

NEWSLETTER

POLK COUNTY HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE COLLABORATIVE

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Year 2: Quarter 3 Summary

We have started the new year strong! While schools and students were getting acclimated with the new year and semester beginning, our group was planning for upcoming events and meeting with other organizations to find new opportunities for partnership and activities. We met with groups like Easter Seals, WIGU and Young Women's Resource Center all of whom reached out wanting to pursue a partnership to work with the Polk County Healthcare Workforce Collaborative.

We Also hosted our final Discover Healthcare Day at Grand View University. Over 100 students attended our event, and according to the post-event survey, it seemed go over very well with everyone! We had most partners attend the event to offer a variety of careers to learn from. In fact, all four colleges/universities attended the Question and Answer panel at the end, offering answers to all types of questions from the students in attendance.

Our Pathway Navigator was also very busy meeting with students as they prepared for the Spring semester. She is currently working with about 20 students, and is beginning to utilize the PCHWC CRM to communicate regularly through a newsletter to students who have expressed a higher interest in pursuing a career in healthcare.

As we go into the final few months of the school year, we have lots of activities still coming up. You can keep tabs on what's happening by checking out the events below, following us on our social media platforms, or go to PolkCountyHealthcare.org/Events!

Upcoming Events

APRIL

- 3: Mercy College Campus Visit Day
- 4: UnityPoint Health Radiologic Tech Info Session
- 9: DMUPrep Osteopathic Medicine
- 16: PCHWC Build My Future
- 17: DMU Admissions Open House

MAY

- 1: DMACC Nursing Info Session
- 2: UnityPoint Health Radiologic Tech Info Session
- 15: DMU Admissions Open House

JUNE

- 6: UnityPoint Health Radiologic Tech Info Session
- 10: DMACC Surgical Tech Info Session
- 11: DMUPrep



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