

# High School Students

## 2020-2021 CaroMont Health Career Club

Due to COVID-19, CaroMont Health Career Club will not meet in Fall 2020.

The Organizational Development Team at CaroMont Health are working to provide a safe, robust and hands-on learning experience for students and will evaluate resuming the program in Spring 2021.

### CaroMont Health Career Club

CaroMont Health Career Club gives high school students the opportunity to learn more about health careers through activities, simulations, community service and presentations led by medical professionals.

- Students must be in 9-12 grade.
- CaroMont Health Career Club Meets one evening per month October-April from 5:30pm to 7:00pm. Students must attend 5 of the 7 meetings to receive credit for participation.
- Meetings take place on the campus of CaroMont Regional Medical Center.
- Dues are \$40/year which includes a t-shirt, snacks at each meeting, and an end-of-year party. Children of CaroMont employees receive a discounted rate of \$30/year (badge must be presented). Dues will be collected via check made out to CaroMont Health or cash at the first meeting.
- Registration will open in September and close one week prior to the first meeting. The registration link will be posted below during the registration window. The first 50 students to register will be accepted. We will maintain a waitlist and notify waitlisted students of acceptance after the second meeting.

### CaroMont Health Sciences Academy

The CaroMont Health Sciences Academy at East Gaston High School is a partnership between Gaston County Schools, Gaston College, and CaroMont Health. The Health Sciences Academy is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge they need for a solid foundation for success in the health services field. Students enrolled in this program will have access to exclusive programs and opportunities at CaroMont Health. For more information please visit [www.gaston.k12.nc.us/Page/9746](http://www.gaston.k12.nc.us/Page/9746).



### Volunteer Program

CaroMont Volunteers provide service to many areas, including the information desk, emergency department, clinic waiting rooms, medical practices and office settings. Most assignments will be supporting families, patients and care teams. Volunteer opportunities are primarily at the main hospital campus, but there are some roles in other locations. The Volunteer program is for teens 15 and older in high school (rising 9th grader) by July 1. The summer volunteer program takes place June–August; applications open in January. For more information, please email [volunteerprograms@caromonthhealth.org](mailto:volunteerprograms@caromonthhealth.org).

### Student Shadowing Program

High School juniors and seniors, college and graduate students interested in pursuing an education or career in healthcare have the opportunity to shadow a Physician or Advanced Care Practitioner as they perform their duties at CaroMont Health. Shadowing is limited to an observational experience and participating students are not personally involved in direct patient care.

[Click here](#) to view the Student Shadowing Program Policy and to download the application and accompanying documents. [Click here](#) to view the CaroMont Health Professional Appearance Standards Policy. Please contact 704.834.5299 with questions or for more information.

### Student Athletic Trainer Program

At each Gaston County High School, students 9th grade and up have the opportunity to work under the school Athletic Trainer at practices and sporting events. There is a mandatory four-day training in July prior to each school year. For more information, please contact the Athletic Trainer at your Gaston County High School.