## Middleton HOSA-FHP Sponsorship Request

When you think about Future Health professionals, what do you think about? We think HOSA-FHP!

Health Occupations Student of America - Future Health Professionals, an internationally recognized student organization for empowering health science education and service. Our chapter is based at Middleton High School, a Title I STEM school located in Hillsborough County.

Middleton HOSA consists of different teams and competitors who compete and perform in events that stimulate their intellectual capabilities. HOSA is an organization that brings together students with varied socio-economic backgrounds, nationalities, ethnicities, genders, and life experiences. Yet all of us have the same goals: To learn and implement the skills needed to become a future health professional through competitions, so one day we all can help the community by enhancing the delivery of quality healthcare to all.

Over the past couple of years, Middleton HOSA has been growing its success in and outside the classroom. Most recently, members from Middleton HOSA were elected to serve on the regional board and better give back to the organization. Others have been able to compete – and win – at the International Leadership Conference, against thousands of other competitors. We have also volunteered throughout the community.

But, why are we writing to you? <u>We need your help!</u> Each year, conference and competition costs can price students out of these amazing opportunities. With cuts in the grants, we receive less and less assistance from county funding each year. Conventional routes of fundraising are not enough and thus we ask for your assistance.

If you chose to support Middleton HOSA through a tax-deductible donation, you and/or your company will be acknowledged on our website, club shirt, and presented with a certificate of support to proudly display at your business. We would also invite you to attend our advisory board meetings and our STEM professional event, where you can publicly present your donation. Please consider making a difference to the future of the medical community and support the future health professionals of America today!

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