

# Navigating the Pre-Med & Health Sciences Pathway

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# Our Journey Today

WSU Pre-Med & Health Science Center

Who We Are & What We Do...

Current Practices

The “Interest Funnel”

Pre-College Outreach

Future Plans

Q & A



# WSU Pre-Med & Health Science Center

- Average of 500 incoming “pre-med” freshmen yearly
- 5 advisors
- holistic advising
- Pre-med, pre-dental, pre-physician assistant studies, pre-vet, pre-pharmacy, pre-pathologist assistant, pre-physical therapy, pre-occupational therapy, other programs



# Current Practices:

## *Interest Funnel for Pre-Med Students*

WSU Open House

WSU Admitted  
Students Day

PMHSC  
“Check-Up”

Orientation



# Pre-College Outreach

- High School Pre-Med Info Sessions
  - Goal = demystify the “what I need to be doing in high school to get ahead for college” myth
  - Conducted on campus or at high school
  - Sample [High School Pre-Med Info Session](#)



# Future Plans

- Educator/counselor professional development sessions
- Pre-med undergraduate and/or medical student mentoring
- “Pre-Med Open House” for high school students
- Targeted recruiting programs with WSU Admissions Office



# Q & A

- Questions?
- What other things would you like to see university offices doing to connect with high school students?

