Student Pre-Health Clubs and Organizations

Through clubs and organizations, URI pre-health students have built a supportive community of peers. Here is a sample of our student groups:

Delta Epsilon Mu

DEM is a Pre-Health Co-Ed Fraternity that strives to unite students of the various pre-health professions including Pre-Medicine, Pre-Dental, Pre-Physician's Assistant, Pre-Veterinary, Physical Therapy, Nursing, Pharmacy, Public Health, Psychology, etc.

Doc Opp

The purpose of Doc Opp is to develop and foster a close-knit community of hard-working students who share the goal of reaching allopathic or osteopathic medical school. This organization aims to familiarize students with the medical school admissions process, as well as the skills and requirements necessary to compete in this process. Doc Opp offers early exposure to the MCAT, guest lectures, and skills workshops. Additionally, Doc Opp coordinates shadowing opportunities for its members, so that they may acquire field experience during their undergraduate years. Our greatest ambition is to send more and more Rams to medical school every year, and to put Rhody on the map in the medical profession.

Pre-Physician Assistant Club

This club is open to everyone and aims to provide information for students considering the PA profession after undergrad. We go over what is means to be pre-PA at URI, and also tour different PA schools several times a semester.
Pre-Dental Club

The purpose of the club is to unite all pre-dental students and work collaboratively to become familiar with the dental school admissions process. The club provides useful information regarding the Dental Admission Test (DAT), volunteering and shadowing opportunities, required courses, and more. The club also schedules guest lecturers, such as dentists and dental students. The Club’s goal is for all members to be fully prepared to apply, and ultimately be accepted, to dental schools.

Seeds of Success

Seeds of Success is a student-run organization within the College of the Environment and Life Sciences (CELS) focused on helping underrepresented students at URI to succeed academically, socially, and professionally throughout their college careers. They provide members with research opportunities, scholarship updates, guest speakers, educational/career information, book exchanges, and social interaction with fellow CELS students on campus.

Partners in Health ENGAGE

Partners in Health ENGAGE is a group that believes healthcare is a fundamental human right. They conduct individual and group fundraisers to help support the larger corporation Partners in Health to open medical facilities in developing countries and train the individuals native to the land on how to administer proper patient care. Additionally, they meet with members of Congress to gain their support for the cause.

Emergency Medical Services

URI EMS is a 24/7/365 operation providing emergency prehospital care and transport to ill and injured persons primarily at the University of Rhode Island and also in the surrounding communities. They provide a full range of services to the Kingston and Narragansett Bay Campuses and limited services upon request to the Providence and W. Alton Jones Campuses.