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Applications for High School Medical Scholars

The University of Nevada School of Medicine is now accepting applications, through March 1, for the High School Medical Scholars. This one-week program is focused on minority students interested in the medical sciences. The program takes place June 14 -18 at the Reno campus of the School of Medicine. Attendance is free for selected students and all expenses are paid.

This challenging program is open to students, juniors in high school during the 1998-99 school year who interested in a career in medicine or science. Students participate in group research projects; discussions with minority physicians and scientists; tours of campus and medical facilities and hospitals; and personal career and college planning sessions. Application packets were mailed to all high school counselors and science teachers the first week of February.

The application deadline is March 1. Up to 15 students will be accepted this year. Please call the medical school, Office of Recruitment at 775-784-1317 in Reno; or , in Las Vegas, call 671-2256, for more information or application information.