Nashville & Atlanta
LIBA 399
Minority Influence and Impact in American Healthcare

**Details**
**Dates:** On campus: May 13-17, 2024; Travel: May 20-23, 2024  
**Credit Hours:** 3  
**Instructors:** Dr. Sovent Taylor, Director of Health Professions Advising Office  
**Cost:** $950 plus tuition.  
**Application Deadline:** March 1, 2024  
*Itinerary subject to change.*

**Students will:**
- Review the history of healthcare from the first 19 Minority Medical Schools until today  
- Learn about Henrietta Lacks and her contributions to medicine  
- Look at the significant achievements of minorities in healthcare  
- Visit the sites where many of these achievements occurred  
- Planned visits for contextualization include Meharry Medical College School of Dentistry, Morehouse School of Medicine  
- Meet with diversity and multicultural affairs professionals at Belmont Frist College of Medicine and Emory University School of Medicine  
- Visit Vanderbilt School of Nursing, the 2022 INSIGHT Into Diversity award winner  
- Discuss the social justice implications of healthcare with experts at the Centers for Disease Control, Office of Health Equity  

**Dates**
Students will meet on campus from May 13-17 in Oxford. Students will be traveling May 20-23. The instructor will determine time and location for the Oxford meetings.

**Location/Travel**
Students will participate in a week of classes on the Oxford campus. During the travel portion of the course, students will travel from Oxford to Nashville and Atlanta via a van or motorcoach.

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**Who should go?**
Students who are interested in health professions, health policy, or social justice in healthcare.

**Prerequisites**
Instructor approval, priority given to those enrolled in Health Professions Advising Office and pursuing admission to a professional school.

**Costs**
$950 plus tuition. Included in the program fee are housing, roundtrip transportation from Oxford, group transportation while traveling, and select group meals. Excluded from the cost are tuition, most meals, and personal spending money.

Once accepted to a program, the student accepts financial responsibility for Study USA program fees and tuition and must adhere to the application and withdrawal policy.

Visit [outreach.olemiss.edu/study_usa](http://outreach.olemiss.edu/study_usa) for application information.