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*****Texas Student Dietetics Assoc. meets
Nov. 3 at UTHSCD.

DALLAS--About 200 members of the Texas Student Dietetics Association will be hosted on campus by the nutrition and dietetics students of The University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas.

The program of this first statewide student meeting includes a tour of the John Sexton Company, a food distributor for hospitals, restaurants and schools. After demonstrating new products and attractive ways of serving, the company will provide the future dietitians an opportunity to try many of the products with a complimentary lunch.

A career panel will include the following practicing dietitians.

Margaret Lopez, clinical dietitian at Presbyterian Hospital, will describe her role as a health care team member in providing nutritional care for patients with specific nutritional problems. Lynne Brown, director of the Dietary Department at Mesquite Memorial Hospital, will discuss her responsibilities in managing the total operations involved in providing food and nutritional care to patients. K.K. Thomas, nutritionist for the Dallas City Health Department, will discuss her activities in providing nutrition education to the community through such programs as the Diabetes Education Program, prenatal classes and counseling in community clinics. Judi Davis, foods and nutrition consultant for the Sugar Association, will outline the aspects of working in industry as she describes her responsibilities of provision of nutrition information to public schools and other groups.

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