

# WHERE WILL YOU SPEND YOUR SUMMER?

## ARE YOU LOOKING FOR...

an experience this summer which integrates matters of faith into patient care?

## DO YOU WANT...

to serve in ways which could make a difference in a medically underserved community, strengthening your skills as a future healthcare professional?

## WOULD YOU ENJOY...

the opportunity to work alongside Christian clinicians in a mission-based environment where you can grow in your faith?

## What is LSMP?

LSMP is a four week service project. Its mission is to empower and inspire the next generation of Christian healthcare providers to care for medically underserved communities while embodying the values of the Christian Community Health Fellowship ([www.cchf.org](http://www.cchf.org)).

## Who participates?

Aspiring healthcare providers who have completed their senior year, or first year health provider students (MD, DO, PA, NP, CNM).

## Where is LSMP located?

The West Side of Chicago, Illinois, in the neighborhoods of North and South Lawndale.

## When does LSMP take place?

The last week of June until the end of July.

## What is the cost?

Project tuition is \$700, which covers housing, food, and materials.

*(Need-based scholarships available; please see website for details)*

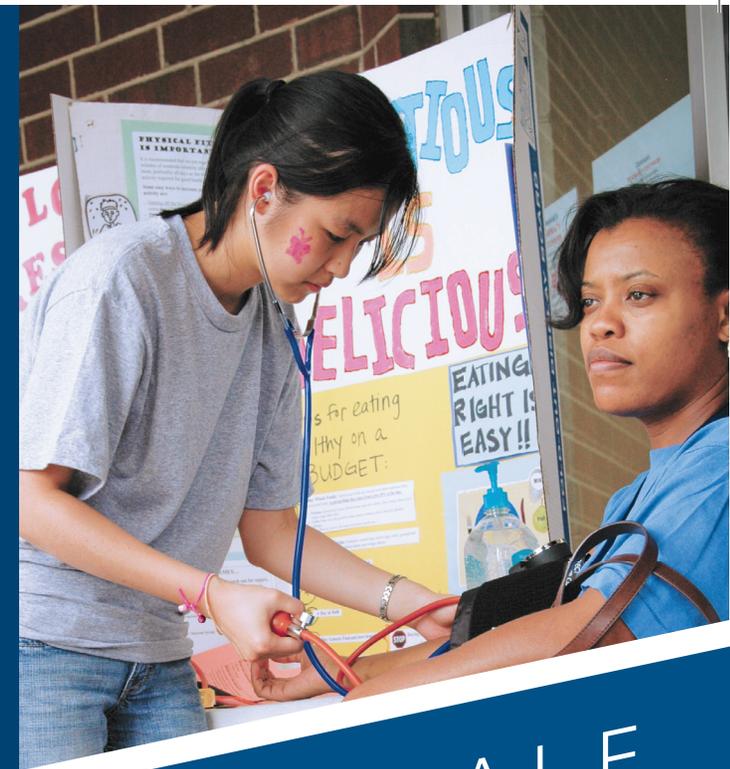
## Where can I get more information?

For more information contact:  
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# LAWNDALE SUMMER MEDICAL PROJECT



**“It was impactful to hear, see, and experience what it means to practice as a Christian physician in an underserved community.”**  
—LSMP Participant



## WHAT DOES LAWNDALE SUMMER MEDICAL PROJECT PROVIDE?

### Community Medicine Focus

The LSMP provides aspiring healthcare professionals and first year healthcare profession students with a vocationally relevant training experience. Our goal is to improve the health of patients who do not have access to routine care, and perhaps suffer from chronic health conditions such as hypertension, diabetes and/or asthma.

### Cross-Cultural Immersion

The LSMP happens within the uniquely situated and ethnically diverse Lawndale, Garfield Park, and Archer Heights communities. Students will live, work and fellowship here for the duration of the project.

### Discipleship and Development

The LSMP is a leadership development and discipleship project designed to provide all participants with relevant, contextualized training in spiritual growth, evangelism and mentoring.

Find application and additional project details at:  
[www.lawndale.org](http://www.lawndale.org)

## WHAT WILL I DO AS PART OF LAWNDALE SUMMER MEDICAL PROJECT?

**YOU** will initiate neighborhood contact with existing LCHC patients and perform in-home visits. This will help to educate and equip patients to self-manage chronic conditions such as diabetes, hypertension, and/or asthma.

**YOU** will experience direct patient care, while shadowing a Lawndale clinician twice weekly. You will see both adult and pediatric patients in multiple clinic settings while understanding what it means to be a Christian practicing compassionate care.

**YOU** will participate in weekly community health fairs, offering various health screenings such as blood sugar and blood pressure checks.

**“This experience will forever change the way I practice medicine.”**  
- LSMP Participant

