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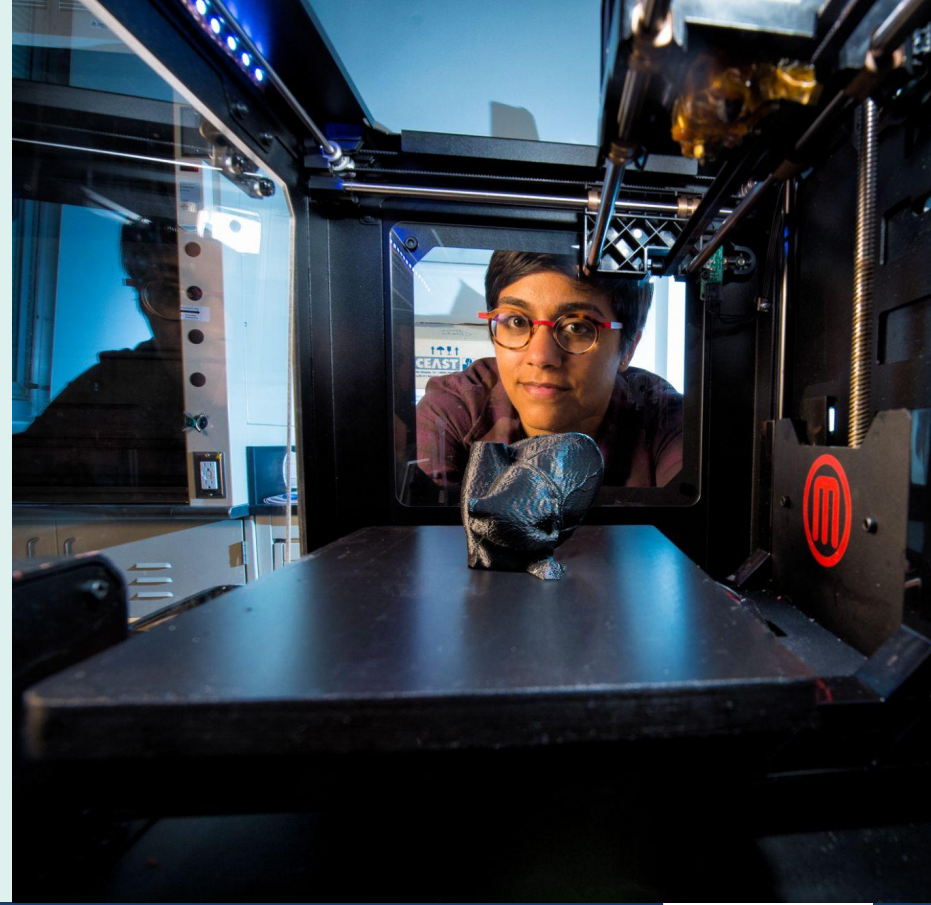
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# WHAT IS THE HYRS PROGRAM?

The Alberta Innovates High School Youth Researcher Summer (HYRS) Program is a paid, six week summer research experience for Grade 11 students interested in health and medical research and innovation.



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# WHY SHOULD YOU APPLY?

- ❖ Gain first-hand experience working in a medical research laboratory
- ❖ Explore a career in health research and innovation
- ❖ Learn under the mentorship of leading researchers and begin building your professional network



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# Program dates: July 4-August 12, 2022

HYRS placements will be offered in a variety of health and medical research areas, including cardiology, cell biology, genetics, biomedical engineering, epidemiology, health education, and Alberta Innovates priority areas, including:

- Digital health
- Data-enabled health transformation
- Health Innovation & Technology Acceleration

# WHAT DOES THE APPLICATION PROCESS REQUIRE?

01

## High School Transcript

To ensure that you have a combined average of  $\geq 85\%$  in Mathematics 20-1 or 20-2, Biology 20, and one other Grade 11 science course

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## Personal Essay

To collect information about your interests and match you with a suitable placement

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## Two Teacher References

From your previous math/science teachers, to speak to your academic abilities

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## One Community Reference

From a mentor who can speak to your personal attributes and ability to successfully complete the HYRS program



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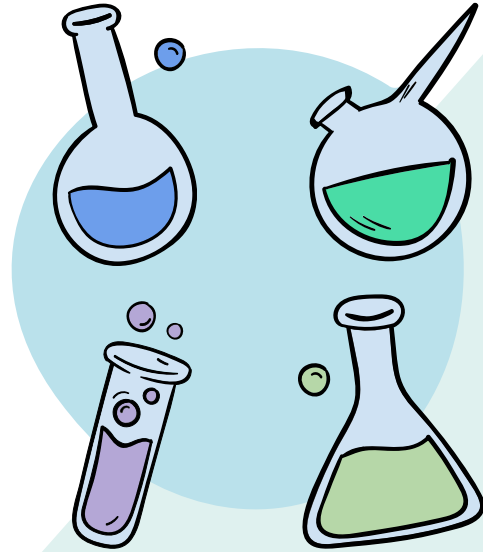
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# IMPORTANT DATES

The deadline for applications is  
**March 25, 2022**

Applicants will be notified by email of  
the outcome by **May 31, 2022**



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# Questions?

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