

## STATE OF TENNESSEE

## PROCLAMATION

## BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, HOSA - Future Health Professionals is a career and technical student organization for middle school, high school, and postsecondary students who plan to pursue a health career; and

WHEREAS, HOSA provides a strong foundation for preparing tomorrow's healthcare professionals through skill development, leadership opportunities, and community service; and

WHEREAS, approximately 13,000 Tennessee students, ranging from middle school to post-secondary, are involved in HOSA; and

WHEREAS, health science education and HOSA support and encourage students whose interests lie in pursuing a health career, thereby helping to alleviate a national shortage of health workers; and

WHEREAS, HOSA promotes the development of responsible citizenship, personal integrity, and compassion for humanity;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim the week of November 6-10, 2023, as

Tennessee HOSA - Future Health Professionals Week

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this twenty-third day of October, 2023.

Governor

Secretary of State