute
• Hospice Care Setting
• Hospital
• Intensive Care Unit
• Nonprofit Organization

SAMPLE STUDENT ORGS
• GlobeMed at GW
• GW MEDLife
• GW Optical Society
• GW Red Cross Club
• GWU Pre-Health Association
• Multicultural Association of Pre-Health Students

SAMPLE DEGREES
• Biological Sciences (BS)
• Clinical Research Leadership Programs (BSHS, MSHS, etc)
• Cognitive Neuroscience (BA)
• Exercise Science (BS)
• GW MD Program (MD)
• Nutrition Science (BS)
• Psychology (BA)
• Public Health (BS, MPH)
• Speech & Hearing Sciences (BA)

SAMPLE STUDENT ORGS
• American Red Cross
• Children’s National Medical Center
• Community of Hope
• Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation
• Food and Friends
• Georgetown University Hospital
• GWU Hospital
• Howard University Hospital
• Indian Health Service Nursing
• Inova Health System
• International Medical Corps
• Kaiser Permanente
• La Clinica del Pueblo
• Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center
• MedStar Washington Hospital Center

SAMPLE EMPLOYERS
• National Institutes of Health
• Pan American Health Organization
• Sabin Vaccine Institute (SVI)
• Sibley Memorial Hospital
• The Washington Home and Community Hospices
• U.S. Navy Nurse Corps
• Veterans’ Administration
• Virginia Hospital Center
• Walter Reed National Military Medical Center
• Washington Center for Dentistry
• Washington Institute of Surgical Education & Research (WISER)
• Washington Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine
• Whitman-Walker Health
• World Health Organization

PROFESSIONAL ORGS
• American Association of Colleges of Nursing
• American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine
• American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA)
• American Medical Association
• American Public Health Association

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