

I am Kiara Langford, a medical student at UAB Heersink School of Medicine (UABHSOM) and president of Student National Medical Association (SNMA). We, SNMA, are excited to introduce you to an incredible opportunity for your students who are interested in pursuing careers in healthcare. The Integrative Healthcare Summit (IHS), organized by SNMA Birmingham Chapter, promises to be an inspiring and educational experience for aspiring healthcare professionals.

About SNMA: The Student National Medical Association is a distinguished organization dedicated to supporting underrepresented minority medical students, advocating for health equity, and fostering the next generation of healthcare leaders. Our chapter is based out of Birmingham, specifically UABHSOM! Our commitment to diversity and inclusion is at the heart of everything we do. You can see more of what we do on Instagram and Facebook: @snmabham!

About IHS: The Integrative Healthcare Summit is a dynamic and transformative event designed to provide underrepresented high school and college students with valuable insights into diverse healthcare careers such as Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Optometry, Pharmacy, Physical and Occupational Therapies, Physician Associates, etc. Our summit brings together aspiring healthcare professionals, accomplished practitioners, educators, and thought leaders to create an environment of learning, mentorship, and inspiration. This will be held on Saturday, February 7, 2026, from 9:00am-4:30pm.

How We Can Help Your Students: We believe that every student with an interest in healthcare should have access to information, mentorship, and opportunities to explore their passions. The Integrative Healthcare Summit aims to do just that through:

Insightful Workshops: The summit features engaging workshops and sessions led by healthcare professionals who are eager to share their experiences and insights.

Mentorship Opportunities: Your students will have the chance to connect with accomplished healthcare practitioners, educators, and mentors who can provide guidance on their academic and career paths.

Networking: The summit provides an environment for networking and forming connections with like-minded peers and mentors.

Spread the Word: We would like to invite you to help us spread the word about this invaluable opportunity to your students. Your support in sharing information about the Integrative Healthcare Summit with your students would be greatly appreciated. If you believe that site visits to the summit are possible and would enhance your students' experience, we are more than willing to discuss logistics. Attached to this email is the flyer for IHS. Feel free to share with students, community members, and others you think might be interested.

Interested students can register using this link: www.snmabham.com. We encourage you to take this opportunity to secure your spot and make the most of this transformative experience.