

# COMPETITIVE EVENTS UPDATE 2016-2017



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Event	Update
<b>HEALTH SCIENCE AND RECOGNITION EVENTS</b>	
<b>Behavioral Health</b>	Additional resources added: National Alliance on Mental Illness. It can be found at the following link: <a href="http://www.nami.org">www.nami.org</a> and CVS Prescription Drug Abuse found at the following link: <a href="http://cvshealth.com/thought-leadership/prescription-drug-abuse">http://cvshealth.com/thought-leadership/prescription-drug-abuse</a>
<b>Dental Terminology</b>	Test plan changed to reflect better alignment with resources.
<b>Medical Reading (SS &amp; PS/C)</b>	<i>Wonder</i> – Raquel Palacio <i>Dr. Mutter’s Marvel</i> – Cristin O’Keefe Aptowicz <i>Extreme Medicine</i> – Dr. Kevin Fong <i>The Man Who Touched His Own Heart</i> - Rob Dunn <i>The Secret: What Great Leaders Know &amp; Do</i> – Ken Blanchard & Mark Miller
<b>Medical Reading (Middle School)</b>	<i>Gifted Hands</i> – Dr. Ben Carson <i>The Pact</i> – Sampson Davis, George Jenkins & Rameck Hunt <i>The First Woman Doctor</i> – Rachel Baker
<b>Transcultural Health</b>	Test plan changed to reflect better alignment with resources.
<b>HOSA Marketing Challenge</b>	Event Retired.
<b>Health Care Issues Exam</b>	New websites added and time frame for test questions have been changed. State Test: July 1 – Nov 30 <sup>th</sup> and ILC Testing: Dec 1 – April 30 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Medical Spelling</b>	Mosby text has been removed; other resources remain the same.
<b>Medical Math</b>	Updates to the conversion charts have been made.
<b>HEALTH PROFESSIONS EVENTS</b>	
<b>Veterinary Science</b>	The parasite identification skill has been removed; and additional skill for restraint of a feline has been added.
<b>Nursing Assisting</b>	Addition of Discharge of Patient skill; test plan changed to better reflect alignment with resources.
<b>Personal Care</b>	Skill added - Discharge of Patient.
<b>EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EVENTS</b>	
<b>CERT</b>	Test plan changed to reflect better alignment with resources.
<b>CPR/First Aid</b>	New AHA guidelines will be reflected in the guidelines.
<b>EMT</b>	Beebe & Funk text has been deleted and replaced by Emergency Care & Transportation of the Sick and Injured.
<b>Epidemiology</b>	Web site has been added as a resource: <a href="http://www.phe.gov/preparedness/pages/default.aspx">http://www.phe.gov/preparedness/pages/default.aspx</a>
<b>Life Support Skills</b>	Infant CPR has been added as a skill. New AHA guidelines will be reflected in the guidelines.
<b>Public Health</b>	2016 -2017 Topic:  <i>Combating Zika and Future Threats- What is the best way to detect and respond to this emerging disease?</i>

<b>LEADERSHIP EVENTS</b>	
<b>Researched Persuasive Speaking</b>	<p><b>Name change:</b> <b>Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking</b></p> <p>2016-2017 Topics:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Prescription Painkiller Abuse: Who's at Fault?</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Smartphone Addiction: A Problem or a Sign of the Times</i></p>
<b>Prepared Speaking and Speaking Skills</b>	<p>2016-2017 Topic:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>Leadership – Service – Engagement</i></b></p>
<b>Medical Photography</b>	<b>Name change:</b> <b>Health Career Photography</b>
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	
<b>Medical Innovation</b>	<p>This event has been changed to two tracks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Medical Innovation - Original</li> <li>-Medical Innovation – Advancement</li> </ul> <p>Both tracks will be recognized with finalists and medals in each of the two tracks.</p>
<b>Forensic Medicine</b>	Test plan changed to reflect better alignment with resources.
<b>Biomedical Debate</b>	<p>2016-2017 Topic:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>America has the best health care system in the world.</i></b></p>
<b>Public Service Announcement</b>	<p>2016-2017 Topic:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>My Preparedness Story: Staying Healthy and Resilient!</i></b></p>
<b>GENERAL CE UPDATES</b>	
<b>APA Formatting</b>	APA formatting will be used throughout the guidelines, when events have an applicable component.
<b>STEM Premier</b>	Look for incorporation of STEM Premier in the following events: Job Seeking Skills, Interviewing Skills, Researched Persuasive Writing & Speaking, Clinical Specialty, Health Career Photography, Public Service Announcement and more!
<b>Round One Rating Sheets</b>	Preliminary 1-4 scoring will be replaced by Round One Rating Sheets in the following events: Health Career Display, Public Service Announcement, Research Persuasive Writing & Speaking and Health Career Photography.
<b>Middle School Division</b>	<p>The following additional events will be open to Middle School competitors at ILC 2017. These are in addition to 12 events offered last year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health Career Exploration</li> <li>• Medical Reading</li> <li>• Medical Terminology</li> <li>• Nutrition</li> </ul>
<b>Display Time</b>	Project Display Time is now a required component of the following events: Health Career Photography, Health Career Display, and Medical Innovation.