Competitive Events

Date: Feb 13-17 2022

Location: Wyndham Springfield City Centre, Springfield IL

General Overview

The Competitive Events Program is designed to motivate HOSA members and provide a system for recognizing the competencies developed by members through Health Science and Biomedical Science class instruction, related job training, and HOSA related activities.

What to expect

Members from all around the state, both Secondary and Postsecondary/Collegiate, gather to take full advantage of HOSA's Competitive Events Program. Typically held in the spring, the State Leadership Conference incorporates not only competitive events but recognition events too. Elections for the new State Executive Council are also held, and multiple scholarships are distributed. Members are also given the opportunity to network with one another and few exhibitors. They also listen in on an enlightening guest speaker and participate in entertaining down time activities. On the final day of the conference, awards are distributed to the top 10 participants of each event, however only the top 3 finalists advance to the International Leadership Conference, and the new executive council is sworn into service.

Attire for the Conference

When should I wear professional attire?

(opening session; breakfasts; Awards Banquets; speaking competitions; presentations, excetera)

Competitive Events Dress:

Delegates must adhere to the policy as specified in the individual competitive event guidelines for the orientation and event in which they are competing. If the competitive event guidelines identify business attire is appropriate, competitors can either wear the official HOSA uniform or any of the following dress is acceptable (color is not specified for clothing or shoes for competition):

Suit (Blac Blue)	ck or Navy	Blazer (Black or Navy Blue)	Dress Pants or skirt		Shoes (closed-toe; open-toe; heeled sandals are permitted	Official HOSA Attire	
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If the competitive event guidelines identify clinical uniform or attire appropriate to the occupational area for skill events, the following dress is acceptable (can be of any color/design, with or without a HOSA emblem):

Scrubs EMS or CERT attire	Clinical shoes or tennis shoes	Khaki-style pants with Polo-style Top	Note: Shorts and flip-flops are not acceptable HOSA clinical attire.
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Competitive Events Chapter Checklist



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Advisor: Submit HOSA Dues by November 1st to qualify for State Leadership Conference			
Pick an event and inform your advisor Event options: hosa.org/guidelines/			
Registration Deadline for SLC Preliminary Rounds (Nov 23rd)			
Study or work on Project			
SLC Preliminary Rounds (Nov 28th-Dec 2nd) Skills/knowledge competition = Test Project or Presentation = upload to Tallo Login information will be sent directly to students			
Register members who qualify for SLC			
Deadline for SLC Registration: January 14th			
look over event guidelines, study for exam, and or			
practice skills, finalize project or presentation			
Round 1 Testing: February 13-17			
(test login and time will be sent to Advisors)			
look over event guidelines, study for exam, and or			
practice skills, finalize project or presentation			
Attend State Leadership Conference - March 1-3rd BOS Center, Springfield IL *Top 3 finalists for each event advance to ILC*			
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practice skills, finalize project or presentation			
Register for the International Leadership Conference, Dallas, TX			
Advisor must register qualifiers by May 1st.			
Attend ILC 2023: June 21 - 24th Dallas, TX			