


SHAC



Student Health Action Coalition

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What is SHAC?

- ◆ The Student Health Action Coalition
- ◆ Unique to the UNC Campus – oldest student-run free clinic in the United States
- ◆ Student volunteers from Social Work, Public Health, Physical Therapy, Pharmacy, Nursing Medicine and Dentistry
- ◆ Wednesday nights from 6:30 – 9:30/10 p.m.

Who does SHAC serve?

- ◆ All ages, races and cultural backgrounds in the Triangle area
- ◆ Large population of Spanish speaking patients.
 - ◆ Volunteers from SALSA are there to support you
- ◆ Uninsured



Why should I volunteer?

- ✦ Gain valuable experience working with diverse populations in a medical setting
- ✦ Practice your interviewing skills in a professional setting away from your field placement
- ✦ Provide an invaluable service to the community who is in desperate need of quality health care
- ✦ It's FUN!



How do I get involved?

- ✦ Sign Up: Name, Email, Phone Number
- ✦ Come to an informational meeting and training session: September 13 from 12-2pm in Room 135
- ✦ Talk to previous volunteers



For more information...

- ✦ SHAC is on Facebook! Search for SHAC UNC
- ✦ Check out the SHAC Information page on the School of Medicine's Website www.med.unc.edu/shac
- ✦ Email Kate Blackman our Volunteer Coordinator or talk with any of us
- ✦ Final Questions?

Contact Us

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