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UHSP Student Pharmacy Group to Host Health Clinic at the STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School

Students, faculty and staff from the STEAM academy and McCluer High School will attend the event, which is being held in conjunction with American Pharmacists Month

WHO: Student pharmacists from St. Louis College of Pharmacy at University of Health Sciences and Pharmacy in St. Louis (UHSP), and students, faculty and staff from the STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School and McCluer High School

WHAT: Health clinic for students, faculty and staff from the STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School and McCluer High School

WHEN: Saturday, Oct. 15 from 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (Media opportunities from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

WHERE: STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School 201 Brotherton Ln., Ferguson, MO 63135

SIGNIFICANCE: In celebration of American Pharmacists Month, student pharmacists from UHSP will host a free health clinic on Oct. 15 at the STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School. Students, faculty and staff from the STEAM Academy and McCluer High School will have access to free onsite flu shots and blood pressure and blood glucose screenings, as well as complimentary medication disposal kits and free medication list reviews.

Each October, American Pharmacists Month is held to recognize the contributions of pharmacists and the vital role they play on health care teams, and as providers of patient care services. In the spirit of American Pharmacists Month, the upcoming health clinic will provide a free service to members of the STEAM Academy at McCluer South-Berkeley High School and McCluer High School communities, while also giving student pharmacists from UHSP the opportunity to showcase their skills and training.

Editor's note: Media are encouraged to attend the health fair from **11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** to capture B-roll of the clinic and interview student pharmacist and clinic organizer, Jasmine Kolawole. Media that are planning to attend should contact Shelene Treptow to make arrangements. She can be reached at 618-420-9170 or via email at **shelene.treptow@uhsp.edu**.

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