

Med-Start Health Careers Program

Student Recommendation Form

APPLICANT NAME: _____ SCHOOL: _____

This student has asked you to provide an assessment of his/her suitability as a participant in the Med-Start Summer Program. The Med-Start Summer Program is a competitive academic enrichment summer program for students interested in health careers. **For more information about Med-Start, please see <http://medstart.arizona.edu/> or contact:**

The University of Arizona,
 UAHS - Office of Diversity and Inclusion
 1501 N. Campbell Avenue, Room 1119B
 P.O. Box 245140, Tucson, AZ 85724
 TEL: (520) 621-5531 or (800) 841-5948
 Email: azhealth@email.arizona.edu

We are interested in selecting students who have:

- 1) demonstrated an interest in health careers or could benefit from learning about such options; and
- 2) demonstrated past academic achievement, or are capable of handling a college curriculum in the future, whether or not the student's grades presently reflect this.

Please complete the following form and email it to aaguirr1@email.arizona.edu OR mail it to the Tucson Office (above) by January 15.

We ask that you give us your overall impression of the student as well as address specific questions. Thank you for taking the time to provide this important evaluation.

Characteristics	Out- Standing	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor	Unable to judge
INTELLECTUAL CAPACITY: <i>Ability to gather, integrate and work with information</i>						
MOTIVATION: <i>Genuineness, desire and depth of commitment to the health care profession</i>						
MATURITY: <i>Personal development, ability to cope with life situations</i>						
INTERPERSONAL RELATIONS: <i>Ability to get along with others, rapport, cooperation, attitude toward supervision</i>						
EMPATHY: <i>Sensitivity to the needs of others, consideration, tactfulness</i>						
EMOTIONAL STABILITY: <i>Performance under pressure, mood stability, ability to relate to others</i>						
ANALYTICAL SKILLS: <i>Ability to problem solve, correlate and process information, and to think critically</i>						
JUDGMENT: <i>Ability to evaluate a problem involving people, common sense and decisiveness</i>						

RESOURCEFULNESS: <i>Ability to discover new resources and to manage new and already present resources skillfully</i>							
RELIABILITY: <i>Dependability, sense of responsibility, promptness, conscientiousness</i>							
LEADERSHIP: <i>Ability to initiate; lead and/or work with others</i>							
COMMUNICATION SKILLS:	<i>Verbal skills, clarity of expression, articulateness</i>						
	<i>Clarity and conciseness of written expression</i>						
PERSEVERANCE: <i>Energy, endurance, desire to succeed, ability to overcome obstacles</i>							
INTEGRITY: <i>Honesty, trustworthiness, uprightness</i>							
CREATIVITY: <i>Ability to generate new and novel ideas, or approaches to problems</i>							
Overall Recommendation:	<input type="checkbox"/> This applicant receives my highest recommendation without reservation	<input type="checkbox"/> I recommend this applicant with confidence	<input type="checkbox"/> I recommend this applicant	<input type="checkbox"/> I would not recommend this applicant for admission			

Please respond to the following, based on your familiarity with the student:

1) The student's strengths as you see them

2) The student's weaknesses as you see them

3) How will the student benefit from participating in the Med-Start Summer Program?

4) What will the student contribute to the Med-Start Summer Program?

5) Any additional comments about the student

Recommender's Information

Date: _____

I, (First Name) _____ (Last Name) _____ have completed this form.

Title/Position: _____

Department/School/Organization: _____

Phone: () _____ Alternate phone: () _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

Email Address: _____