

## To all South Carolina HOSA - Future Health Professionals members, chapter officers, advisors, and alumni:

As South Carolina HOSA President, I am honored to have the privilege of welcoming you back to a new year with SC HOSA! Looking back on the 2023-2024 year, we were able to Dare To Create. I have never been prouder of our incredible competitors, advisors, judges, sponsors, partners, speakers, and everyone who makes our program of work possible. Each and every HOSA member has been the key to success for South Carolina HOSA. HOSA and healthcare are "Powered By People," and your officer team pledges to make this 2024 - 2025 an *amazing* experience!

Your state officer team and advisors have come together to set **three main goals** to build and achieve for this upcoming year. We are confident that achieving these goals will help enhance each individual's HOSA journey. Our 2024-2025 goals are as follows:

- 1. Increase South Carolina HOSA membership, including postsecondary/collegiate and middle schools.
- 2. Enhance our outreach through a consistent social media presence, in addition to traditional communication with chapters and officers.
- 3. Increase involvement in HOSA service projects and activities.

We can't wait to see South Carolina HOSA achieve these goals. We are so excited about what you all will accomplish this year! Here are some tips and tricks to help you make our goals possible to accomplish:

- → Share your chapter achievements and events by tagging us in your posts so we can repost them! Not only will this help you, but it will inspire other chapters around the state to do the same! If you have any quick questions, contact us through SC HOSA social media platforms:
  - Instagram: @sc\_hosa
  - Twitter and Facebook: @SC\_HOSA
- → Encourage your chapter members and community to fundraise for:
  - The <u>National Marrow Donor Program</u>, HOSA's 2024-2025 National Service Project
  - In recent years, South Carolina HOSA has partnered with the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) to promote mental health awareness among students. We appreciate the efforts of our members and their chapters towards <u>NAMI</u> these past two years. This year our state officer team has chosen a new service project: The Shriners Hospitals, SC HOSA's 2024-2025 State Service Project!



Your chapter can contribute to these wonderful causes and if you need ideas; here are some!

Sample fundraising events are located here.

→ Throughout the year, your state officer team will be posting challenges and interactive activities to do through social media! These are the ways we can connect with each other! Therefore, be on the lookout for these platforms:







Your state officers and advisors would love to answer any questions and concerns you have! We are here to serve YOU. Feel free to contact us through email or social media.

We are excited to announce we will be hosting our Fall Leadership Conference on October 10, 2024 at Newberry College in Newberry, South Carolina. During this conference, you will meet your peers from around the state, explore what HOSA truly is, and gain leadership skills and qualities to bring back to your chapters! From keynote speakers to recognizing our International Leadership Conference winners, it will be a lifetime memory.

Team 47 is ready to see what all South Carolina HOSA will accomplish this upcoming year! HOSA is "Powered By People," and I hope this year HOSA becomes your drive and passion, as it has for us! I can't wait to get to know each and every one of you and grow a bond that will be forever continued. We are proud of what you have accomplished and are ready to serve you as your SC HOSA Officer Team.

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South Carolina HOSA - Future Health Professionals President

