



## SOUTHEAST REGION UPDATE

### NC HOSA CHAPTER DUES

Beginning 2019-2020, NC HOSA chapters across North Carolina will be asked to pay \$25.00 chapter dues. These dues will be deposited into the scholarship account and used to offset funding for NC HOSA scholarships and Washington Leadership Academy associated fees for representatives. Each chapter should print the invoice located on the NCHOSA.org website and submit with their check. The invoice may be found under Section D of the Advisor Handbook. The deadline is October 18, 2019. Late fees will be applied to any dues not received by the deadline. <http://nchosa.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Invoice-Chapter-Dues-2019-2020.pdf>

### CHAPTER JUMP START 2019

The Southeast Region Chapter Jump Start will be hosted by Greene Central High School at The Refuge on October 15, 2019 from 0900-1500. A special "Thank You" to Ms. Lisa Wilson and Ms. Lisa Johnson for their leadership. The registration deadline for this event will be on September 27, 2019. The registration cost is tentatively \$20 per participant. The Board of Directors have been asked to reevaluate the budget for Chapter Jump Starts to accommodate venues and expenses needed to provide chapter officers the best leadership opportunities available. The Refuge is located at 1380 Lower Field Rd, Ayden, NC 28513 and you can learn more about the facility by visiting <http://ncrefuge.org/>

This year, each chapter will be asked to participate in a regional trading pin contest in place of a T-shirt and voted on during the Chapter Jump Start event. Regional Leadership Conference Management training for advisors will be conducted during the Advisor Luncheon and PLC meeting. The deadline to enter a design is September 15. The guidelines are located on the [nchosa.org](http://nchosa.org) website.

Greene Central HOSA Chapter have exciting leadership activities planned for our chapter officers. Participants should plan to wear their chapter T-shirts, school-appropriate jeans and tennis shoes, including the officer candidates and advisors. **Each chapter should bring 1 student prize (\$10).**

TENTATIVE schedule:

- 9:00-10:00 Registration
- 10:00-10:45 Opening and Officer Candidate Speeches
- 10:45- 11:45 Session 1
- 11:45-12:30 Lunch
- 12:30-1:30 Session 2
- 1:30-2:30 Session 3
- 2:30 Closing (Officer Installation and Door Prizes for students)

Advisors should go straight to Stop the Bleed after registration so they can be certified (if haven't done already!) prior to session 1. Advisors Meeting and Lunch will begin at 10:45 and end prior to 2:30. We will do our door prizes then. **Each school asked to bring 1 prize PER advisor (\$10)!** Lunch for students will be a bag lunch. Please indicate on registration what sandwich type each student wants. Choices are: turkey, ham, vegetarian. Advisors do NOT register for a sandwich. As you are thinking about who should attend CJS, please remember this is for your chapter leaders. Please do not register more than 10 students, with 6-8 being the optimal number (because of group sizes for sessions).



IMPORTANT DATES

- 9/15/19...Chapter Jump Start Region Trading Pin Contest
- 9/15/19... Region Officer Candidate Application on Tallo
- 10/18/19...Chapter Dues
- 11/16/19... Regional Leadership Conference
- 9/21-24/19...Washington Leadership Academy (WLA)
- 10/28/19-11/1/19... Online Testing



## HOSA PATCH

### EXCHANGE PROGRAM

HOSA-Future Health Professionals will implement a “patch exchange program” starting at the 2019 HOSA ILC and will continue until December 31, 2019.

At HOSA ILC in Orlando, Florida, all new patches will be exchanged for an old patch at no cost.

After HOSA ILC and until December 31, 2019, patches can be exchanged with HOSA for \$1.00 each.

Starting January 1, 2020, the new patch will be required as the official HOSA uniform and can be purchased from Awards Unlimited for \$3.80 each.



## MEMBERSHIP AFFILIATION

1. Go to the National HOSA web site, [www.hosa.org](http://www.hosa.org)
2. On the left side of the screen click “Advisor Services.” Then click “Chapter Advisors.”
3. Read the requirements, gather information, click “Click Here.”
4. Enter your Charter # and Password then click “Logon.” You can read the Instructions by clicking Instructions.
5. Once you finish reading the information you can click the “Home” icon on your computer which will take you back to the previous page.
6. Click “Chapter Affiliation” to continue with the affiliation process. Read and click “Next.”
7. Complete, check, or change the Chapter Information. Click “Next.”
8. Complete, check, or change the Billing Information. Click “Next.”
9. Complete, check, or change the Shipping Information. Click “Next.”
10. Complete, check or change the Chapter Demographics. Click “Next.”
11. If you would like to add a new member enter the member information and click “Add member.”
12. Complete all the required information. Be sure to spell the student’s name correctly. Please use the correct letter case.
13. Just continue to add member information and click “Add Member” after each entry. You should see a list to the left of the members you have added. This list will stay until you complete the process.
14. When you have added your last member, click “Next.”
15. Schedule of Affiliation – Application Fees shows the charges for your chapter. Click “Next.”
16. Please read the Chapter Affiliation Agreement and then click “Done.”
17. The “Home” menu appears and at this time you can view and print an Account Statement. Use this to request a check for membership.
18. Exit the form and you will see the “Home” menu. At any time from the “Home” menu you can View Membership Directory, View Account Statement, or Update Affiliation Data. This is also where you register for the state and national conferences – “Conference Registration.”
19. Once you have completed entering your information, click “Logoff.” This will return you to the “Home” page for National HOSA.

## DRESS CODE

Chapters and advisors are reminded to follow the “official HOSA dress code.” The dress guidelines for competitive events may be found on [nchosa.org](http://nchosa.org) or the [hosa.org](http://hosa.org) websites. The HOSA official dress code will be strictly enforced for all HOSA opening and closing ceremonies.

### HOSA Official Uniform

Tailored navy blazer with emblem affixed over the heart

Shirt/blouse for females (white tailored or short-sleeve white jewel neck shell)

Shirt for males (white closed-neck, man-tailored dress shirt, suitable for use with a tie)

Accent for female members - maroon HOSA scarf or tie is optional

Accent for male members -navy or maroon HOSA long tie

Matching navy slacks for males and matching slacks or skirts for females

Closed toe solid blue or black dress shoes (hose for females optional)

### Non-uniform Dress Alternative

Tailored navy or black blazer (sweaters and cardigans may not be worn in lieu of blazers)

Shirt/blouse for females (white tailored or short-sleeve white jewel neck shell)

Shirt for males (white closed-neck, man-tailored dress shirt, suitable for use with a long tie)

Closed toe solid blue or black dress shoes (hose for females optional)

Male members MUST wear a solid navy or solid maroon long tie (no bow ties)

Matching navy or black slacks for males and matching slacks or knee-length skirts for females

## REGIONAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Regional Leadership Conference (formerly District Leadership Conference) will be hosted by South Brunswick High School on November 16, 2019. The registration deadline is October 18, 2019. The online testing for all regions will be October 28 through November 1, 2019. Securing and registering online proctor deadline is also October 18, 2019. The registration cost is \$20 per participant. The registration will cover the cost of a trading pin, lunch for participants, and awards for the closing ceremony.

## ONLINE TESTING PROCTOR

How do I identify an online proctor for the online testing? Let's start with some tips for testing first! Please remember HOSA advisors should not be online proctors. Select someone else to help you out. Students testing in the same event should all test on the same day for test security and fairness to all in the same event. Section E of the Advisor Handbook <http://nchosa.org/advisors/handbook/>

**The TEST will be offered at RLC to provide more options/exposure to events for competitors. Students do not have to place in these events to compete at SLC.**

- Dental Terminology • Medical Spelling • Behavioral Health • Medical Law and Ethics • Pharmacology • Pathophysiology • Cultural Diversity and Disparities in Healthcare • Biomedical Laboratory Science • Clinical Nursing • Dental Science • Home Health Aide • Medical Assisting • Pharmacy Science • Veterinary Science • Physical Therapy • CERT Skills • Emergency Medical Technician • Epidemiology • Healthy Lifestyle • Parliamentary Procedure • Biomedical Debate

## COMPETITIVE EVENTS

2019-20 brings many changes to HOSA Competitive Events. Please visit [nchosa.org](http://nchosa.org) website for updates. <http://nchosa.org/advisors/handbook/> Sections F and H of the Advisor Handbook.

**Competitors are allowed to compete in one event.** The number of competitors/teams per chapter per event at Regional Leadership Conference will be Five. Test only events are unlimited participation.

Middle school competitors do not have to place at regional events to compete at the state level; however, students are strongly encouraged to compete at the regional level for exposure to competitive events prior to State Leadership Conference.

For the following events, secondary (high school) competitors must place in the top 5 to compete at State Leadership Conference (Five competitors/teams per chapter allowed):

- Extemporaneous Health Poster • Extemporaneous Writing (Students bring laptop) • Health Careers Preparation (middle school only) • Job Seeking Skills • Interviewing Skills • Health Career Photography • Prepared Speaking • Speaking Skills • Researched Persuasive Writing & Speaking • Dynamic Decisions (middle school only) \* • Creative Problem Solving \* • Health Career Display • HOSA Bowl \*

There will be an online test prior to the second round at district competitions.

For the following events, an unlimited number of competitors are allowed per chapter (Test Only). The top 5 will advance to State Leadership Conference, with the exception of Sports Medicine, Nursing Assisting, CPR/First Aid, and Forensic Science with the top 10 competitors/teams advancing to State Leadership Conference.

- Foundations of Medical Terminology (middle school only) • Medical Terminology • Math for Health Careers (middle school only) • Medical Math • Health Career Exploration (middle school only) • Human Growth and Development • Nutrition • Sports Medicine • Nursing Assisting • Life Threatening Situations (middle school only) • CPR/First Aid • Forensic Science

### 2018-2020 INTERNATIONAL HOSA SERVICE PROJECT

The 2018-2020 HOSA Service Project (selected by the 2018 Voting Delegates) is the National Pediatric Cancer Foundation (NPCF) HOSA is excited to work with NPCF for the next two years in raising funds and awareness for pediatric cancer. For more information on state and national recognition with NPCF, please review the HOSA Service Project Guidelines and visit the special site dedicated to HOSA/ NPCF.

A majority of NPCF's cancer research focuses on adult treatments and is done within the walls of individual institutions. NPCF funds clinical trials and collaborates with a network of cutting-edge hospitals across the nation to fast track less-toxic, more targeted treatments. All to increase the survival rate of children battling cancer.

For 26 years and counting, the NPCF has been the one shining light for children who are fighting cancer. They have donated millions of dollars to research and their clinical trials are yielding amazing discoveries that are saving many children's lives.

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