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DALLAS--The new School of Allied Health Professions here has posted an approximate 50 per cent increase in enrollment as it has begun its second year of operation, with 65 students signed up in four medical training programs.

The school, a component of The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School at Dallas, opened in 1970 with an enrollment of 43.

Of its four study areas, Rehabilitation Science registered the largest percentage gain, with 19 new students compared to 10 last year. Other classes under way are in Physical Therapy, with 24 enrolled; Medical Technology, 14 students; and Dietetics Internship, eight enrollees.

Classes in Medical Technology and Dietetics Internship began Sept. 7. Rehabilitation Science students started work Aug. 30, and Physical Therapy classes began in June.

Dr. John W. Schermerhorn is new dean of the health professions school, which is based at Dallas' Methodist Hospital Annex with clinical training facilities at Methodist, Parkland Memorial Hospital and other health care institutions in the city.

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