



Department of Health Career Opportunity Programs
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*2024 Bridge to the Future Health Career
Pathways Mentoring Conference*

Saturday, October 19, 2024 | 8:00 a.m.
UConn Health
Keller Auditorium

Keynote Speaker

Nurudeen Osumah, M.D., M.B.A.
UConn School of Medicine
Class of 2022



Nurudeen Osumah, M.D., M.B.A is an alumnus of the University of Connecticut School of Medicine Class of 2022. He grew up in West Haven, Connecticut and graduated from Quinnipiac University in 2016 with a degree in Biomedical Science. Dr. Osumah is currently a third-year emergency medicine resident at UConn. His passion for enhancing clinical learning environments within the medical community has been a driving force throughout his career. He has actively participated in a multitude of preparatory programs offered by the Department Health Career Opportunity Programs including the Summer Research Fellowship Program the summer of 2014, the Health Disparities Clinical Summer Research Fellowship Program the summer of 2015, and the Medical/Dental Preparatory Program Biomedical Sciences Component the summer of 2017. While in medical school, Dr. Osumah also served as a MCAT tutor for the Medical/Dental Preparatory Program and Saturday Doctors Academy mentor demonstrating his dedication to fostering educational growth. He was also involved in his Student National Medical Association’s chapter where he served as both a chapter and regional treasurer. During residency, Dr. Osumah co-chaired the UConn’s Resident Fellow Forum where he worked to identify concerns and propose effective solutions to enhance the clinical learning environment across all academic sites and residency programs. Additionally, Dr. Osumah is a member of the UConn Diversity Oversight Committee which plays a role in the recruitment, graduation, and retention of diverse residency programs. In his free time, Dr. Osumah enjoys learning about astronomy, watching soccer as a Chelsea fan, and spending time with family and friends.

College Agenda

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	<i>Registration/Breakfast</i>
8:30 a.m. – 8:35 a.m.	<i>Welcome</i>
8:35 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.	<i>Opening Remarks</i>
8:50 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	<i>Introduction of Keynote Speaker</i>
	<i>Keynote Speaker</i>
9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<i>Pathways Research Poster Symposium & UConn Health Tours</i>
10:10 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.	<i>Medical/Dental/Graduate Admissions Panel</i>
11:05 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.	<i>Dental Impressions Workshop</i>
11:05 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.	<i>Medical Breakout Session</i>
12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	<i>Lunch</i>
1:10 p.m. – 1:55 p.m.	<i>“Road to Success” & Scholar Athlete Panel</i>
1:55 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<i>Closing Remarks & Acknowledgments</i>