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Holiday Closure
All TTUHSC Offices, Libraries and Clinics will be closed on Monday, July 5th in observance of the July Fourth holiday. Have a safe and happy Fourth of July!

Free Printing at the TTUHSC Libraries
TTUHSC students' PaperCut accounts are automatically created with an initial $70.00 balance. On January 1st and July 1st of each year, any accounts with a balance below $70.00 are automatically reset to $70.00. For more information, please see the Libraries’ webpage on Printing.
https://ttuhsc.libguides.com/papercut
Deadline Approaching for QEP Grant Opportunity

Well Beyond, the TTUHSC QEP, has grant funds available for any faculty, staff, or student organization who wants to create and conduct a project or program to enhance the emotional well-being of TTUHSC students. Up to $1,000 per grant is available. **July 15 is the deadline** for TTUHSC faculty, staff, and student organizations to apply for a QEP grant to promote students’ well-being during the Fall 2021 semester. A second opportunity to apply for QEP grant funding will come this fall for the Spring 2022 semester. An announcement concerning that opportunity will be made in September and the deadline for applications will be November 15, 2021.

The grant application can be accessed at https://tinyurl.com/m45cu8rp. For more information regarding this opportunity, please check out the grant application and/or contact Dr. Alan Korinek, QEP Co-Director (806-743-6175; alan.korinek@ttuhsc.edu).

TTUHSC Writing Center is Hiring Tutors

The TTUHSC Writing Center serves faculty, staff, residents, and students across all campuses. On average, we serve 350-400 clients EACH SEMESTER. Go to http://www.texastech.edu/careers/, click on “TTUHSC Faculty” (left-hand panel), and search for Requisition ID 21775BR —> “Writing Tutor/Recurrent Faculty Member.”

**Required qualifications:**
1. Minimum two years’ college-level tutoring or college-level teaching/grading experience, in any discipline. (Most of our tutors have 5+ years.)
2. Bachelor’s degree or higher with minimum 3.5 GPA. (Our current tutors have graduate degrees and/or PhDs.)

Questions? E-mail (with a copy of your c.v.): writing.center@ttuhsc.edu

3D Printing at the TTUHSC Libraries

If you are looking for an innovative way to study, conduct research, or enhance patient care, contact our 3D printing labs in Lubbock and Odessa. Our librarians can help you create and design your own 3D prints. https://ttuhsc.libguides.com/c.php?g=445439&p=3038234
**Student Health Insurance - Fall 2021 Enrollment/Waiver Process**

The Office of Student Life would like to make sure you know how to meet the requirement of the HSC OP 77.19 regarding the Mandatory Student Health Insurance. The steps to meet the requirement for the Fall 2021 semester and beyond are detailed on our website - https://www.ttuhsc.edu/student-life/health-insurance.aspx. You may watch our video at https://tinyurl.com/jhv2vkb3 to better understand the steps.

The institutional sponsored student health insurance plan will be charged to students' fall tuition and fee bills. All students except those enrolled in a 100% distance program will be charged. If you do not have your own health insurance, you will just need to pay your tuition and fee bill and the health coverage will begin August 1 or September 1, depending on when your program begins the fall semester and if you are a new or returning student.

If you have alternative health insurance coverage (e.g., coverage by parent, guardian, spouse, or employer) that is Affordable Care Act (ACA) compliant, you have the option to submit a request to waive the student health insurance plan. The Fall waiver system is open at https://ttuhsc.myahpcare.com/waiver. To avoid seeing the student health insurance charge, we advise you get your waiver submitted as soon as possible!

For more information on the institutional sponsored plan, please visit https://ttuhsc.myahpcare.com/. Please contact our office at Student.Life@ttuhsc.edu or 806-743-2302 for any questions.

**IPE Summer Escape Room Challenge - Lubbock Campus**

The Office of Interprofessional Education is hosting a fun and engaging Escape Room this summer for Lubbock campus students. This beginner escape room is an adventurous way for new students to meet others across our various healthcare professions, improve interprofessional teamwork and communication, and collaborate together to solve puzzles that will ultimately lead to a discharge plan in a simulated patient case.

Remaining dates for the escape room are July 16th and August 20th and 27th. IPE Summer Escape registration is open at https://bit.ly/IPE-EscapeRoom. For more information, or if you have questions, please contact the Office of Interprofessional Education at ipe@ttuhsc.edu or call us at (806)743-2028.

**Registration Open - Shatter the Stigma**

Registration is open for Shatter the Stigma: An Interprofessional Simulation with Standardized Patients. The registered IPE event will be held on Friday, July 23, 2021, from 9:00 am - 12:30 pm and is open to all students, faculty, and staff. Registration for the event will be open through July 16, 2021.

Join Lucas Hill, PharmD, BCPS, BCACP, in a keynote that addresses the importance of meeting patients where they are in an effort to reduce the harm of stigmas in healthcare today. Following the keynote, Zach Sneed, PhD, LCDC, CRC will discuss patient interviewing strategies to destigmatizing substance use disorders.

Interested participants can register through Eventbrite at: https://ttuhsc-shatter-the-stigma.eventbrite.com
President’s Advisory Council

The President’s Advisory Board is a collaborative team composed of university representation from all campuses. Those serving on the board include the President’s Cabinet (deans and vice presidents), regional deans, and other campus leaders. This team meets quarterly to discuss and share information from across the university. An email will be sent out with the Zoom link.

- Thursday, July 1st | 10 am - 12 pm | Zoom

Office of People & Values Webinars

In the Connect Chair our focus moves away from ourselves and on to other people. During this one hour webinar we will learn the importance of social awareness and discover ways to mitigate conflict and stay connected with others even when emotions are at play.

- Tuesday, July 13th | 10 - 11 am | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/92084441997

Do you avoid having critical conversations with other people because you are afraid that your emotions might get the better of you? During this one hour webinar, we will discuss how to use what we have learned from the 5 chairs to hold breakthrough conversations.

- Tuesday, July 20th | 10 - 11 am | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/92451446523

Alzheimer’s Disease Research Seminar

Join us for the Alzheimer’s Disease Research Seminar on July 13th as we have Dr. Vilhelm Bohr discuss, DNA Damage Leads to Mitochondrial Dysfunction in Alzheimer’s Disease.

- Tuesday, July 13th | 12 - 1 pm | 1C120 or Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/8624844206?pwd=WHAzNU80MjFMakttZFNBM3ZRQUk4QT09

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