Will I receive a stipend for my summer participation?

Yes, traditionally all CEYE summer students receive a MetroCard and stipend. This is contingent on funding each year, however, we do anticipate being able to provide this once again for the summer 2017 programs. The amount of each program stipend is still to be determined.

What if I do not attend a NYC public school? Can I still apply?

Unfortunately, we *do not* typically consider students that are not attending a NYC Public or Charter school.

As a point of context, each year we are contracted by the State and Federal Government to support a specific number of students with specific eligibility criteria, which includes attending a NYC Public or Charter School. That being said, we sometimes make exceptions, particularly cases where students who attend a private or catholic school receive a significant financial aid package (documentation is required). Please note that this consideration is always subject to funding and availability.

What if I am not underrepresented in medicine or disadvantaged? Can I still apply?

Subject to funding and availability, CEYE *may* consider non-URM and non-DA applicants. Please be advised that these limited slots are extremely competitive and are outside of our primary target population.

As a point of context, each year we are contracted by the State and Federal Government to support a specific number of students with specific eligibility criteria, which includes being an Underrepresented Minority (defined as African-American, Latino, Pacific Islander, or Native American) and / or economically disadvantaged (as defined by reduced or free school lunch).

What if I am an undocumented or DACA student?

Students are eligible to apply regardless of immigration status. We will neither allow immigration officials on our campuses nor provide them with information about the immigration status of our students without appropriate legal process, such as a warrant or subpoena.

Will I still receive a stipend as an undocumented or DACA student?

Unfortunately, we cannot offer undocumented students a stipend, but you will still be eligible to receive a Metrocard.

What are the times and days of each course?

The research courses run for around 3 to 4 hours a day, Monday – Friday. In addition to regular coursework, a mandatory college readiness class will take place for one hour each week. The time of the day is still to be determined, however, we anticipate the Fruit Fly Genetics and Genomics Course and Nanotechnology Course to run in the morning from around 10am – 2pm; Zebrafish Toxicology from 1pm – 4pm.

Hospital Placement is usually around 9am – 5pm, however, we do encourage students to be flexible. For instance, if a procedure or surgery is going on earlier or later, we expect our students to make the most of the opportunity and make alternative arrangements to be there.

Do I have to submit all of my documents together?

We prefer that students submit all application documents together. However, we do understand that getting your Medical Certification is contingent upon your doctor's availability, so you may submit that up to 2 weeks after your program of interest's deadline. We encourage all teacher recommendations to be submitted with the application OR via email to <u>ceyeapplications@mssm.edu</u>

Can I submit a report card instead of a transcript?

No, we ask that you please submit a copy of your latest transcript.

Can I apply to more than one program?

Yes, but we ask that you only submit ONE application and rank your preferences on the "program interest" line.