**Journal for Pre-Health Affiliated Students**

JPHAS @ the University of Illinois at Chicago

**Journal Application for 2021-2022 Academic Year**

The Journal for Pre-Health Affiliated Students (JPHAS) was created in May 2001 to recognize the broad spectrum of pre-health students at UIC more fully. JPHAS strives to offer students considering careers in health-oriented professions a valuable, informative resource, and a forum to express and exchange ideas. JPHAS is currently accepting applications for staff positions for the 2021-2022 academic year.

Positions available include that of **Writer, Staff Editor, Layout Designer, and Webmaster**. Students with an interest in pursuing a career in a pre-health field are encouraged to apply, as well as others.

Note:

All applicants must complete the application below. Additionally, applicants for the position of **Staff Editor** must also complete a sample edit of the article attached.

**Applications will be accepted no later than Monday November 22nd, 2021 by 11:59 pm (subject header: 2021 JPHAS Application). All applications must be emailed to** [**jphas.journal2@gmail.com**](mailto:jphas.journal2@gmail.com)**.**

Please direct any questions to [jphas.journal2@gmail.com](mailto:jphas.journal2@gmail.com).

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**Name:**

**Mailing Address** **Permanent:**

**Phone Number:**

**E-mail:**

**Major:**  **Pre-Health Emphasis:**

**Standing or Year @ UIC:**

**Date of Graduation:**

**Please check all that apply.**

I am applying for…

\_\_\_ Writer

\_\_\_ Staff Editor

\_\_\_ Layout Designer

**Please respond to each question as completely as possible.**

1. **Why are you interested in joining the JPHAS staff?**
2. **What specific topics and/or ideas do you have to enhance JPHAS?**
3. **For writers, what are some new sections you would like to see incorporated into JPHAS? Past sections were: News, Feature, Opinion, and Research.**
4. **What previous roles and/or experiences prepare you for the position(s) you are applying for?**
5. **Please list commitments will you have during the 2021-2022 academic year:**

**By typing my name in capital letters below, I claim authorship and ownership to the sample of written work and/or sample(s) of original photography or artwork I have submitted to JPHAS. I understand that my application is not considered complete unless I submit the sample(s) of original work by Monday November 22nd, 2021 by 11:59 pm to** [**jphas.journal2@gmail.com**](mailto:jphas.journal2@gmail.com) **with the subject header: 2021 JPHAS Application.**

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**Sample Edit**

Relationships are a part of life. The relationships we have with others, family, and friends will affect every aspect of our lives. They also provide for our most basic human needs, to have fulfilling life, and encourage us to be our fullest potential. They sustain us in our personal development and growth as we go through life. The family unit is very important whether you are a child or an adult. It is the substance to how each one of us grows and interacts with each other. It strengthens bonds and trust. As we grow, we learn not just from our parents but from life experiences along the way.  
Re-enforcement of values and beliefs are what makes us who we are as individuals. For example, when we have support and confidence from family and others that helps mold us into what we want and need as a part of society. It is never just one single thing that makes an individual who they are. It is those who have helped us and given us guidance and yes even at times taught us that choices have consequences and that is a learning experience as well.  
 Relationships play a central role throughout our lives. The Family structure may be different for every individual. For example, whether our family structure is composed of a mother, father, grandparents, or foster parents, it is important that individuals have support from others that can enhance their well being. Strong support is good for individuals and is good for their well being.  
Sometimes when a family structure changes, so does the individual. This can be good for individuals as well.