

# 2015 NORTHWEST YOUTH CAREERS EXPO

Tuesday,  
March 17, 2015

9 AM – 2 PM  
Oregon Convention Center

## SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH CARE

### Exhibitors

- Legacy Health
- Kaiser Permanente
- Moda Health
- Oregon Health & Science University
- Portland Community College - Allied Health
- Providence Health & Services
- Terwilliger Plaza
- WebMD
- Willamette Dental Group
- AEHAP (The Association of Environmental Health Academic Programs)

### Featured careers

#### Direct patient care

- Registered nursing
- Pediatric nursing
- Paramedic training
- Physician's assistant
- Emergency medical services
- Paramedic training
- Physician
- Burn center care
- Perioperative nursing

#### Health care operations, support and research

- Computer system (IT) support
- Infection prevention & control
- Alcohol research
- Human resources
- Clinical laboratory science
- Diversity & inclusion work
- Brain & spinal cord injury prevention
- Worker safety



### Students can:

- **Connect** with people who work in health care
- **Learn** about the skills and education needed for different careers
- **Try out** the simulation labs and see live demonstrations
- **Discover** the diversity of careers within health care, including technology-related jobs.

### Did you know?

- The health care sector is the region's largest employer.
- The average salary in health care is \$53,350, higher than the average for other sectors. Registered nurses in Oregon earn \$80,000 and more.
- The region's three major employers in health care are hospitals, clinics and care facilities.
- New treatments, plus a growing & aging population, mean great job prospects in health care.

*Source: Worksystems Inc., 2014 Industry Sector Report*

*The annual NW Youth Careers Expo is the Northwest's premier career-education event, attended by more than 5,000 students and 100-plus employers. It shows students the amazing diversity of career opportunities in our region, as well as the skills and education needed to pursue those jobs. Featured sectors include health care, arts & communication, technology, manufacturing, design, construction, business, energy, education and human services.*

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