Texas Medical Schools
University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
University of Texas Health Science Center—Houston Medical School
University of Texas Health Science Center—San Antonio Medical School
Texas A&M University Health Science Center
University of North Texas Health Science Center
Paul L. Foster School of Medicine
University of Texas Medical Branch — Galveston
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
Baylor College of Medicine
Dell Medical School (admitting 2016)
University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (admitting 2016)

Applying to Medical School
Application services include:

- Texas Medical and Dental Schools Application Service, www.tmdsas.com
- American Medical College Application Service, www.aamc.org (Baylor College of Medicine and allopathic schools outside of Texas)
- American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine Application Service, www.aacom.org (used for osteopathic schools outside of Texas)

Preparing for the MCAT?
Visit www.aamc.org/mcat for information about the test

Exam Preparation Materials:

ExamKrackers
Kaplan
Princeton Review

The MCAT will also cover Introduction to Sociology (SO CI 1510) and General Psychology (PSYC 1630 & 1650)

Get Involved!*

Alpha Epsilon Delta
Pre-Health Minority Club (Alpha Delta)
Medically Dedicated Students
UNT’s Volunteer Organizations
American Medical Association
Texas Medical Association
American Association of Medical Colleges

*See the back and our website for more information on resources: http://cas.unt.edu/advising/health-professions
Mapping the Pre-Medical Journey

*With the help of your advisor, use the prerequisite courses listed on the following page to create an individual plan for your pre-medical ambitions*

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**FALL Timeline**
- Attend application seminar
- Attend personal essay workshop
- MCAT Preparation

**Spring Timeline**
- Attend interview workshop
- PPAC Application due in March
- MCAT Prep/Take Exam

**SUMMER**: Apply to medical schools through TMDSAS, AMCAS, and/or AACOMAS. Interviews with medical schools are typically July through December.

**FALL Timeline**
- Medical School Interviews

**Spring Timeline**
- January—Match Date
- February—Informed by Medical Schools if accepted
General Prerequisite Coursework for Texas Medical Schools
A ‘C’ or better is required in all coursework
Completion of a degree is STRONGLY recommended

BIOL 1710 (3hrs) General Biology I
BIOL 1720 (3hrs) General Biology II
BIOL 1760 (2hrs) General Biology Lab
BIOL Electives (6hrs)
  Recommended: BIOL 2041/2042, BIOL 3800, BIOL 3510, or BIOL 3451/3452
CHEM 1410/1430 (4hrs) General Chemistry I
CHEM 1420/1440 (4hrs) General Chemistry II
CHEM 2370/2371 (4hrs) Organic Chemistry I
CHEM 2380/3220 (4hrs) Organic Chemistry II

BIOC 3621 (3hrs) Elementary Biochemistry*
  Alternatives: BIOC 4540 or BIOC 4550
PHYS 1410/1430 (4hrs) General Physics I
PHYS 1420/1440 (4hrs) General Physics II
ENGL 1310 (3hrs) College Writing I or 1700 (3hrs) Intro to Technical Writing
ENGL 1320 (3hrs) College Writing II or 2700 (3hrs) Technical Writing
MATH 1680 (3hrs) Elementary Probability and Statistics

*Biochemistry is not required for all schools. See below for more information.

Additional Information by School

UT Southwestern
1 semester of biochemistry is accepted towards the biology requirement
Recommended for BIOL elective:
  BIOL 3451/3452, BIOL 4201/4202, BIOL 4055/4056, BIOL 2301/2311, BIOL 2302/2312, BIOL 4290
1 semester of biochemistry is required, choose from: BIOC 4540 or BIOC 4550
Math: 1 semester of Calculus OR Statistics

UTHSC-Houston
Recommended for BIOL elective:
  BIOL 3451/3452, BIOL 4201/4202, BIOL 2301/2311, BIOL 2302/2312

UTHSC-San Antonio
In addition to the 14 hours of biology, three semester hours of biochemistry is required

TAMU Health Science Center
6 of the 14 hours of biological sciences must be at the advanced level; 3 of the advanced hours must be from biochemistry (BIOC 3621, BIOC 4540, or BIOC 4550)

UNT-HSC
1 semester of biochemistry is accepted towards the biology requirement
Recommended for BIOL elective:
  BIOL 3451/3452, BIOL 4201/4202, BIOL 2301/2311, BIOL 2302/2312, BIOL 4290

Paul L. Foster
2017: Biochemistry is required, and can help satisfy either the biology or chemistry requirements
2017: Statistics is required (will no longer accept Calculus)
As of now, Statistics OR Calculus will be accepted
Recommended: 12 hours of Humanities, Social Sciences, or Behavioral Sciences
Biostatistics and Cellular/Molecular Biology is preferred

UT Medical Branch
Statistics or Calculus is accepted
Recommended: BIOC 3621, BIOC 4540, or BIOC4550; BIOL 2301/2311, BIOL 2302/2312, BIOL 4201, BIOL 3451/3452

Texas Tech HSC
Of the 14 hours of biology, 6 must be at the advanced level
Biochemistry is required and can be used toward the biology or chemistry requirement

Baylor College of Medicine
Requirements include:
  3 hours of Math or Statistics
  4 hours of English Writing
  12 hours of Humanities/Social Sciences
  6-8 hours of Organic Chemistry (lab is not required)
  3-4 hours of Biochemistry (lab is not required)
  3-4 hours of Advanced biology (lab is not required)
Recommended: Spanish

*Program requirements may change without notice and vary with each school. Please see your academic advisor to further explore the requirements of the school in which you are interested.*
Webpages and Resources

Texas Medical Schools

University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center
http://www.utsouthwestern.edu/
University of Texas Health Science Center—Houston Medical School
https://www.uth.edu/
University of Texas Health Science Center—San Antonio Medical School
http://www.uthscsa.edu/
Texas A&M University Health Science Center
http://tamhsc.edu/
University of North Texas Health Science Center
http://web.uthsc.edu/
Paul L. Foster School of Medicine
http://elpaso.ttuhs.edu/fostersom/
University of Texas Medical Branch—Galveston
http://www.utmb.edu/
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center
http://www.ttuhs.edu/
Baylor College of Medicine
https://www.bcm.edu/
Dell Medical School (admitting 2016)
http://www.utexas.edu/dell-medical-school

Student and Professional Associations

Alpha Epsilon Delta
http://aedunt.wix.com/texastheta
Alpha Delta: Pre-Health Minority Club
https://orgsync.com/9926/chapter
Medically Dedicated Students
https://orgsync.com/10711/chapter
UNT’s Volunteer Organizations
http://studentaffairs.unt.edu/
American Medical Association
http://www.ama-assn.org/ama
Texas Medical Association
http://www.texmed.org/
American Association of Medical Colleges
https://www.aamc.org/

Contact Us

To schedule an advising appointment, please contact our front desk at 940-565-2051. Have a quick question? Feel free to send us an e-mail using the addresses listed on the front page.

The best way to achieve your academic and career goals is to ask for help! We are committed to providing you the best service possible, so we look forward to seeing you in the near future!

MCAT Information and Preparation

About the MCAT
https://www.aamc.org/students/applying/mcat/
MCAT Prep Materials
http://www.examkrackers.com/
http://www.kaptest.com/
http://www.princetonreview.com/

Experience and Additional Resources

Physician Scribing
http://www.scribeology.com/
http://scribeinnovations.com/
http://www.docassistscribe.com/

Career Exploration
https://www.aamc.org/students/aspiring/
http://texasjobjobs.mobi/
http://explorehealthcareers.org/en/home

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