

Michigan HOSA

Middle School Division Information



Please see information below regarding Middle School membership, competitive events and conferences:

1. ALL chapters (middle school, secondary and post-secondary) MUST complete the [HOSA Chapter Memorandum of Understanding \(MOU\)](#) in order to access the [HOSA Conference Management System \(CMS\)](#). The MOU must be signed by the HOSA advisor and school administration. Once we receive the completed MOU, chapters will be granted access to the CMS where they can affiliate members and register for conferences.
2. Middle School members compete at the annual [Middle School State Leadership Conference](#), a conference only for middle school members. The top competitors from each event will be given the chance to represent Michigan HOSA at the International Leadership Conference in June. Middle school members do not compete at the regional level.
3. In Michigan, all middle school competitive events will be offered at the middle school conference. Events include:

Dynamic Decisions	Extemporaneous Health Poster	Exploring Medical Innovation
First Step Career Skills	Foundations of Healthy Living	Foundations of HOSA Bowl
Foundations of Medical Reading	Foundations of Medical Terminology	Foundations of Medical Math (formerly Math for Health Careers)
Foundations of Nutrition	Foundations of Pharmacy Science (NEW)	Foundations of Respiratory Therapy (NEW)
Foundations of Veterinary Science	Health Career Exploration	Health Career Preparation
Life Threatening Situations	Health Career Display	Health Education
Prepared Speaking	Speaking Skills **for students with IEP only	Public Health
**Middle School members will NOT be recognized for any Recognition Events at the Middle School SLC. They can participate in applicable Recognition events at ILC if they choose. **ATC tests are NOT offered to Middle School members at any level.		

4. Events with a digital upload requirement, students will need to upload materials to the [HOSA Digital Upload System](#) by the published deadline. Failure to upload the submission properly or failure to upload at all will result in a zero score for that portion of the event. Competitors can still attend the conference and compete in the in-person portion of that event if they choose.
5. Events that require skill assessment, Michigan HOSA will NOT disclose which skill(s) will be evaluated prior to the conference. Competitors need to be prepared to perform any of the skills listed in the guidelines. In most events, two skills will be assessed.

6. Events that have a Round One and Round Two component- all competitors/teams will advance to Round Two. No Round One components will be used as a qualifier. The Round One scores will be added to Round Two for a final rank.
7. Per Michigan HOSA policy, it is each chapter's responsibility to pay all invoices, in full, prior to the HOSA conference they are attending, including affiliation dues. Members will NOT be allowed to participate if payment has not been received. For payment questions, please contact Sam at samantha.pohl@mhc.org.