

Hofstra PA Program: Medical Equipment CO 2025

In addition to your MEA (Medical Equipment Affiliates) supply bags, the following **three** items must be obtained. A high-quality **stethoscope**, a **diagnostic set**, and a **short white jacket**. We have attached a link to both MDF and Steele to help you order your equipment. Use MDF link for the MDF stethoscopes and Riester diagnostic sets, and Steele for Littman stethoscopes, and Welch Allyn diagnostic sets. The jacket may be purchased through Steele or any medical clothing store.

Below is some information about which equipment to purchase. If you want to come in to Hofstra, we can show you samples of some of the equipment.

1. **Stethoscope** – Adult (Professional color advised i.e. black, navy)
Please look for a **double sided or double head stethoscope (one with a separate bell and diaphragm)**. The new Littman's do not have a separate bell and diaphragm.

Recommended:

MDF 777 MD One Stethoscope -\$54.90

Littman Classic III - \$94--114

*if you would like a higher end stethoscope, **we recommend:**

MDF 797 Classic Cardiology - \$99.99 (74.99 if purchased with Riester Diagnostic Set)

MDF Procardial C3 Cardiology Titanium 129.99 (104.99 if purchased with Riester Diagnostic Set)

Littman Cardiology IV 27 - \$ 188-209

2. **Otoscope/ Ophthalmoscope Diagnostic Set**

Most of these come in a set or a kit.

Recommended:

Riester ri-scope (non rechargeable) regular battery with L3 Otoscope Head, and L2 Ophthalmoscope Head with 100 specula and ear insufflator bulb - **\$360** + Specula #100

or

Riester ri-scope with L3 Otoscope Head, and L2 Ophthalmoscope Head with 100 specula and ear insufflator bulb - **\$450** + Specula #100

or

Welch Allyn 3.5V Diagnostic Set (71-SS2CXX) \$369

*If purchasing the Welch Allyn Set, we would recommend obtaining some additional ear specula, and ear insufflator bulb (21504 Insufflator Bulb for 71 Series: + \$8.00), and extra ear specula (52434-34 Adult Specula 34: + \$2.00)

Any “pocket kit”, such as Welch Allyn 2.5 V PocketScope Otoscope/Ophthalmoscope Set, is **NOT recommended**.

3. **Short White Coat** –

Jacket length is required to be at the hip (student length)

- 175 Unisex Consultation Jacket White
 - 419 Unisex Consultation Jacket White with PDA Pocket
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Enclosed is the MDF web site (for MDF stethoscopes – MDF will donate 10% of all purchases to our student club (Global Medical Brigades) for mission support.

[MDF Order Link](#)

or

Enclosed is the Steele web site (Discounted for Hofstra Students) for Welch Allyn Diagnostic Sets / Littman Stethoscopes.

[Steele Order Link](#)

Retail:

Any local medical supply or homecare store

Doc Brown’s Books – 2093 Wantagh Avenue, Wantagh, New York (516) 221-3801

Please note that some stores may offer a discount if equipment is purchased in bulk. It may be a good idea for a few class representatives to organize this ordering process. Steele orders will be shipped directly to Hofstra to decrease shipping costs. MDF orders will be shipped directly to the student.