



## Michigan HOSA 2024 State Leadership Conference Competitive Event Modifications

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This document contains competitive event information for the 2024 Michigan HOSA State Leadership Conference on April 18-19, 2024. Please refer to your [competitive event guidelines](#)- they are essential to understanding how your competitive event will be run, evaluated and the rules of the event. Michigan HOSA refers to the guidelines when running the state competition, but because the guidelines are written for the international level, there are some things we are not able to implement or accommodate for. Below are event modifications for SLC:

### **For all competitors:**

Competitor's MUST present a photo ID or proof of identity when checking in to their competitive event. A clear picture of a photo ID is acceptable. If a student does not bring a photo ID, the student's advisor may be asked to report to the event manager or HOSA Headquarters and verify the student's identity.

As Future Health Professionals, HOSA members should present themselves in a professional manner. Competitors shall wear official HOSA uniform **or proper business attire**. If your specific competitive event allows for attire appropriate to the occupational area (i.e. scrubs, uniforms, etc.) then that is allowed and will be considered appropriate attire. Bonus points will NOT be awarded, but event managers will make note if competitors are NOT in proper dress which could result in overall point deduction.

### **Health Science Events**

- Written tests will be administered in the testing room listed in the conference schedule. There will be NO verbal announcements for time remaining. Competitors are responsible for monitoring their own time.
- All knowledge tests will have a tie-breaker question at the end of the test to complete. These will be used in the case of breaking a tie.
- **Medical Reading:** the post-secondary/secondary test will be asking questions about all 5 books listed in the event guidelines (compared to regionals which was only 3 books).
- **Medical Spelling:** all competitors will compete in the round 2 spelldown. Test scores will be used for round two seeding. All competitors should report to round 2 time and

location listed in the conference schedule. Taber's Audio Glossary will NOT be provided at SLC.

### **Health Professions Events**

- All competitors must come prepared to do any skills listed in the guidelines, and bring all required materials (if applicable).
- In most events, all competitors will advance to round 2 skills/presentations. (This MIGHT change if space becomes an issue, but that will be communicated closer to conference date). Tests will not be used as event qualifiers, but WILL be added to the competitor overall score. Appointment times will be posted on the Michigan HOSA website ([www.michiganhosa.org/slc](http://www.michiganhosa.org/slc)) prior to the conference. Once posted, if you do NOT see your name on the list, please email Samantha at [samantha.pohl@mhc.org](mailto:samantha.pohl@mhc.org).
- All round 2 skills will take place at the Grand Traverse Resort, except Nursing Assisting, Personal Care and Dental Science. Transportation will be provided for those competitors.

### **Emergency Preparedness Events**

- All competitors must come prepared to do any skills listed in the guidelines, and bring all required materials (if applicable).
- In most events, all competitors will advance to round 2 skills/presentations. (This MIGHT change if space becomes an issue, but that will be communicated closer to conference date). Tests will not be used as event qualifiers, but WILL be added to the competitor overall score. Appointment times will be posted on the Michigan HOSA website ([www.michiganhosa.org/slc](http://www.michiganhosa.org/slc)) prior to the conference. Once posted, if you do NOT see your name on the list, please email Samantha at [samantha.pohl@mhc.org](mailto:samantha.pohl@mhc.org).
- **Public Health:** teams will only participate in ROUND TWO. There will be NO round one for Public Health at SLC.

### **Leadership Events:**

- All competitors will advance to round 2 (if applicable). If your event requires a digital upload submission, those have been pre-judged and will be added to the overall scores (they will NOT be used as a qualifier). If you did not upload materials, you can still compete but you will have no scores for the pre-judging component of the event.
- Appointment times will be posted on the Michigan HOSA website ([www.michiganhosa.org/slc](http://www.michiganhosa.org/slc)) prior to the conference. Once posted, if you do NOT see your name on the list, please email Samantha at [samantha.pohl@mhc.org](mailto:samantha.pohl@mhc.org).
- **Research Poster:** There will be no poster setup at SLC. Competitors will not do a public display/viewing. For research posters, competitors will have two minutes to set-up their poster in the room with judges. Poster will most likely be displayed flat on a table.

### **Teamwork Events:**

- All competitors will advance to round 2 (if applicable). If your event requires a digital upload submission, those have been pre-judged and will be added to the overall scores (they will not be used as a qualifier). If you did not upload your materials, you can still compete but you will have no scores for the pre-judging component of the event.
- Appointment times will be posted on the Michigan HOSA website ([www.michiganhosa.org/slc](http://www.michiganhosa.org/slc)) prior to the conference. Once posted, if you do NOT see your name on the list, please email Samantha at [samantha.pohl@mhc.org](mailto:samantha.pohl@mhc.org).
- **Biomedical Debate and HOSA Bowl** brackets will be posted immediately after test scores are tallied and brackets have been made. Brackets will be posted online and outside of the event door.
- **Health Career Display and Medical Innovation:** There will be no project exhibit time at SLC. Teams will be given 15 minutes to set up displays/exhibits prior to the event (time will be listed in conference schedule). Judge presentation appointments will be given online.