

2026 Michigan HOSA State Leadership Conference Schedule

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

****HOSA will NOT provide shuttles to and from off-site hotels on Wednesday****

8:00-9:30 PM	Early Arrival Registration <i>ADVISORS AND CHAPERONES ONLY! We will NOT check in competitors individually.</i>	Lower Registration Desk
9:30-9:40 PM	Courtesy Corps Meeting <i>(for students interested in signing up who have not received an assignment)</i>	Governors' Hall A-D
9:30 PM	Early Bird Event Personnel Orientation <i>(for event managers, section leaders and judges with a 1:00 PM event Thursday, only)</i>	Council Room
10:00 PM	Competitive Event Skills Posted for Thursday Events	Via the Band App: https://band.us/@mihosa2026slc
9:45-11:00 PM	Open Mic & Karaoke Night	Governors' Hall A-D

Thursday, April 16, 2026

9:00-11:00 AM	School Registration <i>ADVISORS AND CHAPERONES ONLY! We will NOT check in competitors individually.</i>	Lower Registration Desk
11:00 AM-1:00 PM	CMU Mobile Health Central Tours <i>Central Michigan University acquired a mobile health unit from The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation, and want to share it with YOU! Take a tour of the bus and learn about the opportunities this can bring to communities and healthcare. They are also hosting the Home Health Aide event!</i>	GTR Parking Lot
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM	HOSA Exhibitor Fair <i>(Exhibitors can begin setting up at 9:00 AM. All competitors who visit the fair will receive a 2026 MI HOSA SLC pin)</i>	Governors' Pre-function
11:00 AM- 5:00 PM	MSU Impart Alliance Mobile Training Unit- Direct Care Quest Challenge! Visit the 45.5 ft long mobile training unit where they have an escape room activity for participants! See Band App for more details.	GTR Parking Lot
11:00 AM- 7:00 PM	FOOD TRUCK- Pigs Eatin' Ribs	GTR Parking Lot
11:30 AM	All Event Managers for 1:00 Events Check-In	Council Room
11:30-12:00 PM	All Section Leaders & Judges for 1:00 PM Events Check-In <i>All event personnel orientation 12:00-12:15 PM</i>	Council Room
11:45 AM	State Officer Candidate Meeting	Governors' Hall
12:00 PM	Thursday Governors' Testing Proctor Check-In & Orientation	Governors' E-F
12:00-5:00 PM	Anatomage Tournament Prelims	Governors' Pre-function
12:00-5:00 PM	Courtesy Corps Sign Up <i>(for students interested in signing up who have not received an assignment)</i>	Courtesy Corps Table next to Lower Level Registration Desk
12:30 PM	1:00 PM Test Proctors for Michigan Ballroom Check-In & Orientation	Michigan Ballroom A-B
12:30-1:45 PM	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
12:30 PM	Biomedical Debate Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
12:45 PM	HOSA Bowl Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
1:00 PM	Creative Problem Solving Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
1:00 PM	CERT Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom E, F, G
1:00 PM	Extemporaneous Writing- Health Policy	Tower C
1:00 PM	Family Medicine Physician <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom H, Executive Boardroom
1:00 PM	Health Education <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom C-D
1:00 PM	Job Seeking & Interviewing Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor interview time. All competitors check-in at Peninsula A.</i>	Peninsula A

1:00 PM	Medical Spelling Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
1:00 PM	Pharmacy Science Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Peninsula B, Peninsula C
1:00 PM	Prepared Speaking & Speaking Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Mackinac A, B, C
1:00 PM	Public Health <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Tower A, Tower B
1:00 PM	Surgical Technologist Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time. All competitors check in on 17th Floor.</i>	Club Room 17th Floor
1:15 PM	Forensic Science Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
1:15 PM	Parliamentary Procedure Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
1:30 PM	Behavioral Health	Michigan Ballroom A-B
1:45 PM	Healthcare Administration	Michigan Ballroom A-B
1:45 PM	Biomedical Equipment Technician	Michigan Ballroom A-B
1:00-6:00 PM	Blood Drive	Versiti Bus in Parking Lot
1:30 PM	All Event Managers for 3:00 Events Check-In	Council Room
1:30-2:00 PM	All Section Leaders & Judges for 3:00 PM Events Check-In All event personnel orientation 2:00-2:15 PM	Council Room
2:00-3:00	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
2:00 PM	Clinical Nursing Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Event Off-Site at Northwestern Michigan College- Health & Science Building, Nursing Lab. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table in MANITOU at the resort.
2:00 PM	Health Informatics	Michigan Ballroom A-B
2:00 PM	Home Health Aide Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time.</i>	Parking Lot. All competitors check-in with event personnel in hotel lobby. Look for Home Health Aide sign!
2:15 PM	Dental Science Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
3:00 PM	Life Support Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time. All competitors check in at Northwoods.</i>	Northwoods
3:00 PM	MRC Partnership <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time. All competitors check in at Tower C.</i>	Tower C
2:30 PM	EMT Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
2:45 PM	Epidemiology	Michigan Ballroom A-B
2:45 PM	Clinical Laboratory Science Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
3:00 PM	Researched Persuasive Writing & Speaking <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Mackinac A, B, C
3:00 PM	Physical Therapy Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
3:15 PM	Nutrition	Michigan Ballroom A-B
2:00-8:00 PM	HOSA Merchandise for Sale	Lower Level Registration Desk
2:30 PM	All Event Managers for 4:00 Events Check-In	Council Room
2:30-3:00 PM	All Section Leaders & Judges for 4:00 PM Events Check-In All event personnel orientation 3:00-3:15 PM	Council Room
4:00-4:30 PM	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
4:00 PM	CPR/First Aid Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time. All competitors check in at Michigan Ballroom C-D.</i>	Michigan Ballroom C-D
4:00 PM	Mental Health Promotion <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom E, F, G

4:00 PM	Nursing Assisting Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Event Off-Site at Northwestern Michigan College- Health & Science Building, Nursing Lab. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table in MANITOU at the resort.
4:30 PM	Forensic Science Case Study <i>See appointment times for competitors. All teams will check-in at Peninsula A.</i>	Peninsula A; Written Analysis in Tower C, Mackinac A
4:30 PM	Occupational Therapy Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time. All competitors check in on 17th Floor.</i>	Club Room 17th Floor
4:30 PM	Respiratory Therapy Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom H, Executive Boardroom
3:00-5:00 PM	Voting Delegate Session <i>(State officer candidates will share their candidacy speeches. Three Voting Delegates from each school must attend. Everyone is welcome to attend and listen.)</i>	Governors' Hall
3:30 PM	All Event Managers for 5:00 Events Check-In	Council Room
3:30-4:00 PM	All Section Leaders & Judges for 5:00 PM Events Check-In All event personnel orientation 4:00-4:15 PM	Council Room
4:30 PM	5:00 PM Test Proctors for Michigan Ballroom Check-In & Orientation	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:00 PM & Beyond Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)		
5:00 PM	Dental Terminology	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:00 PM	Medical Spelling Round 2 Spelldown	Manitou
5:00 PM	Sports Medicine Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Tower A, Tower B
5:15 PM	Biotechnology Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:15 PM	Medical Reading	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:30 PM	Community Awareness <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Peninsula B, Peninsula C, Mackinac B
5:30 PM	Healthy Living Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:45 PM	Phlebotomy Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
6:00 PM	Medical Assisting Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
6:15 PM	Patient Care Technician Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
6:30 PM	Health Career Photography <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Michigan Ballroom E, F, G
6:30 PM	Pharmacology	Michigan Ballroom A-B
6:45 PM	Veterinary Science Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
7:00 PM	Medical Terminology	Michigan Ballroom A-B
5:00 PM	Symposium- Behind the Diagnosis: Life-Saving Cases from the Medical Laboratory <i>Follow the clues, solve the case, and discover a healthcare career you may not have considered. This session uses two real medical laboratory cases to show how diagnostic testing leads to life-saving answers. Students will learn how different laboratory professionals contribute to patient care and explore paths in medical laboratory science and pathology.</i>	Mackinac C
8:00 PM	Early Bird Friday Event Personnel Orientation <i>(for event managers, section leaders and judges with an 8:00 AM event Friday, only)</i>	Council Room
9:00 PM	HOSA Opening Session <i>Awards will be announced for the following events: Behavioral Health, Biomedical Equipment Technician, Dental Terminology, Epidemiology, Family Medicine Physician, Healthcare Administration, Health Education, Health Informatics, Interviewing Skills, Job Seeking Skills, Life Support Skills, Medical Reading, Medical Spelling, Mental Health Promotion, MRC Partnership, Nutrition, Prepared Speaking, Public Health, Researched Persuasive Writing & Speaking, Speaking Skills</i>	Governors' Hall (assigned seating!)



Livestream QR Code & Link: <https://youtube.com/live/pBrqOHbdV2U?feature=share>

Via the Band App: <https://band.us/@mihosa2026slc>

10:00 PM Competitive Event Skills Posted for Friday Events

11:00 PM Curfew


2026 Michigan HOSA State Leadership Conference General Schedule

Friday, April 17, 2026

6:30 AM	Event Managers for 8:00 AM Events Check-in	Council Room
6:30-7:00 AM	Section Leaders & Judges for 8:00 AM Events Check-in <i>All event personnel orientation 7:00-7:15 AM</i>	Council Room
7:30 AM	Event Managers for 9:00 AM Events Check-in	Council Room
7:30-8:00 AM	Section Leaders & Judges for 9:00 AM Events Check-in <i>All event personnel orientation 8:00-8:15 AM</i>	Council Room
8:00 AM-12:00 PM	Anatontage Tournament Prelims	Governors' Pre-function
8:15 AM	Friday Governors' Testing Proctor Check-In & Orientation	Governors' Pre-function
8:15 AM	9:00 AM Test Proctors for Michigan Ballroom Check-In & Orientation	Michigan Ballroom A-B
8:00 AM	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
8:00 AM	Biomedical Debate Round Two <i>See bracket online for appointment times and check-in room.</i>	Mackinac B, Mackinac C
8:00 AM	Clinical Specialty <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Peninsula A, B, C
8:00 AM	Creative Problem Solving Round Two <i>See appointment times for competitor time and check-in room.</i>	Prep rooms: MI Ballroom G, H & Manitou Present rooms: MI Ballroom E, F, Northwoods
8:00 AM	HOSA Bowl Round Two <i>See bracket online for appointment times. All teams will check-in on the 17th floor.</i>	Club Room 17th Floor
8:00 AM	Physical Therapy Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Tower A, Tower B
8:00 AM	Research Poster <i>All competitors set up posters at 8:00 AM. See appt times for presentation time. ALL COMPETITORS TAKE THEIR POSTER WITH THEM AFTER THEIR PRESENTATION.</i>	Michigan Ballroom C-D
8:30 AM	Event Managers for 10:00 AM Events Check-In	Council Room
8:30-9:00 AM	Section Leaders & Judges for 10:00 AM Events Check-in <i>All event personnel orientation 9:00-9:15 AM</i>	Council Room
9:00 AM- 2:30 PM	Blood Drive	Versiti Bus in Parking Lot
9:00-9:45 AM	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
9:00 AM	Biotechnology Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Health & Science Building. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table outside Council & Director's room in the resort.
9:00 AM	CERT Skills Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
9:00 AM	Dental Science Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Health & Science Building. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table outside Council & Director's room in the resort.
9:00 AM	Healthy Living Presentations <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	Tower C, Mackinac A
9:00 AM	Medical Math	Michigan Ballroom A-B

9:00 AM	Occupational Therapy Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
9:00 AM	Patient Care Technician Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Health & Science Building. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table outside Council & Director's room in the resort.
9:15 AM	Clinical Nursing Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
9:15 AM	CPR/First Aid Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
9:30 AM	Nursing Assisting Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
9:30 AM	Respiratory Therapy Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
9:30 AM	Sports Medicine Test	Governors' E-F; Check-in Governors' Pre-function
9:30 AM	World Health & Disparities in Healthcare	Michigan Ballroom A-B
9:45 AM	Home Health Aide Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
9:45 AM	Surgical Technologist Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
10:00 AM- 5:00 PM	HOSA Merchandise for Sale	Lower Level Registration Desk
9:30 AM	Event Managers for 11:00/11:30 AM Events Check-in	Council Room
9:30-10:00 AM	Section Leaders & Judges for 11:00/11:30 AM Events Check-in <i>All event personnel orientation 10:00-10:15 AM</i>	Council Room
10:00-10:45 AM	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
10:00 AM	EMT Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time.</i>	Ambulances in Parking Lot. All competitors check-in at the Executive Boardroom in the resort.
	<i>Special thanks to Mobile Medical Response who service the Grand Traverse and Antrim counties for providing the ambulances and supporting this event!</i>	
10:00 AM	Health Career Display	Michigan Ballroom C-D
	<i>All competitors set up displays at 10:00 AM. See apt times for presentation time. ALL COMPETITORS TAKE THEIR MATERIALS WITH THEM AFTER THEIR PRESENTATION.</i>	
10:00 AM	Pathophysiology	Michigan Ballroom A-B
10:15 AM	Pharmacy Science Test	Michigan Ballroom A-B
10:30 AM	Human Growth & Development	Michigan Ballroom A-B
10:45 AM	Medical Law & Ethics	Michigan Ballroom A-B
10:30 AM	Event Managers for 12:00/12:15 PM Events Check-in	Council Room
10:30-11:00 AM	Section Leaders & Judges for 12:00/12:15 PM Events Check-in <i>All event personnel orientation 11:00-11:15 AM</i>	Council Room
11:00 AM- 7:00 PM	FOOD TRUCK- Pigs Eatin' Ribs	GTR Parking Lot
	MSU Impart Alliance Mobile Training Unit- Direct Care Quest Challenge! <i>Visit the 45.5 ft long mobile training unit where they have an escape room activity for participants! See Band App for more details.</i>	
11:00 AM- 3:00 PM		GTR Parking Lot
11:30 AM- 12:20 AM	Election Session <i>Voting delegates will cast their vote for next year's Michigan HOSA State Officer team. State Officer candidates must attend.</i>	Governors' Hall
1:00 PM	Anatontage Tournament Top 4 & Finals	Governors' Pre-function
11:00 AM & Beyond	Various Competitive Events Begin (see below)	
11:00 AM	Personal Care <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Tower C, Mackinac A
11:00 AM	Phlebotomy Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Health & Science Building. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table outside Council & Director's room in the resort.
11:30 AM	Veterinary Science Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Peninsula A, B, C
12:00 PM	Medical Assisting Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor skill time and check-in room.</i>	Tower A & Tower B
12:00 PM	Parliamentary Procedure <i>See appointment times for competitor time and check-in room.</i>	Prep rooms: MI Ballroom G, H Present rooms: Michigan Ballroom E, F
12:15 PM	Medical Innovation	Michigan Ballroom C-D

All competitors set up displays at 12:15 PM. See appt times for presentation time. ALL COMPETITORS TAKE THEIR MATERIALS WITH THEM AFTER THEIR PRESENTATION.

12:30 PM	Clinical Laboratory Science Skills <i>See appointment times for competitor bus time. Transportation provided.</i>	Health & Science Building. All competitors check-in at the CE Off-Site Bus Check-in table outside Council & Director's room in the resort.
1:30 PM	Event Manager for Public Service Announcement Check-in	Council Room
1:30-2:00 PM	Section Leaders & Judges for PSA Check-in	Council Room
All event personnel orientation 2:00-2:15 PM		
3:00 PM	Public Service Announcement <i>See appointment times for competitor presentation time and check-in room.</i>	MI Ballroom E, F, G, H
8:30 PM	Officer Installation & Awards Ceremony	Governors' Hall (assigned seating!)
	 Livestream QR Code & Link: https://youtube.com/live/2lWeVCpuLqc?feature=share	
10:15 PM	HOSA Headquarters Open to pick up any remaining materials, lost & found, etc.	Directors
10:15 PM	HOSA Dance	Governors' Hall
11:30 PM	Curfew	
Saturday, April 18, 2026		
8:00 AM	Pick up remaining boards, binders, lost & found, etc.	Director's Room
11:00 AM	Hotel Check-Out	