## Medical School Early Assurance Program

What is it? The MSU College of Human Medicine (CHM) has partnered with Michigan Technological University to provide **early assurance** of medical school admission and enriched experiences for undergraduate students interested in becoming physicians in an underserved region or with an underserved population.

Who should apply? Application to the Early Assurance Program (EAP) is open to students in their junior year (or the year prior to completion of their undergraduate degree at the participating institution). Preference for EAP admission will be given to students at Michigan Tech who are the first generation to attend college, graduated from a low-income high school, are eligible for need-based grants, and who express and support their interest in a high-need medical specialty area.

How does it work? Michigan Tech will endorse and forward an application packet for those students they feel are a good fit for the program. A select group of endorsed students who have the greatest likelihood of being accepted to the program are invited to interview at MSU CHM in April; the offer of acceptance to MSU CHM is made in June. The applications are made available on the MSU CHM website starting Dec. 19, 2014. The deadline for applications is <u>February 18, 2015</u> and applicants will have until May 22, 2015 to take the MCAT.

Interested students from Michigan Tech should contact Stacy Cotey (<a href="mailto:srcotey@mtu.edu">srcotey@mtu.edu</a>; 906-2546) for more information.

Additional information may also be found on our website: MDadmissions.msu.edu

