



**Dear UGA Doctors Without Borders Members,**

Wow, what an amazing (**first**) year it has been! We never would have imagined that our first year would end up like this. Together, we all started this organization from scratch and worked our way up to make this organization what it is today, and we could not be more proud. **In this letter, we share with you, the statistics behind our organization, showcasing our diversity and all of the great things we were able to achieve. Our aim is to keep growing from here.**

We became an organization **inclusive** to everyone. We welcomed **different** genders, years in college, cultures, ethnicities, religions, races, career paths, and sexualities. We became a **diverse** organization, made up of many **unique** people with the **goal** of diversifying and uniting our organization, making sure everyone's **voice** was heard and **new perspectives** were introduced into our organization. Despite being different from one another, we all came together with a common goal of helping the **Athens community** and the **global community** while having each other's backs.

As an organization, we were able to provide opportunities and achieve so many **amazing** things. We held over 30 **guest speakers** from the healthcare field to give students the opportunity to virtually shadow and ask questions directly to. We held education **panels** and **presentations** to **educate** students about the local Athens community. Additionally, we held 6 different **drives** to help provide for the underserved. We had over 20 **community involvement** events helping to **administer** over 50 flu vaccines, 350 COVID-19 tests, and 325 COVID vaccines while also **educating** grade school students about the proper healthcare measures they need to take. We held **social** groups, mixers, and game nights, giving the **opportunity** for members to **interact** with one another in a safe way. We **partnered** with many great organizations to provide you all with volunteer opportunities and resources as you go into your post-undergraduate studies. Most importantly, we were able to raise **over \$20,000** making us the **#1 MSF chapter in the world for fundraising!**

All of these **amazing** things are because of **you**. The diversity in our organization, the money raised, the opportunities, the **achievements**, and the pride are because of the work **YOU** have put in. As officers, we work to find the opportunities for you, but it is you that takes part in these opportunities and make UGA MSF what it is today. **We are so thankful to all of our team members for working hard to create and put on amazing events and fundraisers.** We are **proud** of what we have **accomplished** so far but we are more excited for what's to come. From your 2020-2021 officers, we **thank you** from the bottom of our hearts and we can't wait to see what you all do in the future. **Stick together, UGA MSF Fam!**

**Your 2020-2021 UGA Doctors Without Borders Officers,**

**Simran Kaur Malhotra**  
President & Founder

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Vice President

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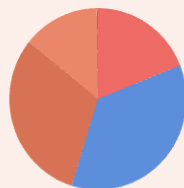
# The Statistics Behind UGA's Doctors Without Borders Student Chapter Fall 2020- Spring 2021 (1st Year)



Male (26.05%) Female (73.95%)

## Gender Data

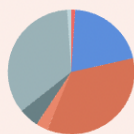
UGA MSF is welcome to all genders. Everyone is able to join and make a difference in UGA MSF.



1st Year (19%) 2nd Year (35.8%)  
3rd Year (31%) 4th Year (14%)  
5th Year or Higher (0.2%)

## Year in College

UGA MSF hopes to incorporate students from every year at UGA. This allows older students to display guidance, leadership, and teach younger students who are on a pre-health path.



American Indian or Alaska Native (1.02%)  
African American (20.41%)  
Asian (34.69%) Hispanic (3.06%)  
Middle Eastern (5.1%)  
White (34.69%) Not Listed (1.02%)

## Race, Ethnicity, and Nationality

UGA MSF is made up of a diverse group of people. Each of these members brings their own cultures and perspective into our organization. We aim to give a voice to everyone and keep improving our diversity.



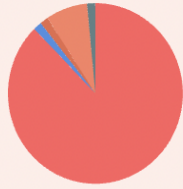
Pre-Med Intent (67.5%)  
Pre-Dent Intent (7.5%)  
Pre-PA/NP/PT Intent (10%)  
Pre-Pharm Intent (2.5%)  
Other Intent/Career Goals (12.5%)

## Pre-health Career Path

UGA MSF is a non-profit, humanitarian organization under the international organization. This branch is focused on helping people in both the Athens community and the global community. We welcome students with all career goals.

## Sexual Orientation

We welcome all students regardless of their sexual orientation. We aim to give a voice to everyone and keep improving our diversity.



■ Heterosexual (87.69%)  
■ Lesbian (1.54%) ■ Gay (1.54%)  
■ Bisexual (7.69%) ■ Other (1.54%)

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Please note: All data were obtained through optional surveys that were provided to UGA MSF members. If you are not correctly represented here and are/or would like to be a part of UGA MSF, please DM us or email us at [uga@msfchapter.org](mailto:uga@msfchapter.org).



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## The Opportunities Provided by & Achievements of Doctors Without Borders Student Chapter Fall 2020 - Spring 2021 (1st Year)

UGA MSF provides its members with many different opportunities that give them a chance to make a difference in the lives of others both globally and locally.

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### Guest Speakers

With COVID-19 preventing pre-med students from earning shadowing hours, UGA MSF sought to provide students an opportunity to learn about the medical field. UGA MSF hosted a wide variety of medical professionals including nurses, dentists, physicians, etc.

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### Panels & Presentations

Medicine and the students pursuing it are led by a desire to help others. However, there are many controversial issues that surround healthcare. The Panels-Education team aided in bringing these issues to light utilizing presentations and panels.

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### Food/Hygiene/Blood Drives

COVID-19 sidelined our organization from meeting in person. However, by using a contactless pickup strategy we were able to help donate to the Athens' community. We also teamed up with UGA Red Cross and hosted 2 blood drives.

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### Social Groups

Many of our members were forced to attend classes online due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Social groups allowed members to meet each other in a safe way where they would discuss current healthcare issues.



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### Mixers

Pre-health students are often stressed over work-life balance during school. Mixers allowed members to share their concerns with others who were going through the same thing, allowing them to recognize that they are not alone.

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### Game Nights

A pre-health student is often surrounded by work and duties. Game nights provide members a chance to take a break and socialize with new members while playing games. This year we hosted a variety of games including Taboo, Escape Rooms, a Murder Mystery, and much more.

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### Kaplan Partnered Seminars

UGA MSF partnered with Kaplan to provide members resources on preparing from their post-undergraduate plans. Kaplan offered seminars to the members explaining the exams and process of getting into medical school.

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### Member Involvement Events

UGA MSF provided members with an opportunity to participate in case studies, debate nights, suture clinics, and a Freerice service event. These events allowed members to connect with each other and discuss or practice their skills in the healthcare field.

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### Mentor-Mentee Program

The mentor-mentee program connected older and more experienced members with younger members who had just started their pre-health journey. The mentors shared their experience with the younger members and helped guide them.

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### Direct Healthcare/Community Involvement (During COVID-19 with correct guidelines)

UGA MSF was able to partner with St. Mary's Hospital, Mercy Health Clinic, local shelters, and other health care institutions to host Flu Vaccine Clinics, COVID Testing Clinics, and COVID Vaccine Clinics for the underserved community in Athens.

- 50 Flu Vaccines Administered
- 350 COVID-19 Tests Administered
- 325+ COVID-19 Vaccines Administration Help



## UGA MSF Leadership Teams

Every opportunity that was provided to members could not have been done without the 9 teams that aided in creating these events and hosting fundraisers. As our president always says, these leaders and their teams are the heart of our organization. We thank all of our team members for their hard work and support:

Social Management Team | Social Assistants Team | Social Brainstorm and Outreach Team  
Events Speaker Outreach Team | Events Panel-Education Team | Events Volunteer Team  
Health Promotion Initiative Team | Beirut Crisis Fundraiser Team  
Farmers in India Crisis Fundraiser Team | Book Group

## UGA MSF Fundraisers

# \$22,755.96

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### Beirut Crisis Fundraiser

On August 4th, 2020, an explosion occurred that left Beirut crippled. To support these people UGA MSF held a crisis fundraiser.

### COVID-19 Dares Fundraiser

COVID-19 took over the world in 2020 and UGA MSF held a Dares fundraiser to help aid in the effort for fight against COVID-19.

### Trivia Night Fundraiser

In Fall of 2020, California was fighting wildfires and Hurricane Sally had ripped through Texas. UGA MSF hosted a Trivia Night where all proceeds went to the victims of these national disasters.

### Yemen Relief Fundraiser

UGA MSF hosted classes to teach people yoga, cooking, and pumpkin painting. All proceeds raised were donated to support the people in Yemen.

### Kaplan Earned Scholarship

UGA MSF partnered with Kaplan to provide members courses from Kaplan at a discounted price.

### Rohingya Refugee Fundraiser

The Rohingya people have no home and live as refugees. In order to support them, UGA MSF held a fundraiser.

### Manav Sadhna Fundraiser

UGA MSF made valentines day boxes that were sold to be given to loved ones. All proceeds raised went to Manav Sadhna.

### Farmers in India Crisis Fundraiser

Farmers in India were stripped of their right to sell their goods at a fair price and thus went on protests that lasted 6 months. UGA MSF hosted a crisis fundraiser to help support the farmers.

### Escape Room Fundraiser

Climate Change is an emergency that has devastating consequences for global health and humanitarian needs. UGA MSF hosted a Escape Room Fundraiser where all proceeds raised would help the fight against climate change.

## **UGA MSF Sponsors and Partners**

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Mercy Health Clinic | Beta Chi Theta | Bigger Vision  
Family Promise | Alliance Recovery Center | Salvation Army  
Northeast Georgia Food Bank | PBJ | ACCA | Food 4 Lives |  
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