



## Manchester Public Schools Partners with UConn Health for Summer Enrichment Programming

This summer, The Department of Health Career Opportunity at UConn Health is partnering with the Manchester Public Schools to offer summer academic enrichment programs for middle and high school students. This program offers a great opportunity for students to advance academically during the summer months.

There are two programs that will be offered to Manchester students. These programs are: the Great Explorations Summer Program and the Jumpstart Doctors Academy Summer Program. Students who fit the criteria will need to apply to be accepted to the program. Applications are due **no later than May 16, 2015**. Both programs run for 6 weeks, and are detailed as follows:

### **Great Explorations Summer Program**

- Six-week summer academic enrichment program for rising 8<sup>th</sup> graders
- Classes are held Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 2:00 pm, at the CREC – Greater Hartford Academy for Math and Science (15 Vernon Street, Hartford)
- Provides daily classes in language arts, math, science, and college awareness classes
- Engages students in educational programs to raise awareness in the health professions
- Breakfast and lunch are provided
- Provides qualified students with an earned stipend

### **Jumpstart Doctors Academy Summer Program**

- Six-week summer academic enrichment program for rising 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> graders interested in medicine, dental medicine or biomedical research
- Classes are held Monday - Friday at the UConn Greater Hartford Campus (1800 Asylum Avenue, West Hartford)
- Provides daily classes in language arts, math, science, career and college awareness preparation, integrating PSAT and SAT strategies and support across the curriculum
- Provides assessments and evaluations throughout a student's affiliation with Jumpstart and includes pre, mid, and post testing
- Breakfast and lunch are provided
- Provides qualified students with an earned stipend

If you are interested in applying or want more information on the programs, visit the program's website at [www.hcop.uchc.edu](http://www.hcop.uchc.edu).