# LSUHSC outreach helps students learn

SUHSC faculty, staff, and students donated an overwhelming number of supplies during the recent School Supply Drive. More than 400



pencils and pens, 140 notebooks, 29 tote/school bags, 60 pocket folders, 46 rulers, 37 highlighters, 30 packs of looseleaf paper, 33 crayon boxes, 33 composition

books, and 25 manilla folders were donated. Contributions also included notepads,



construction paper packs, binders, markers, dry erase markers, colored pencils, paint sets, pencil sharpeners, scissors, jump drives, hand sanitizer, paper clips, white out, post-it notes, tape, index card packs, book covers, pencil and pen cases, coloring



books, and other items.

Dr. Fern T s i e n , Program Director,

a n d participating LSUHSC students delivered the supplies to students at the partner schools in the LSUHSC/NO Schools Science Partnership Program.

### LSUHSC's Physician Assistant program begins

anuary 9, 2013 marked the start of classes for students in the newest degree program at LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans. The inaugural class of the Master of Physician Assistant Program at LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans' School of Allied Health Professions consists of 30 students.



Master of Physician Assistant Studies Class of 2015

The intense, 29-month Master's degree program will prepare students to practice as health care providers and assume leadership roles within the medical community. Admission to the program is highly competitive.

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## LSUHSC physicians named Best Doctors

early two hundred physicians affiliated with LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans appear on the Best Doctors in America® List for 2013. Only five percent of doctors in America earn this prestigious

honor, decided by impartial peer review.

The highly regarded Best Doctors in America List, assembled by Best Doctors, Inc., results from exhaustive polling of over 45,000 physicians in the United States. Doctors in over 40 specialties and 400 subspecialties of medicine appear on this year's List. In a confidential review, current physician listees answer the question, "If you or a loved one needed a doctor in your specialty, to whom would you see

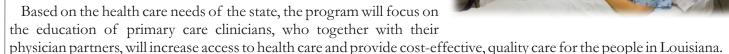


doctor in your specialty, to whom would you refer?" BestDoctors, Inc. evaluates

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The curriculum includes classroom, laboratory, and clinical experiences. The program is designed to incorporate evidence-based medicine, foster the development of critical thinking skills, and instill in each student a commitment to the community. The program seeks to educate a diverse student body that will provide culturally sensitive, patient-centered health care and to increase the number of primary care health care providers for the State of Louisiana. Students will have opportunities to learn in a variety of health care settings including hospitals, out-patient clinics, and physician offices.





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the review results, and verifies all additional information to meet detailed inclusion criteria. The experts who are part of the Best Doctors in America® database provide the most advanced medical expertise and knowledge to patients.

Physicians affiliated with LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans: Drs. Mary Moore Abell, Deborah A. Abernathy, Stephen Garner Abshire, William Accousti, Juzar Ali, Robert Johnson Allen, John R. Amoss, Hans Christoph Andersson, Moises Arriaga, Robert Joseph Ascuitto, Diego H. Aviles, James G. Barbee, Brian Barkemeyer, Louis R. Barfield, Robert Craig Batson, David E. Beck, Rodolfo E. Begue, John William Bick III, Bryan Bienvenu, Charles Kelso Billings, Jr., Frederic T. Billings III, Elliott B. Black III, Christopher M. Blais, Ted Bloch III, John S. Bolton, David M. Borne, J. Philip Boudreaux, R. Graham Boyce, Howard I. Brenner, Stephen P. Brierre, Raynorda F. Brown, Joseph Frederick Buell, Richard Byrd, Jose Calderon-Abbo, Richard J. Campeau, Jr., Salvador Caputto, Joseph Caspi, Michael J. Castine III, Stuart A. Chalew, Ralph R. Chesson, Jr., Rebecca Adair Clark, John Thomas Cole, Charles Calvin Coleman, Sean Collins, Erich J. Conrad, Kelvin Contreary, Randall Douglas Craver, Robert Dahmes, Vinod Dasa, Mark Dawson, Bennett Paul DeBoisblanc, Frank J. DellaCroce, Stephen Russell Deputy, Bonnie Desselle, Richard P. Dickey, Martin J. Drell, Gary L. Duhon, Joseph Benton Dupont, Jr., George S. Ellis, Jr., John D. England, Luis R. Espinoza, Donald C. Faust, Robert Sidney Fields, Edward F. Foulks, Daniel Joseph Frey, Harold Anthony Fuselier, Jr., Renee V. Gardner, Leonard E. Gately III, Abraham Gedalia, Eric R. George, David Lucas Glancy, Daphne Ann Glindmeyer, Ricardo Gomez, Douglas William Greve, W. Scott Griffies, Jeffrey Farrow Griffin, Benjamin Alfred Guider, Jr., Amparo (Amy) Gutierrez, Michael Edward Hagensee, Stanley Martin Hall, Faith Hansbrough, David Sam Hanson, John Frederick Heaton, Stephen Douglas Heinrich, Gregory Charles Henkelmann, Dean Anthony Hickman, Terrell Cohlman Hicks, Charles Baker Hill, Jr., Larry Harold Hollier, John Patrick Hunt III, Surma Jain, Janet Elaine Johnson, Jolene K. Johnson, Sheldon Ashley Johnson, Mark Juneau, Jr., Kristopher Edward Kaliebe, Stephen Phillips Kantrow, Alan David Kaye, Andrew G. King, Maurice Leon King, Stephen Kishner, Peter C. Krause, James Monroe Laborde, Kenneth John Laborde, Kim Edward LeBlanc, Leanne L. LeBlanc, Brian David Lee, James D. Lilly, Neil James Maki, Michael Marble, David A. Margolin, Herbert Wendt Marks, Jr., David H. Martin, Carol M. Mason, William Trent Massengale, Robert T. Maupin, Jr., Elizabeth Innes McBurney, Shannon McGuire, Keith Melancon, Christopher D. Meyers, Gerald Patrick Miletello, Joseph Matthew Miller, Jr., Weston Peter Miller III, Jaime A. Morales Arias, Michael H. Moses, Herbert L. Muncie, Jr., Mary J. Murphy, Joseph Mortimer Dean Nadell, Lee T. Nesbitt, Jr., William Proctor Newman III, Daniel Wehrmann Nuss, Piotr Wladyslaw Olejniczak, Staci Marie Olister, Guy R. Orangio, Joseph Ortenberg, Howard Joseph Osofsky, Kenneth Paris, Judd E. Patten, Nicholas G. Pejic, Duna Penn, Anna Maria Pou, Sanjeeva Reddy, Gary (Taavi) Reiss, Kathryn Richardson, James Riopelle, Dana L. Rivera, Jason L. Rolling, Alvin Martin Rouchell, Mark Allen Sands, Troy Gene Scroggins, Jr., Milton Walsh Seiler, Jr., Judd Ernest Shellito, Larry (Lawrence) M. Simon, Tammuella E. Singleton, Ernest S. Siwik, Marilyn M. Skinner, Douglas P. Slakey, Frank Wilson Smart, Scott Anthony Sonnier, Ricardo U. Sorensen, Derrick W. Spell, Sarah R.S. Stender, Aluizio Roberto Stopa, Austin John Sumner, David E. Taylor, Justin M. Tenney, Mack Anthony Thomas, Ann Henderson Tilton, Mark Harold Townsend, Joseph Frank Uddo, Jr., V. Matti Vehaskari, Robert Woody Veith, Maria C. Velez, Rohan R. Walvekar, Maria Weimer, Jayne S. Weiss, David Allen Welsh, Ronald D. Wilcox, Felton L. Winfield, Jr., Jack Christian Winters, Joaquin Wong, Lolie Chua Yu, and Ellen (Elly) Zakris.