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pathway
program

UNDERGRADUATE AND DENTAL STUDENTS...

Volunteer to chaperone young students as you both explore the world of oral health careers

Join Us for a 5-Day Summer Residency Program!

This program will introduce you to exciting future careers in oral health, including: **dentist, dental hygienist, dental assistant, and/or dental office administrator**

12 Spots Available

Why?

- Provide mentorship to high school students interested in oral health
- Connect with mentors who will champion your own healthcare career
- Immersive learning and enrichment around the oral health community

Where?



College of Dentistry



When?

June 28 – July 3
Washington, DC

OR

July 20 – July 25
Nashville, TN

How?

Applications are Now Open through **March 31, 2025**



NDAOnline.org/Smile-Program

**Must be at least 18 years old, available all day and in the evenings to 11th graders, and comfortable staying in the dormitories. A weekly stipend will be offered, along with room, board, and meals.*



Program Mission

The S.M.I.L.E. (Student Mentoring with Immersive Learning and Enrichment) Healthcare Pathway Program is a public-private partnership to help mentor future healthcare professionals, enhance health literacy, expand diversity in the healthcare workforce and ultimately improve health and overall outcomes in underserved communities nationwide.



See the Experience:



For questions or more information:
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