

## **OUESTIONS?**

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## **BOYS REACHING FOR OPPORTUNITIES IN SCIENCE**

The Des Moines University Pediatrics Club and Community Relations Department invite boys in grades 2-6 to Boys Reaching for Opportunity in Science, a FREE event designed to expose and inspire students to consider careers in health care and science. Boys will experience a variety of hands-on workshops including:

- > ANATOMY | See how things like smoking can hurt your lungs and understand how a brain works.
- > MICROBIOLOGY | Use a microscope and get a close look at the bacteria that cause common illnesses.
- > **SIMULATION** | Experience a simulated emergency room.
- > **PODIATRY** | We'll look at the structure of the foot and participate in a casting or taping activity.

- > **SURGERY** | Learn how to scrub in for surgery and put on surgical gowns and gloves in our mock operating room.
- > PHYSICAL THERAPY | Get moving and see how the body system responds.
- > **NUTRITION** | Ride a blender bike and see how to plan a balanced diet.
- > SPORTS MEDICINE | Discover how to care for athletes before, during, and after games.

## Saturday, March 7 at Des Moines University Student Education Center

## Breakfast and lunch provided

7:15-8 a.m. Drop off period

**8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.** Boys rotate to a handful of more than a dozen exciting stations in small groups

12:30 p.m. Lunch and keynote 1 p.m. Pick up