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Studentsofmedicine.com opens its interactive premed course to individual students

Bronx, NY –September 25, 2008 – Non-profit organization, Studentsofmedicine.com is pleased to offer its highly successful online premed program to individual high school students starting in September. This announcement comes just months after the completion of their first premed course held at the High School for Medical Science in the Bronx, NY.

Although more classes are being organized in schools across the country, Studentsofmedicine.com desires to reach individual students interested in becoming doctors who may not attend one of these participating schools. Students enrolled in the course, will have the unique opportunity to learn about medicine and the medical school admissions process with an emphasis placed on preparation. In addition to being useful for premed students, this program has been found extremely useful for pre-dental, pre-nursing, and pre-veterinary medicine students!

The program consists of three online courses; the premed course, the Diabetes & community project course, and the SAT & college preparation course. The premed course, was designed to not only provide premed students with guidance on the medical school admissions process, but through innovative and fun online learning activities, students learn about medicine, and how to diagnose and treat very common diseases. One of these fun learning activities is the Virtual ER, and according to one student, “The virtual ER component of the course was very exciting because it made me the doctor and I had fun helping and diagnosing the patients.” The virtual ER is also a component of the Diabetes community project course. This course applies text book knowledge to the real world by asking students to write a proposal to prevent diabetes within their community. The students will learn about Diabetes, and gain a sense of community accountability and Studentsofmedicine.com will fund one grant proposal per class. The final course in the program will help students prepare for their SAT's and applying to college through resources developed in partnership with the Princeton Review, a leader in test preparation.

To bridge the gap from high school to medical school, students in the program are given a guidebook, “Getting Into Today’s Highly Competitive U.S. Medical Schools”, written by Andres Jimenez, M.D. founder of Studentsofmedicine.com. The premed program is an extension of the popular website, studentsofmedicine.com that provides premed students access to many resources, and access to medical professionals to attain guidance for their journey. Dr. Jimenez aspires to provide opportunity to kids by sparking an interest in medicine and providing guidance to prepare students for medical school. According to Dr. Jimenez, “My goal is to help students realize their dreams of becoming doctors.”

To find more information on Studentsofmedicine.com and their premed course for high school students, please visit www.studentsofmedicine.com.

Studentsofmedicine.com is a non-profit 501 (c) (3) organization, headquartered in Los Angeles, California with seven years of excellence. Our goal is to place into reach, professional careers for the youth of America through the use of innovative online learning tools. We are registered with National Institute of Health (NIH), Grants.gov, and the New York Academy of Science-Scientists Without BordersSM program.

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