**Fall 2022 Shadowing – Important Dates**

**ALL** Fall 2022 shadows will be required to attend one of the MANDATORY Shadowing Orientation Sessions.

* If you are independently finding a VUMC physician to shadow, YOU are REQUIRED to attend one of the mandatory orientation sessions.
* If you are applying to be matched with a physician through the VPS Shadowing Program, YOU are REQUIRED to attend one of the mandatory orientation sessions.
* If you have shadowed previously at VUMC, YOU are REQUIRED to attend one of the mandatory orientation sessions.
* **EVERY** Fall 2022 shadow is REQUIRED to attend one of the mandatory orientation sessions.

**\*\* YOU MUST ATTEND THE ENTIRE SHADOWING ORIENTATION SESSION IN ORDER TO GET CREDIT \*\***

**\*\* YOU MUST ARRIVE ON TIME. ENTRY WILL NOT BE PERMITTED AFTER THE PRESENTATION BEGINS!**

**\*\* YOU MAY NOT LEAVE ORIENTATION EARLY. ATTENDANCE IS TAKEN AT THE CONCLUSION.**

**Mandatory** Shadowing Orientation Session Options (in Stevenson – more details to come):

(There will be NO virtual Shadowing Orientation Session.)

Mon., Sept. 5th – 7:00-8:00pm

Tues., Sept. 6th – 7:00-8:00pm

Wed., Sept. 7th – 7:30-8:30pm

Thurs., Sept. 8th – 8:00-9:00pm

**EVERY SHADOW MUST COMPLETE THE HPAO/VUMC FALL 2022 SHADOWING REQUIRMENTS.**

**Aug. 16, 2022** - HPAO/VUMC Fall 2022 Shadowing Requirements and UPLOAD PORTAL will be available on the HPAO website

If you are APPLYING to be matched with a physician through the VPS Shadowing Program, you must ALSO apply through VPS.

**Aug. 16, 2022** - The VPS Shadowing Program application will be available through a REDCap survey on the VPS AnchorLink page

**WED., SEPT. 28th** - **6:00 PM** – DEADLINE FOR THE HPAO/VUMC SHADOWING PAPERWORK FOR RETURNING/CONTINUING SHADOWS.

**WED., SEPT. 28th** - **6:00 PM** – DEADLINE FOR THE HPAO/VUMC SHADOWING PAPERWORK FOR THOSE APPLYING FOR THE VPS SHADOWING PROGRAM

**WED., SEPT. 28th** - **6:00 PM** – DEADLINE FOR THE VPS SHADOWING PROGRAM APPLICATION

VPS Match Program results will be announced by Oct. 5th.

New Shadows (did not shadow Spring ’22 or Summer ’22) who are independently finding a physician to shadow may submit HPAO/VUMC paperwork through Oct. 31, but you are encouraged to submit paperwork earlier to ensure you will have enough time to meet the minimum requirements (shadow 4 times or 8 hours during the semester).

Dec. 8th – Shadowing term ends and shadowing badges MUST be returned to the HPAO.

Please watch for future ListServ announcements with more details.