The application deadline is 5:00 pm, Wednesday, March 1, 2017
All questions regarding the program should be submitted to:
SummerResearch@lsuhsc.edu, no phone call please

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS
• Completed application form.
• Cover letter describing research interests and career goals.
• Resume describing schools attended, previous job experience and relevant accomplishments.
• Provide two (2) professional and/or academic references. Reference letters are not required to submit your application; references will be contacted only if necessary.
• Any student who is accepted into the program will be required to submit current vaccination records and a social security number before the start of the program. Instructions will be provided at a later date on how to submit this information.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
• Only students living in the New Orleans area or vicinity during the time of the summer internship are eligible.
• High school students must be in their junior or senior year at the of application submission (NO EXCEPTIONS).
• Students will be required to attend an all-day mandatory orientation on Thursday, June 1, 2017 and must be available during all dates of program (Thursday, June 1, 2017 – Thursday, July 27, 2017). If you have a prior commitment during the dates of the program you are ineligible to participate. This is a full-time, eight week commitment.

SELECTION
Once your completed application packet is submitted, it will be reviewed by the Summer Research Program Committee. The Committee will invite a select number of applicants for in person interviews. Once all interviews have been conducted candidates will be informed of their status by April 15, 2017.

REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS
• Conduct your own small research project or work on part of an ongoing research project.
• Attend weekly seminar series that will introduce you to rapidly progressing medical and basic research areas at LSUHSC.
• Be willing to complete all Compliance Training, Conflict of Interest Forms and/or any other training deemed necessary for your internship as soon as it is received.
• Report to work on time as designated by mentor to work on assigned research project, students are expected to work no more than 40 hours a week.
• Present a poster at the 2017 Summer Research Program Poster day where the student presents what was learned over the summer.

STIPENDS
Student stipends for High School students are $2,625.00 and will be received in two (2) increments over the course of the summer. Students will be responsible for a parking fee of anywhere $45.00-$55.00, plus $25.00 gate card fee (gate card fee is refundable at the end of the summer).

Summer Research Internship Program for High School Student’s Website