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Farmington High School hosted HOSA Leadership Conference where FPS students excelled

Farmington, MI – On January 28, 2023, Farmington High School (FHS) hosted the Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA) Future Health Professionals Region 8 Leadership Conference where almost 800 students across Oakland County competed in more than 50 events.

FHS had 67 competitors in the conference. Seventy-eight percent placed in the top eight to secure their place representing FHS at the State Leadership Conference that will be held in March. Of those 52 finalists, 26 of them placed in the top three earning them gold, silver, and bronze medals.

Farmington High School Top 8 Results

Iswaryya Manda, 1st place, Clinical Specialty

Vivek Chava, Samarth Punjala, Surya Pugazhendhi, and Anirudh Bommanaveni, 1st place, Medical Innovation

Amrita Renduchintala, 1st place, Nutrition

Preya Patel, Prachi Tilwankar, 1st place, Medical Reserve Corps Partnership

Samiha Punjala, Saanvi Khare, and Yeshaswini Ravula, 1st place, Mental Health Promotion

Ashley Katushabae, 1st place, Researched Persuasive Writing & Speaking

Mariam Safirta, Amatullah Poonawala, Srihitha Nimmagadda, 2nd place, Biomedical Debate

Nandini Anche, 2nd place, Cultural Diversities & Disparities in Healthcare

Shivani Salwi, 2nd place, Medical Law & Ethics

Heavyn Craft, 2nd place, Prepared Speaking

Nuha Maryam Abdul Malik, Sahasra Potla, and Nitya Sankar, 3rd place, Health Education

Zainab Ahmed, 3rd place, Prepared Speaking

Grisham Halapeti, Tyler Keys, Avnee Jain, and Sumayya Yazdani, 3rd place, Public Service Announcement

Jivajraj Alagusundaram, Nadim Nabulsi, Savio Joseph, and Robert Poisson, 4th place, HOSA Bowl

Nethrasi Anburaj, Divya Ramisetty, Sai Hasini Bhogi, and Charmi Yakkanti, 5th place HOSA Bowl



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Rayyan Ahmed, 4th place, Medical Math
Sanjit Gaddam, 4th place, Pharmacology
Laila Pruitt, 4th place, Behavioral Health
Syed Tanzeel Ahsan, 4th place, Pathophysiology
Yatin Bichala, 5th place, Nutrition
Abdullah Nizar, 5th place, Sports Medicine
Vedika Mistry, 5th place, Biotechnology
Sruthika Ganesh, 6th place, Behavioral Health
Pranav Tammineedi, Muaaz Khan, Abigail Dafinescu, and Sohan Pinnamaraju, 7th place, Biomedical Debate
Mahnauj Kazi, and Saanvi Gorumuchu, 7th place, Health Education
Nityasri Kasula, 7th place, Veterinary Science
Alexandria Nowak, Jessalee O'Connor, and Sarah Weber, 8th place, Public Service Announcement

North Farmington High School Top 8 Results

Shamon Gajraj, 1st place, Medical reading
Jonathan Manela, 4th place, Medical Reading
Angelina Sun, 6th place, Pharmacology
Tejaswini Sivalokanathan, 1st place, Biotechnology
Louai Bandr, 2nd place, Biotechnology
Sybella Yaldo and Suraj Sharma, 8th place, CPR/First Aid
Elena Alonzo, 4th place, Prepared Speaking
Mehar Khanna, 4th place, Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking
Dylan Dinkins, Jonathan Prog, and Jack Poirier, 4th place, Creative problem Solving
Aashnaa Singh and Alpana Rajagupal, 6th place, Forensic Science
Jayna Shah and Shobhna Sahoo, 2nd place, Health Career Display

Farmington Public Schools (FPS) middle school students also competed in the competition.

Farmington STEAM Academy Top 8 Results

Adithya Krishnamoorthy, 1st place, Foundation of Medical Reading
Harshitha Arvapalli, 1st place, Health Career Exploration
Riya Chava, 1st place, Foundations of Medical Terminology
Aurel Chatterjee, 1st place, Foundations of Nutrition
Richa Chava, 1st place, Math for Health Careers



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Reekhav Shah, 1st place, Life-Threatening Situations
Eva Mehta and Aanya Mehta, 1st place, Health Career Display
Mariam Dukhan, 2nd place, Foundation of Medical Reading
Niharika Prabhu, 2nd place, Foundations of Medical Terminology
Noman Sajjad, 2nd place, Health Career Exploration
Dev Dani, 2nd place, Prepared Speaking
Navyaa Murugan, 3rd place, Foundation of Medical Reading
Nisha Immadisetty, 3rd place, Foundations of Nutrition
Ananya Sankar, 3rd place, Health Career Exploration
Lauren Borsien, 3rd place, Life-Threatening Situations
Ohm Mehta, 3rd place, Prepared Speaking
Udit Talapaneni, 4th place, Foundations of Nutrition
Umar Ahmed, 6th place, Foundations of Nutrition

Warner Middle School Top 8 Results

Sebastian Ibrahim, 1st place, Healthy Lifestyles
Zoe Boyd, 1st place, Prepared Speaking
Parnika Guggilla, 5th place, Foundations of Nutrition
Charlotte Shields, 2nd place, Life-Threatening Situations

Power Middle School Top 8 Results

Shipra Valli Putrevu, 2nd place, Foundations of Nutrition

Congratulations to all the HOSA participants!

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