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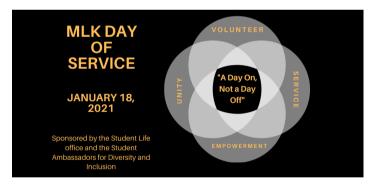
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# **MLK Day of Service**

The Martin Luther King Jr. holiday on Jan. 18, 2021, marks the 27th anniversary of the day of service that celebrates the Civil Rights leader's life and legacy. Observed each year on the third Monday in January as "a day on, not a day off," MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities.

Please join Student Life and the Student Ambassadors for Diversity and Inclusion as they come together to celebrate the MLK Day of Service by picking up trash. We will observe all safety precautions, as we will all be outside, with masks on and at least six feet apart.

There will also be a virtual option for those unable to participate in person or those on other campuses. Details for that opportunity are upcoming.

Please RSVP at https://ttuhsc.campuslabs.com/engage/event/6633906. Contact Doris Hereford at 806-743-6489 if you have any questions.

# **TTUHSC Libraries Holiday Closure Dates**

The Amarillo, Lubbock and Odessa Health Sciences Libraries will be CLOSED: December 24-25th for the winter holiday and December 31st, 2020-January 1st, 2021 for the New Year's holiday.

Regular Library Hours are Monday-Friday 7:30AM-5PM.

# **Spring 2021 Financial Aid Disbursements**

Below is the Spring 2021 financial aid disbursement schedule for all schools.

#### School of Health Professions:

- Full Spring Semester January 9, 2021
- Spring 1 Start January 9, 2021
- Spring 2 Start March 5, 2021

### School of Nursing:

- RN to BSN, Accelerated Nursing December 26, 2020
- Traditional & Graduate Nursing January 1, 2021

### School of Pharmacy:

• P1-P4 Students - December 25, 2020

#### Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences:

- GBS January 3, 2021
- GMD & GPH December 27, 2020

#### School of Medicine:

• MSI-MSIV and FMAT students - December 25, 2020

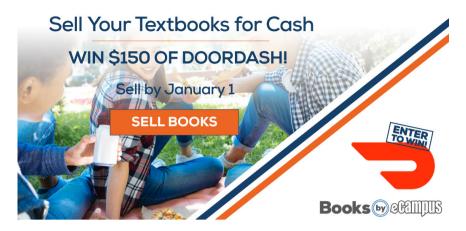
Please allow 3-5 business days for refunds to be processed. If you have questions regarding your refund status, please contact Student Business Services at 806-743-7867 or at SBS1@ttuhsc.edu.

Please contact the Student Financial Aid Office at financial.aid@ttuhsc.edu or at 806-743-3025 if you have any questions. Stay Safe and Happy Holidays!

#### **Gratitude Tree**

Please consider filling out the form below for the "Gratitude Tree" that is on display at the entrance of the Medical Pavilion. These notes of gratitude will be on display for all of the employees, patients, nurses, and doctors to see while walking through. During this time of uncertainty, we are hopeful that the gratitude cards will help raise spirits during these trying times and show that even with all of the chaos that has filled our world, there are still many reasons to be grateful.

**Gratitude Tree form:** https://app4.ttuhsc.edu/formbuilder/ViewForm.aspx? FormKey=0988c807-8942-4c4f-ab3b-156670707d14



#### TTUHSC Online Bookstore - Sell Your Books for a Chance to Win

Sell your books online through the TTUHSC eCampus bookstore by Jan. 1 and automatically be entered to win \$150 of DoorDash! https://ttuhsc.ecampus.com/

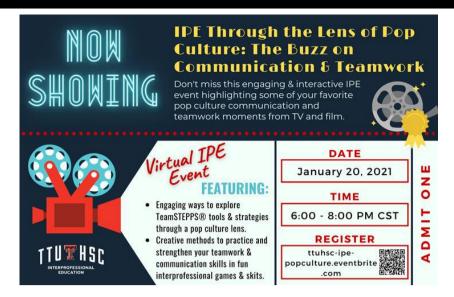


# 2021 EPIC Day - Office of Interprofessional Education

Register today for 2021 E.P.I.C. Day, Emergency Preparedness in communities, brought to you by the Office of Interprofessional Education at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. E.P.I.C. Day is a fun-filled, virtual event that will focus on Interprofessional Collaboration and Teamwork as it looks at how as health care professions we can respond to public health emergencies as they happen in the communities we serve. Students will be assigned to an interprofessional response team. Within those teams, students will collaborate together in determining an appropriate plan of action based on the needs of the community while coordinating with other resources with the other various teams during a tornado.

E.P.I.C. Day is approved through the IPE Registry and all participating students will receive a certificate that can be used towards the IPE curriculum graduation requirements.

For more information, please visit our webpage at www.ttuhsc.edu/interprofessional-education or call the Office of Interprofessional Education at (806) 743-2028.



# **IPE Virtual Event - Registration Open**

Registration is open for our next virtual IPE event, Through the Lens of Pop Culture: The Buzz on Communication & Teamwork. Teams of interprofessional students will explore TeamSTEPPS tools and strategies through the lens of pop culture. Teams will review some of your favorite pop culture communication and teamwork moments from TV and film. Student teams will use creative methods such as games and skits to strengthen communication and teamwork skills. Each participant will receive an IPE certificate of completion. Don't miss this engaging and interactive IPE event!

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## **OPD Webinar**

The Office of People Development is excited to offer 3 new webinars in December that explore leadership lessons from our favorite holiday influencers. The topic for the third webinar is Leadership Lessons from Santa.

Tuesday, December 15th | 10:00 - 11:00 am | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/96094255509

# **SoCRA West Texas Chapter**

The SoCRA West Texas Chapter will meet on Thursday, December 17th. The guest speaker will be Chip Shaw, Ed.D, Executive Director of Clinical Research Data Warehouse at TTUHSC. His topic will be Cerner Health Facts Database - Using Electronic Health Records for Research.

• Thursday, December 17th | 12:00 - 1:00 pm | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/96531272847

# STUDENT ORGS

# **Student Life Holiday Closure Dates**

The Office of Student Life in Lubbock will be closed the below dates for the holidays. During these dates we will not be able to accept any money for deposits, so please make sure to bring them by before or after these dates. If you have any questions please let us know at Student.Life@ttuhsc.edu.

- December 24-25
- December 28 January 1



HSC Rounds will be taking a break for the holidays, but will be back on January 4th. We want to wish everyone safe and Happy Holidays & a very Happy New Year!

Submit an Announcement Request

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