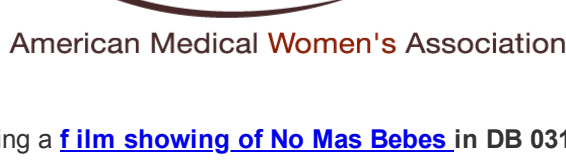


On Campus Highlights

- UP's Chapter of the American Medical Womens Association will be holding its first meeting **Thursday 9.19.19 at 7:30pm in DB 136** - all are welcome!
- **Thursday 9.19.19** several UP groups will be hosting a **film showing of No Mas Bebés** in DB 031 at 7pm as part of **Latinx Heritage Month**



American Medical Women's Association

Are you Taking an Entrance Exam This Year?!

MCAT? DAT? GRE? PCAT? OAT?

If you are taking any entrance exam in the next year please [email Becca](#) and let her know the date you register for and the test you are taking so we can add you to the Pre-Health Testing Calendar! We want to cheer you on as you study and help you find other people who are working towards the same goals to connect with this year. We also want to celebrate with you when you're done - and we don't know when you're taking these tests unless you let us know!

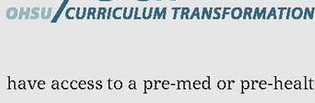
Off Campus Highlights

- **George Fox University** is hosting a **Faith + Medicine event** on September 26th at 7pm featuring speaker **Ray Barfield**
- **Thursday September 19th from 11am - 2pm** in the UP Commons there will be a representative from the **Peace Corps** available to answer your questions about this program
- The **OHSU Foundation's annual fall lecture** (the Tanabe Address) will be on November 12 at 7pm and will feature **Oncologist and Author Ezekiel Emanuel** - [see more here!](#)
- **UC Davis is hosting their 17th annual Pre-Health Conference** on Saturday October 19th, 2019. Undergraduate Pre-Health Students are welcome!
- Mentor Teens through **Health Education at MIKE Program** Expires 12.19.19
- Patient Companion Intern Position at **Brighton Hospice**
- Bereavement Support Volunteer Opportunity at **Brighton Hospice** Expires 6.6.20



SCHOOL OF MEDICINE M.D. PROGRAM

So you want to be a physician?



Are you thinking of applying to the M.D. program at Oregon Health & Science University? Have you already graduated from college and no longer have access to a pre-med or pre-health advisor? The OHSU School of Medicine is here to help! Medical education at OHSU puts students at the forefront of health care knowledge. The M.D. program is highly competitive and prepares students to be leaders in a changing health care system.

Register here OR on OHSU's MD Program Outreach Events site

NOTE: Preference will be given to first-time registrants.

Information Day
Friday, Oct. 4, 1-5 p.m., Robertson Life Sciences Building, room 3A002

Registration preference will be given to the first 150 first-time registrants. Guided tours of the campus will also be provided for those who are interested (details upon registration).

Due to the popularity of this program and limited capacity:

- Preference will be given to first-time attendees.
- If you need to cancel a registration, please email Vanessa Valdez, valdezv@ohsu.edu, ASAP so a spot on the waiting list can be released. Vanessa can also take names for the waiting list if registration is full.
- Going forward, anyone who registers but does not attend without prior notice will not be allowed to register for subsequent open house events that calendar year.

Location: The RLSB is at 2730 S.W. Moody Avenue, Portland, OR 97201. For detailed directions, please go to www.ohsu.edu/map and search "RLSB."

Attend to learn about:

The admissions process, how to apply and what the Admissions Committee looks for in an application

Our integrative, learner-centered curriculum, **YOUR M.D.**

How the OHSU Center for Diversity and Inclusion supports students once on campus

Financial planning

The real-world experience at OHSU, from a panel of current medical students

Our state-of-the-art Robertson Life Sciences Building



WesternU COMP-Northwest & OPSO

present

Medical School Preview Day

an osteopathic awareness event



9:30am-1:00pm: Saturday, October 12th, 2019
at WesternU COMP-Northwest (Lecture Hall 2 & building tour)
200 Mullins Drive, Lebanon, OR 97355

Who: Pre-med students and pre-med advisors who would like to learn more about osteopathic medical school, admissions and more. (other guests welcome)

What: Tour through COMP-Northwest. Free lunch. Medical student and faculty presentations on osteopathic medicine, admissions, med school life, curriculum and more.

Register at www.opso.org or click on this flyer to follow a hyperlink.



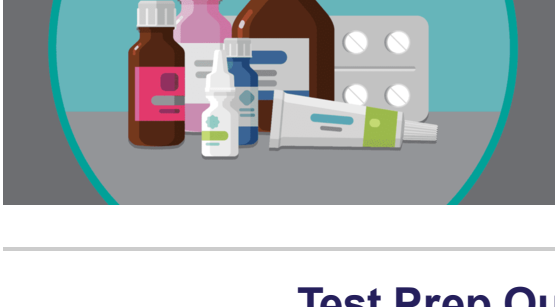
Questions? Email: Luke Rauch at lrauch@westernu.edu



The Osteopathic Awareness Events, generally held on the second Tuesday of each month at COMP-Northwest in Lebanon and the following Thursday at OPSO in Portland, is sponsored by the WesternU COMP-Northwest and the Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons of Oregon. It is designed to assist students interested in pursuing a career in medicine, or for those wanting to learn more about osteopathic medicine.

Alumni Spotlight

Joe O'Sullivan graduated from UP in 2014 with a degree in Biology and an interest in entering healthcare in some capacity. He spent the year after graduation exploring different medical fields to "really figure out" what he wanted to do & managed to get a taste of different fields by volunteering as a veterinary surgical assistant, physical therapy aid, and EMT. Joe eventually found a position as a research assistant in the OHSU Department of Orthopaedics, found a few great mentors, and confirmed that medicine was the right fit. Joe has been back to UP to chat with our pre-health students on several occasions and has been a great and willing mentor for current students. We thank Joe, congratulate Joe and wish him all the best! [Click here to hear more from Joe](#)



Today in the Know

Check out this week's article about how counterfeit pharmaceuticals are affecting immigrant communities with little access to healthcare. [Click here!](#)

Test Prep Question of the Day

This week's test prep question comes from the MCAT:

Increases in which of the following hormones causes sleepiness?

- A. Cortisol
- B. Growth hormone
- C. Melatonin
- D. Oxytocin

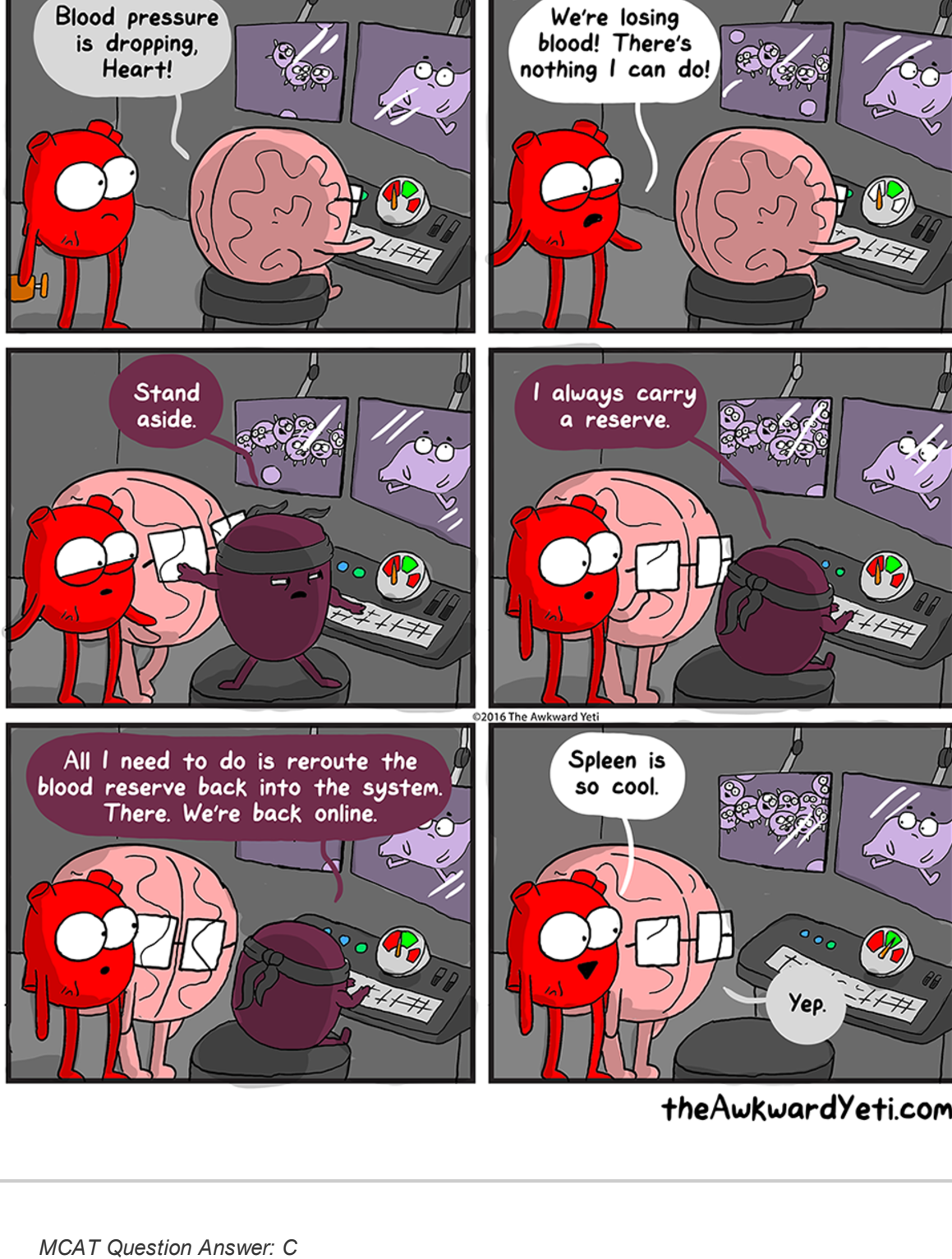
Answer is at the very bottom of the Newsletter!

Questions? Concerns? Need an Advising Appointment? Contact Us!

Becca Henley, Academic Program Counselor CAS, Pre-Health Advisor

Dr. Kyle Flann, Biology Faculty, Pre-Health Advisor

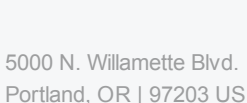
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MCAT Question Answer: C

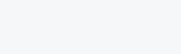
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