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PSA Second Year Informational (EY 2023-2?)

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Programs Advised

- Dental
- Law
- Medical
- Nursing
- Occupational Therapy (OT)

- Pharmacy
- Physical Therapy (PT)
- Physician Assistant (PA)
- Veterinary Medicine



Texas Professional Schools

Professions	# of TX Schools	Texas A&M System Schools and Locations
Dentistry	4	Texas A&M Health Science Center, Dallas
Law	10	Texas A&M School of Law, Fort Worth
Medical	13	Texas A&M Health Science Center, Bryan/College Station, Houston, Dallas, Round Rock & Temple
Nursing	58	Texas A&M Health Science Center, Bryan/College Station & Round Rock
Occupational Therapy (OT)	10	N/A
Pharmacy	9	Texas A&M Irma Lerma Rangel College of Pharmacy, Kingsville & College Station
Physician Assistant (PA)	9	N/A
Physical Therapy (PT)	15	N/A
Veterinary	2	Texas A&M Veterinary School, College Station

#'s reflect schools accepting students as of 10/22/20



Connect with PSA

Through:

E-mail opsa@tamu.edu

Office Hours/Group Advising
Appointments
tx.ag/opsa

Workshops tx.ag/psaworkshops

Our office is open Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



Career Fairs

Law School Caravan tx.ag/lawcaravan

ECHO Health Professions Symposium tx.ag/healthsymposium



Student Panel

Profession	Student Name	Classification	Major
Dentistry	Claire Nguyen	Senior	BIMS
Law	Emma Banks	Junior	BHNR
Medical	Anika Felix	Grad	BIMS
Occupational Therapy (OT)	Kirsten Pechacek	Senior	KINE
Pharmacy	Michael Morillo	Senior	NRSC
Physician Assistant (PA)	Sarah Abiog	Junior	BIMS
Physical Therapy (PT)	Sadie Thomas	Senior	KINE
Veterinary	Alex Stroumpos	Senior	BIMS
PSA	Hannah Smith	Grad	PHLT



Professionalism



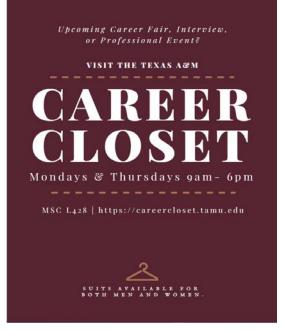




















Timeline/Entry Year (EY)

- EY 2023-202?
 - Meet with your pre-professional advisor to create your timeline.
 - Your focus should be on becoming the most competitive applicant you can be.
 - Gap/Experience years can be asset when used properly.
 - One size does not fit all.

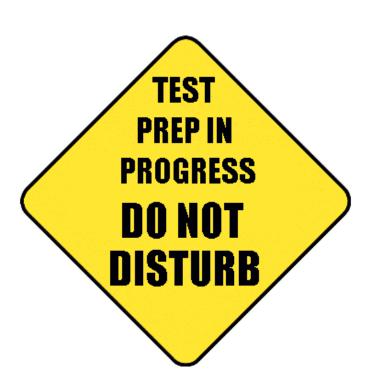


Med & Dent Only

- OPSA Portal Overview
 - Crucial resource the YEAR you are applying
 - Ex: Entry Year 2023 applies Spring 2022
 - Fall 2021
 - Attend a Portal Workshop
 - Spring 2022
 - Provide evaluator information
 - Complete file by deadline in April
 - » Receive Health Profession Advisory Committee (HPAC) letter



Admission Test Prep



Take a practice exam

Free online resourceskaptest.com

Use results to:

- See where you stand
- Make a study plan



Applications & What Should You Be Working On?



tx.ag/WDINTBWO

Health Professions Week 2020 explorehealthcareers.org/hpw



Is Early Decision/Early Assurance Right for You?

- Vary by profession
- Research & speak with advisor about:
 - Terms &Requirements
 - Pros & Cons





Quick links

PSA Calendar	tx.ag/psacalendar
Dentistry	tx.ag/PreDental
Law	tx.ag/PreLaw
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PSA Workshops	tx.ag/psaworkshops
PSA Student Organizations	tx.ag/psastudentorgs



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OR scan the QR code

to answer a few questions.

Thanks!

