# Area 7 Spring Conference Information
The official conference memo will be posted in November, 2019

**Spring Conference Dates:**     February 14, 2020 - February 15, 2020

**Spring Conference Location:**    South Texas ISD Health Professions
700 Med High Drive
Mercedes, TX 78570

**Spring Conference Registration Deadline:**  January 29, 2020
    **Conference Registration will open after online testing results are posted**

**Spring Conference Fees:**      Students: $30
Advisors: $30
Chaperones: $30

      **STEM Premier has been renamed Tallo**

**Tallo Upload Information:**
- Used for project content in the following events. Must be uploaded by the area conference registration deadline.
    - Clinical Specialty
    - Community Awareness
    - Health Career Display
    - Health Career Photography
    - Health Education
    - Healthy Lifestyle
    - Interviewing Skills
    - Job Seeking Skills
    - Medical Innovation
    - MRC Partnership
    - Public Health
    - Public Service Announcement
    - Researched Persuasive Writing and Speaking

- Used for Student Eligibility forms in the following events. Must be uploaded by the area conference registration deadline.
    - Interviewing Skills
    - Life Support Skills
    - Personal Care
    - Speaking Skills

- Used for Texas HOSA Officer Applications. Must be uploaded by area conference registration deadline

- Used for Texas HOSA Scholarship Applications. Must be uploaded by the **state** conference registration deadline.

- Used for International HOSA Scholarship application and the Public Health Leadership Scholars

**Tallo and Competitive Event Instructions** (Click link for Instructions)

- Please note there is a file size limit for submissions on Tallo.  To avoid an upload error, please be sure to save your PDF as a compressed file or reduce the size of your embeded images. For instructions on how to do this, please visit: **http://www.hosa.org/filesize**

- **Tallo Member Tips**
  - Texas Tallo Tips
    - Always include your area and school in your profile
    - Use the name that is used on your HOSA conference registration
    - If you qualify for state competition, go back to your profile and change your area to "State"