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Health Careers Day Teaches Local High School Students about Potential Future Professions

Collaboration between event sponsor South Jersey Solutions, Saint Joseph's University's School of Health Professions, and Camden High School

WHAT:

In partnership with <u>Saint Joseph's University's School of Health Professions</u>, <u>South Jersey Solutions</u> is excited to announce the collaborative effort to host a Health Careers Day at <u>Camden High School</u> on Monday, October 16. This event is designed to provide high school students in grades 9-12 with a unique opportunity to explore various health professions, including occupational therapy, physical therapy, physician assistant, pharmacy, health sciences, and exercise physiology.

The primary objective of Health Careers Day is to raise awareness of the multitude of rewarding careers available in healthcare. By introducing students to healthcare professions, we aim to inspire the next generation of diverse healthcare professionals who will positively impact our shared community's health and well-being. This event especially focuses on reaching underrepresented populations and contributing to diversity within these professions.

With a commitment to fostering inclusivity and providing equitable access to educational and career opportunities, South Jersey Solutions and Saint Joseph's School of Health Professions are excited to empower students to explore their potential in the healthcare field.

WHEN:

Monday, October 16, 2023, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

WHERE:

Camden High School

1700 Park Boulevard, Camden, NJ 08103

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About South Jersey Solutions

At South Jersey Solutions, our unwavering commitment lies in unlocking the full potential of every student, firmly believing that, with the right guidance and support, every student can thrive. We take immense pride in our dedication to excellence, consistently delivering a measurable impact on students' academic development. Through our interactive programs, we cultivate curiosity and foster intellectual growth while addressing each individual's unique strengths and challenges. Committed to remaining at the forefront of educational innovation, we continuously refine our programs, providing students with the tools they need to succeed academically. South Jersey Solutions extends its mission beyond academics, empowering communities through essential educational, social, and developmental programs, promoting equity, diversity, and inclusivity in collaboration with local organizations. For more information, please visit www.southjerseysolution.org

About Saint Joseph's University

Founded in 1851 as Philadelphia's Jesuit university, Saint Joseph's University prepares students for a rapidly changing world by focusing on academic excellence and courageous exploration. With an intellectual tradition distinguished by a foundational liberal arts core and diversified by strong professional programs in education, business, health and science, Saint Joseph's students are empowered, challenged and supported by high-quality faculty members to follow their own path. As a comprehensive university, undergraduate and graduate students study in the University's four schools and colleges — the College of Arts and Sciences, the Erivan K. Haub School of Business, the School of Education and Human Development and the School of Health Professions. With academic offerings in the most sought-after majors, including leading programs in the first-in-the-nation Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, nearly 100% of students are employed, pursuing advanced degrees or volunteering in prestigious service programs upon graduation. The University's network of nearly 100,000 proud alumni keep alive the rallying cry — The Hawk Will Never Die.