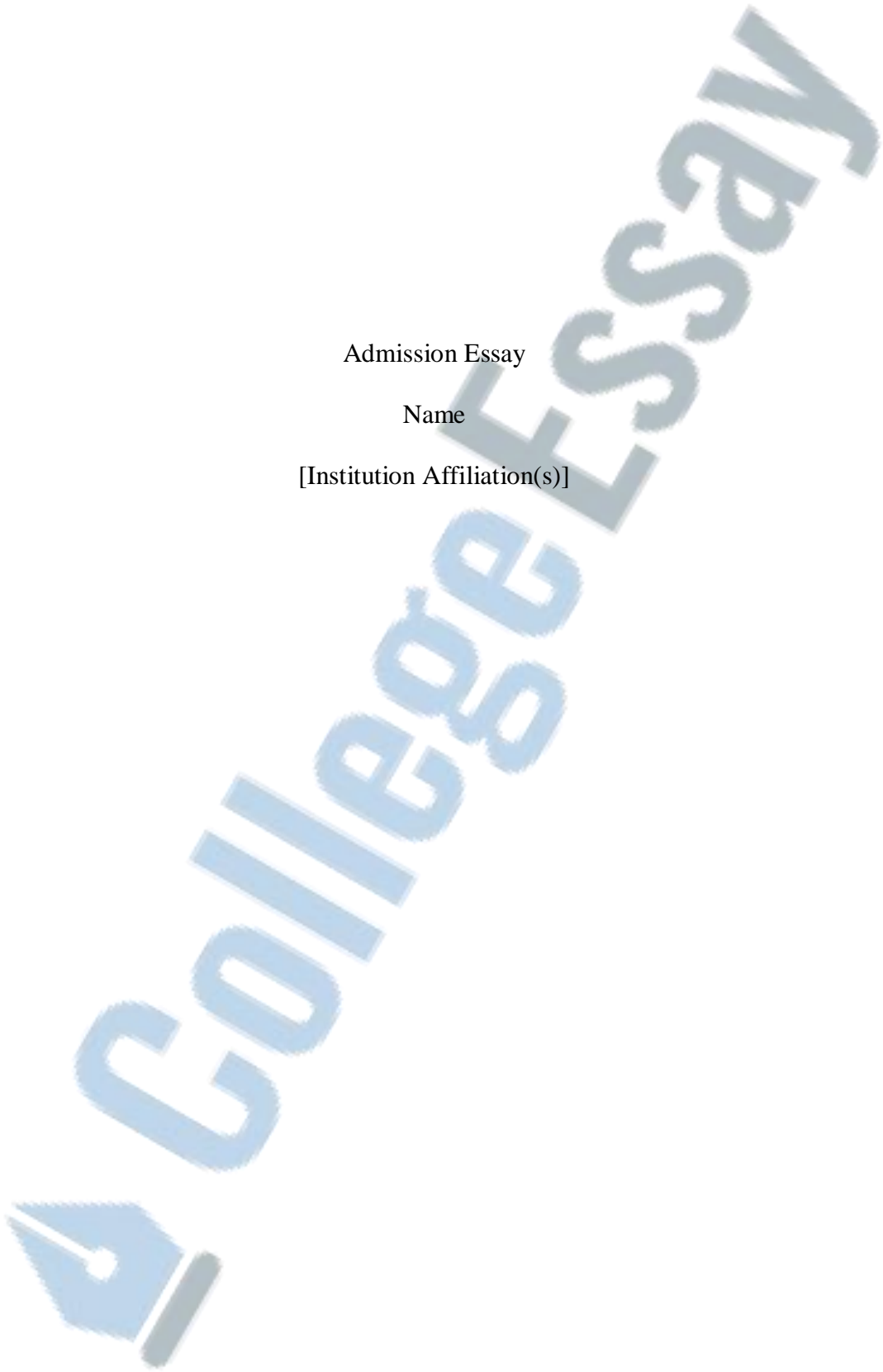


Admission Essay

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Baptist Golden Triangle offers great clinical experience in a smaller community, a flexible curriculum, and strong institutional support for its residents. The program offers hands-on experience and educational time with faculty to build lifelong relationships. I am particularly drawn by the small and dynamic nature of the team here. Additionally, I appreciate the flexibility of this program which allows me to tailor my learning to achieve my professional goals, such as culinary medicine - an emerging medical field that enables patients to make better personal health decisions about nutrition. During our conversations about food and cooking, I still need some tips from you on how to make a perfect Gumbo!

I believe I am an ideal candidate for your program due to its commitment to serving the medically underserved populations of the Golden Triangle. During my interview, I was pleased to share my volunteering experiences with Dr. Rosenblatt and discuss how my team built a free clinic in a remote village in Myanmar. Through these past experiences, I have developed the necessary skills to provide care to underserved communities, which makes me an asset to your program at BMH-GT.

During my visit, I was impressed by the attendings' eagerness to share knowledge and help residents. I also noticed a strong sense of comradery among faculty and students, as well as Dr. LeBrun's simulation training program. Residents Dr. Donald Fearn and Dr. Angelica Thapa even treated us like interns and taught us how to incubate on manikins; this experience solidified my desire to be part of such a supportive learning environment.

I am thrilled to relocate to the small city of Columbus, MS, for my BMH-GT residency. My past relocations have sharpened my communication and social skills, allowing me to adapt seamlessly to new environments. I am also looking forward to settling down here with my family. After graduation from the program, I'd like to stay in this supportive community and continue providing medical care for its underserved population.

Lastly, I would like to provide a brief update on my application materials. Recently, I had the opportunity to work with multidisciplinary teams in Thailand, providing healthcare screenings, wound cleanings, and bedside procedures to Burmese refugees. During this experience, I was able to collaborate with social workers, further opening my eyes to those who struggle for medical care. This has made me more aware of how important it is to listen and see situations from the perspective of people in need. My goal as a physician is to provide the best possible care for those that deserve it. Prior to residency, I am planning on taking Step 3 so that I can focus solely on developing my clinical skills during the intern year.

For all these reasons, BMH-GT is my absolute number one choice for residency, and I would be honored to complete my residency with your program. Thank you for your consideration. For any additional information, please contact me at my email or phone number.