HEALTHCARING DIFFERENTLY

Family conversation starters

Low-pressure ways to talk with a young person about a future in healthcare. Pick one question, then listen.

1 Start with the student, not the job title

- [ ] What parts of health feel most interesting to you?
- [ ] Would you rather talk to a student, a clinician or a school advisor first?
- [ ] What would make the next step feel doable this month?

2 Compare programs with care

- [ ] Note each program's current prerequisites and deadlines.
- [ ] List tuition, living, travel and application costs separately.
- [ ] Record scholarship and financial-aid contacts to verify directly.

3 Make room for mentors and rest

- [ ] Ask whether the school, community or a professional association offers mentorship.
- [ ] Help your student list questions before reaching out.
- [ ] Check in about workload, wellbeing and what support feels helpful.

General orientation only. Requirements, costs and deadlines change - always confirm with official schools and providers. healthcaringdifferently.com