## **Dimensions**

The Operations Committee for Dimensions supervises the distribution of funds and activities for the Program. In keeping with the mission of Dimensions as a campus-wide resource focused on issues related to healthcare and students pursuing careers in the health sciences, we desire wide representation on the Operations Committee. Participation on the committee is for a one-year renewable term.

Representatives from the natural and social sciences, humanities, and other disciplines represented at the College assure that the program has a strong interdisciplinary base. The Operations Committee meets on an as-needed basis, usually 3-4 times per year and reviews funding applications throughout the year by email. Listed below are the specific responsibilities of the Operations Committee.

- 1. The Committee regularly reviews and provides advice to the Administration on overall program design.
  - a. The Committee provides advice on and assists in the development of program components, workshops, internships and student-faculty research.
  - b. The Committee assists in identifying links between the College and leading individuals and institutions in health care, including the identification of opportunities for internships and student research and the identification of speakers and other distinguished visitors to the campus.
- 2. The Committee helps to identify students who would benefit from participation in the Program's activities and resources.
- 3. The Committee reviews applications from each of the following areas and informs the Senior Director of the Berry Career Institute of decisions for funding. The Senior Director reviews the awards and Senior Director or the Associate Director of Dimensions sends out the awards.
  - a. <u>Internships (including health profession related Cornell Fellows positions)</u>, <u>Research experiences, and Independent Projects</u>. Students may apply for financial support for experiences receiving academic credit including 380, 390 and 399 projects.
  - b. <u>Visitors and Seminars</u>. Faculty may request funding to bring visitors to campus to give seminars or participate in courses related to the mission of Dimensions. These requests may be made throughout the academic year.

<u>International Opportunities</u>. Students apply to participate in international opportunities such as Operation Walk on a yearly basis.