

FUTURE HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS LLC



What is a living-learning community?

A living-learning community (LLC) is a group of students who share a common academic or theme interest and live together in a residence hall. Residence Life partners with faculty and staff across campus to implement special programming related to the LLC focus. Students living in the LLC also have the opportunity to get to know these partners outside of the classroom.

What should I expect as part of the LLC?

Your Resident Assistant (RA) will have information about a variety of activities and resources related to the topic of your LLC and academic support. Plan on being involved in various events and share your ideas for future programming! The more involved you are with the community, the more benefits you'll gain.



MEET YOUR RA

ELLE CORMANEY

MAJOR: COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS

Hi everyone! My name is Elle Cormaney, and I will be the Resident Assistant for Blair 4 Future Healthcare Professionals LLC. This is my first year as an RA, but I had the honor of living on the Future Healthcare Professionals LLC my freshman year, and I am eager to build off of the fun events and opportunities that I had and create even more. I am a sophomore majoring in Communication Sciences and Disorders to become a speech and language pathologist, and I am getting a minor in Spanish! I love all things Residence Life, crafting, meeting new people, going outside, coffee, bonding with others over movies, books, music, and shows, running, thrifting and style in general, and exploring new places. I am originally from Lawrence, Kansas, but I love Springfield and all it has to offer! If you're a coffee lover, I recommend the Dancing Mule and Eurasia, for food I love Civil Kitchen and Tacos El Champu for dollar tacos on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and Fun Acre for cheap and fun mini golf! I am so excited to be your RA this year, and thrilled that you are an MSU bear!



Take this survey.
to tell Elle what
events you want!

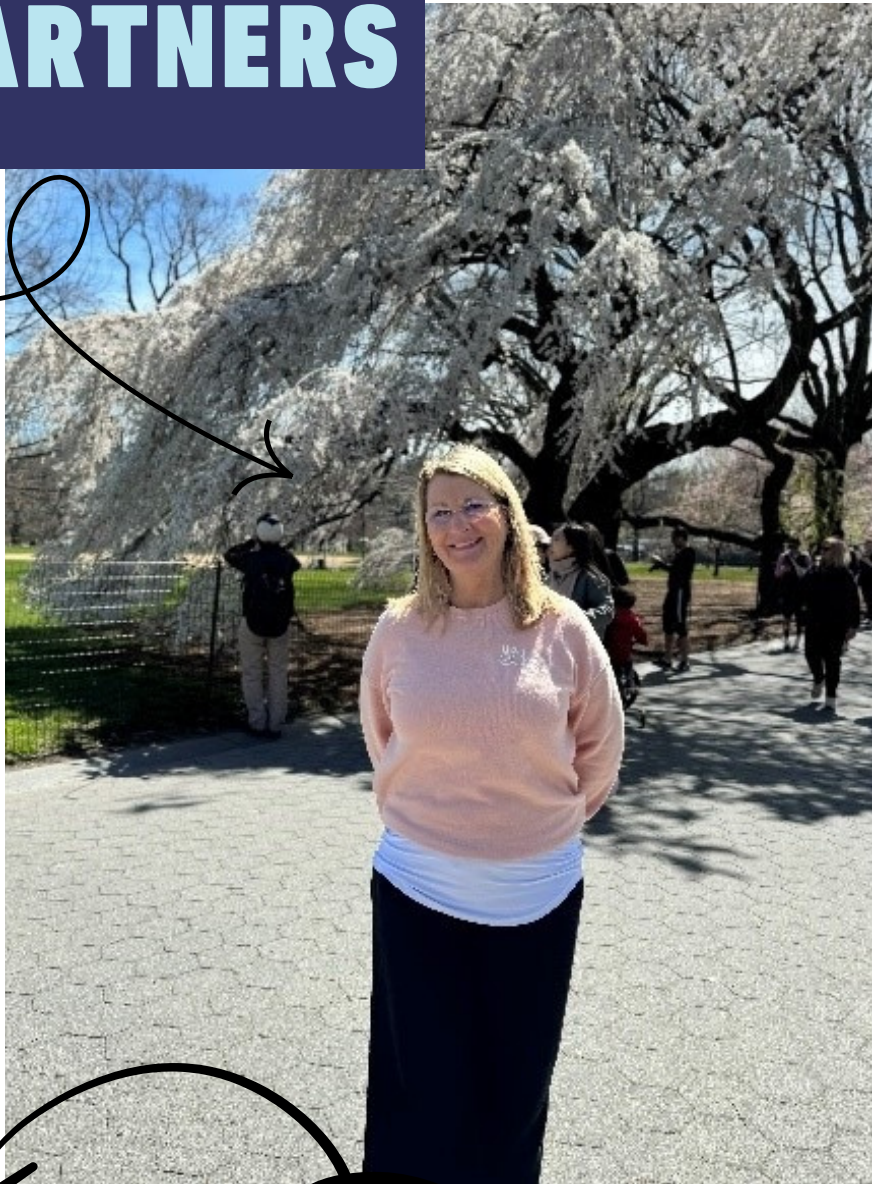
*you could win a \$50 gift
card!

MEET YOUR PARTNERS

Regina Russell

**Clinical Associate Professor, Coordinator,
BSW Field Education**

Welcome students! My name is Regina Russell and I am a Licensed Clinical Social Worker. I began working at MSU in the Social Work Program in 2012 primarily in the role of Field Education Coordinator (Practicum Oversight). The profession of Social Work values the wellbeing of individuals, families and communities. There are varied employment opportunities as a social worker including being a part of an interdisciplinary team in health-related fields. Please let me know if you would like to learn more!



Sarah Jones

**Clinical Associate Professor - Communication
Sciences and Disorders**

My name is Dr. Sarah Jones, and I am a clinical faculty member in the Audiology program at Missouri State University. I have been an Audiologist for over 20 years and have been working at MSU since 2015. I teach undergraduate and graduate coursework, supervise Doctor of Audiology students at the Missouri State University Speech Language Hearing Clinic and provide educational audiology services for Springfield Public Schools.

MEET YOUR PARTNERS

Kim Ireland

Clinical Associate Professor - School of Health Care Professions

The LLC provides an incredible opportunity for students to build friendships, support one another, and develop a strong sense of belonging while preparing for careers in healthcare. Specifically, I work in the MSU Collaborative Care Clinic in Kampeter. This includes speech-language pathology, audiology, counseling, and the Learning Diagnostic Clinic. Please reach out if interested in one of these careers or to request information regarding the services we provide. Partners look forward to getting to know each of you and are here to help in any way that we can!



PARTNERS' WELCOMES



"I would like to welcome all students to the Future Health Care Professionals LLC! It is a great way to meet others with similar interests and get the most out of your college experience. It's okay to be nervous. Just know you are all in this together!"

- Kim Ireland, Clinical Associate Professor, LLC Partner

"Welcome Future Health Care Professionals! We are looking forward to a very exciting year and the transition to higher learning in the areas of your interests! I look forward to meeting you soon!"

- Sarah Jones, Clinical Associate Professor, LLC Partner

"I am thrilled that you have selected MSU for your career preparation. Selecting a career that focuses on the well being of others is to be honored! Several of you may already know exactly what you want to do; a major and career choice as a Future Health Care Professional, but some of you may be in the exploration process. We are here to help, let me know if you have any questions!"

- Regina Russell, Clinical Professor, LLC Partner

Explore the majors, minors, and certificate programs housed within the McQueary College of Health and Human Services [HERE](#).



Learn more about the McQueary College of Health and Human Services (MCHHS)

As a MCHHS student, you'll likely spend a lot of time in some of our health science buildings. Here are a few buildings you may find yourself looking for when you come to campus:



Located on the corner of Cherry and Kimbrough (on the northwest side of campus) is the **Ann Kampeter Health Sciences Hall**. This building houses the Department of Biomedical Sciences; Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders; School of Nursing; Department of Sports Medicine and Athletic Training; and the

Speech, Language and Hearing Clinic. Bear Park North parking garage is located close to all of these northwest MCHHS buildings.

Located on the first floor of the Ann Kampeter Health Sciences Hall near the main entrance is the **McQueary College of Health and Human Services (MCHHS) Student Success and Advisement Center**. This office will be a great resource to you as you are learning how to navigate Missouri State and plan out your health and human



services classes. Advisors in this office will be happy to answer your questions, help you explore your academic options, and prepare for your professional goals. To learn more about the center and how to get in contact, click [HERE](#).

Learn more about the McQueary College of Health and Human Services (MCHHS)

Located south of Kampeter Hall on the corner of Cherry and Kimbrough is the **McQueary Family Health Sciences Hall**. The McQueary Family Health Sciences Hall is home to the Department of Physical Therapy and the Master of Public Health program. The facility also houses an outpatient clinic, a modality lab, an exercise lab, an anatomy lab, and classrooms and office spaces.



Right next to the McQueary Family Health Sciences Hall on Cherry Street is the **O'Reilly Clinical Health Sciences Center**.

Occupational therapy, physician assistant studies, the nursing and nurse anesthesia programs, and the MSU Care Clinic are housed here. The building also includes state-of-the-art facilities,

simulation labs, offices, classrooms and group study spaces. These are just a few of the buildings you may spend time in as a MCHHS student, but there are many buildings on campus that house different MCHHS programs. To see a full list of MCHHS facilities around campus, click [HERE](#).



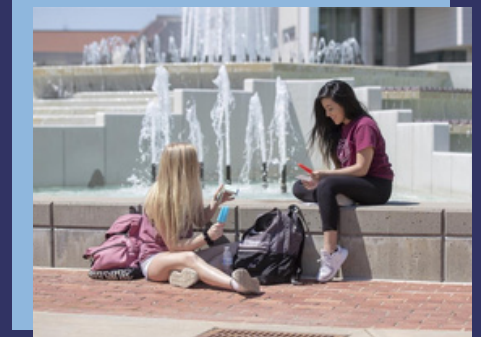
GET INVOLVED ON CAMPUS!



Among MSU's 300+ student orgs, there are several student organizations related to health and human services. Some of these include:

- Biomedical Sciences Society
- Future Public Health Professionals
- Health Services Student Organization
- Kinesiology Research and Career Club
- Physician Assistant Student Society of Missouri State University
- Pre-Dental Society
- Pre-Medical Society
- Pre-Occupational Therapy Club
- Pre-Optometry Club
- Pre-Physical Therapy Society
- Pre-Physician Assistant Society
- Psychology Club
- Social Work Club
- Student Academy of Audiology
- Student Dietetic Association
- Student Nursing Organization
- MSU's Future Healthcare Leaders

Learn more about these organizations [HERE.](#)





Want to learn more about Blair-Shannon House? Check out this video!

Your LLC Social will be on:

Saturday, August 15,
at 5:00 pm in
Blair-Shannon Grand Lounge

You won't want to miss this
chance to meet your floor and
your LLC partners!

**Join us for trivia,
prizes and pizza!**



Our campus **Bear Line** service can help you get around once you get to campus! Check out the routes offered by our shuttles so you can figure out the best ways to get to class and around town. There is even an app you can download to track each Bear Line and see current wait times! To learn more, click [HERE](#).



Want to check out where your classes are and where to park on campus? Visit the campus map [HERE](#).

WEEK OF WELCOME 2026!

It's time to celebrate a new year! Move in, meet new friends and enjoy a week full of events. Events include:



Thursday, August 13

Room Decor Bingo 7-9pm
PSU Theater

Sponsored by:



Friday, August 14

Snow Glad to See You
11-2pm (rain or shine)
Plaster Student Union Patio

417 Street Fest 6-8pm
Elm Street



Saturday, August 15

BearZEN 9-10am
Magers Health & Wellness Center 100

Grab a Scoop with FSL 12-2pm
Plaster Student Union Patio

Bear Bash 7-10pm
North Mall and PSU



Sunday, August 16

New Student Convocation 2pm
Great Southern Bank Arena

Campus Fest CMA 6:30-9pm
North Mall

And more! For the full list of events,
click [HERE!](#)