



Michigan HOSA Competitive Event Modifications- 2024-2025 Regional Conferences

Foundations of Veterinary Science, Foundations of HOSA Bowl, Health Career Preparation, Life Threatening Situations, Extemporaneous Health Poster, Dynamic Decisions & Exploring Medical Innovation

All regional information can be found at www.michiganhosa.org/regionals.

Please refer to HOSA Competitive Event Guidelines in addition to these modifications: www.hosa.org/guidelines.

Testing Details (Foundations of Vet. Sci, Foundations of HB, LTS & DD): (based off [National HOSA guidelines](#))

- Tests will be administered in the testing room listed in the conference schedule (available at the conference).
- Team members will be separated. They cannot take tests together. Tests will be taken individually.
- Cell phones and smart watches should be turned off and put away during testing.
- There will be NO verbal announcements for time remaining during testing. Competitors are responsible for monitoring their own time.
- Students will receive a test booklet, Scantron and any other materials listed in event guidelines (i.e. scrap paper, calculator, depending on the test). Pencils will NOT be provided.
- **All tests are NOT open book/open note. Additional resources/materials will not be allowed in the testing room.**
- The same time limits will be used for testing, as explained in the event guidelines (60-minutes, 90-minutes).

Event Details:

- At the regional level, all competitors will advance to round two if applicable. The test will not be used as a qualifier but will be added to competitors' skills scores to determine final rank.
- **Follow competitive event guidelines for your event's specific resources, dress code, supplies competitors must provide, references, and judge rubrics.**
- **Foundations of Veterinary Science:**
 - All competitors will advance to round two. Test scores will be added to skill scores to determine final rank.
 - Skills that will be evaluated at the regional competition:
 - Skill I: Identification of Companion Animal Breeds/ Species
 - Skill III: Pad Wound Care (on either Dog or Cat)
- **Foundations of HOSA Bowl:**
 - All competitors will advance to round two. Test scores will be used to determine round two brackets.
- **Health Career Preparation:**
 - No modifications.
- **Life Threatening Situations:**
 - All competitors will advance to round two. Test scores will be added to skill scores to determine final rank.
 - Skills that will be evaluated at the regional competition:
 - Skill I: Call 911
 - Skill II: Stop the Bleed
- **Extemporaneous Health Poster:**
 - No modifications.
- **Dynamic Decisions:**
 - All teams will advance to round two.

Dress Code:

As Future Health Professionals, HOSA members should present themselves in a professional manner. **Follow the dress code listed in your event's competitive event guidelines!** Bonus points will NOT be awarded, but event managers will make note if competitors are NOT in proper dress which could result in overall point deduction. For more information on acceptable dress code, [see here](#).

General Regional Conference Reminders:

- If students need specific accommodations, [this form must be filled out](#) by the conference registration so we can see if accommodations can be made. These accommodations must be submitted via this form.
- **Competitor's MUST present a photo ID or proof of identity when checking in to their competitive event.** A clear picture of a photo ID is acceptable. If a student does not bring a photo ID, the student's advisor may be asked to report to the event manager or HOSA Headquarters and verify the student's identity.
- Michigan HOSA members can compete in only ONE competitive event. At the State and International levels, they can compete in their competitive event and as many Recognition events they want.
- Teams MUST compete with the number listed in the event guidelines. No more, no less. If it is a two person team event, you must compete with two people. If the student cannot find a last minute replacement, we will allow them to participate in another event at Regionals, such as a knowledge test.
- If you have specific questions about your competitive event, first, look at the [event guidelines](#). If you did not find your answer, please email samantha.pohl@mhc.org or hosa@mhc.org.