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KU School of Medicine–Wichita hiring patient actors

Informational event to be held March 29

WICHITA, KAN. – The KU School of Medicine–Wichita is hosting an informational session from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29, at the school, 1010 N. Kansas, for anyone interested in becoming a Standardized Patient.

The Standardized Patient program provides medical students and residents with the opportunity to learn and demonstrate a variety of patient care, communication, and interpersonal skills in a safe, controlled environment. Standardized Patients are people who have been trained to simulate an actual patient, portraying medical history, body language, physical findings, emotions, and personality.

Those interested in becoming a Standardized Patient do not need a medical or acting background, and all ages and physical types are needed. Participants must be 18 years or older, and can earn up to $15 per hour.

The informational event will review what to expect as a Standardized Patient and the employment process to be hired.

For more information, contact Human Resources at (316) 293-2615.

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