



# College of Health Professions

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## For Your Information – March 1, 2017

**Phonathon pledges hit new record!** – College of Health Professions students, faculty, and staff did it again this year. We set another new record for Phonathon pledges. And that means that we will have even more funds for student scholarships in the 2017-2018 academic year.

At last evening's Phonathon, student volunteers raised **\$8720** – raising our two-night total to **\$18,115**, almost \$2000 more than for last year's record-setting Phonathon! Along with donations sent before the Phonathon, our total is already \$20,325.

The front-runner on Tuesday evening was **Medical Laboratory Sciences**, who raised **\$1845** in pledges. The overall big winner for Monday and Tuesday combined was **Dental Hygiene** with **\$3065** in pledges – a new “personal best.” Other combined two-night totals were:

- Audiology and Speech Pathology - \$1845
- Cytotechnology - \$490
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography - \$2160
- Dietetics Internship - \$1105
- Genetic Counseling - \$495
- Health Information Management - \$1325
- Medical Laboratory Science - \$1845
- Nuclear Medicine Imaging Sciences - \$550
- Ophthalmic Medical Technology - \$885
- Physician Assistant - \$2450
- Radiologic Imaging Sciences - \$1495
- Respiratory Care - \$405

A special guest at Tuesday's Phonathon was **Ruth Allen**, member of the College of Health Professions' Advisory Board. Ruth is a new member of the board, having been elected in fall 2016. She is also a former associate dean of the College of Health Professions and a long-time friend and supporter of the college.

Special thanks go to [Catering to You](#) for dinner and Verizon for lending scores of phones for both evenings. **verizon**✓

## Timely Matters

For College of Health Professions **Dates to Remember**, bookmark <http://healthprofessions.uams.edu/faculty-and-staff/dates-to-remember/>

**Today** – Ash Wednesday (Christian)

**Today** – Students may begin ordering graduation regalia

**Today** – **Deadline** for posting summer and fall textbook lists  
(<http://library.uams.edu/library-services/bookstore/>)

**March 2** – **First Day of The Nineteen Day Fast** (Bahai); ends March 20

**March 3** – Last day to drop with grade of W

**March 7** – Deadline to submit items for March 29-30 Board of Trustees meeting

**March 10** – **Special Called College Meeting**, 9:30-10:30, Education Building II, room 8/121; update on program review process, e.g., program transfers, etc.

**March 20-24** – **Spring Break**; classes dismissed; department and college offices open

**April 21** – **All-College Spring Meeting**, 12:00-1:30; College of Public Health room 8/240; all faculty and staff should attend



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