

HEALTH PROFESSIONS QUICK FACTS



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA
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Pre-Health
Professions Advising

	ALLOPATHIC MEDICINE (MD)	OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE (DO)	PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT (PA)	PHARMACY (PHARM D)	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (OT)	PHYSICAL THERAPY (PT)	DENTAL (DDS)
NUMBER OF APPLICANTS FROM UA	434 ¹	114 ²	142 ²	87 ²	64 ²	60 ²	33 ²
PERCENT OF UA STUDENT ACCEPTED	38% ¹	44% ²	40% ²	90% ²	not available	67% ²	48% ²
NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS NATIONALLY (NAT)	51,455 ¹	22,307 ²	26,855 ²	15,741 ²	not available	18,387 ²	10,867 ²
PERCENT OF STUDENTS NATIONALLY ACCEPTED	43% ¹	47% ²	37% ²	79% ²	not available	58% ²	56% ²
AVERAGE GPA OF ACCEPTED STUDENTS (NAT)	3.72 CUM. 3.65 SCI ³	3.60 CUM. 3.53 SCI ²	3.71 CUM. 3.53 SCI ²	3.31 CUM. 3.15 SCI ²	not available	3.57 CUM. 3.40 SCI ²	3.56 CUM. 3.47 SCI ²
AVERAGE TEST NATIONALLY	511 ³	503 ⁶	V – 154 Q – 153 W – 4.1 ¹⁰	58.50 ¹³	not available	not available	20.50 ¹⁸
TEST REQUIRED	MCAT	MCAT	GRE or PA-CAT	PCAT	GRE	GRE	DAT
NATIONAL ORGANIZATION	AAMC	AACOM	PAEA	AACP	AOTA	APTA	ADEA
COMMON APPLICATION	AMCAS	AACOMAS	CASPA	PharmCAS	OTCAS	PTCAS	AADSAS
SCHOOL DATABASE	MSAR	ChooseDO.org	PAEA	PharmCAS	AOTA	PTCAS	Explorer
NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	154 ³	36 ⁷	291 ¹¹	152 ¹⁴	246 ¹⁵	261 ¹⁶	76 ¹⁹
AVERAGE AGE TO START	24 ⁴	23 ⁸	25 ¹²	24 ¹³	not available	23 ¹⁷	not available
AVERAGE NUMBER OF SCHOOLS APPLIED TO	17 ⁵	9 ⁹	7 ¹²	3 ¹³	not available	6 ¹⁷	10 ²⁰
MOST COMMON MAJORS FOR UARIZONA APPLICANTS	Physiology MCB Neuroscience Biology Biochemistry ¹	Physiology MCB Nutrition Public Health Neuroscience ²	Physiology Public Health Nutrition Biology Psychology ²	Physiology Public Health Nutrition Biology Psychology ²	Psychology Public Health Special Education Fam & Consum Sc Rehab Studies ²	Physiology Public Health Psychology Nutrition Neuroscience ²	Physiology Nutrition Biology MCB Psychology ²

SOURCES

- ¹ AAMC Advisor Information System (AIS) 2018-19 Cycle Data
- ² WebAdMIT Universal Advisor Portal (UAP) 2018-19 Cycle Data
- ³ AAMC Applicant & Matriculant Data Report 2018-19
- ⁴ AAMC Age Report 2018
- ⁵ AAMC Applicant Data Report 2020
- ⁶ AACOMAS Applicant & Matriculant Profile Summary Report 2018
- ⁷ ChooseDO.org 2020
- ⁸ AACOM Matriculant Report 2018
- ⁹ AACOM Applicant Report 2019
- ¹⁰ PAEA Research Program Report 34: 2019)
- ¹¹ PAEA School Directory 2020
- ¹² CASPA Applicant & Matriculant Report 2020
- ¹³ PharmCAS Applicant Data Report 2018-19
- ¹⁴ PharmCAS School Directory 2020
- ¹⁵ AOTA Academic Programs Annual Data Report 2017-18
- ¹⁶ PTCAS School Directory 2020
- ¹⁷ PTCAS Applicant Data Report 2017-18
- ¹⁸ ADEA DAT Scores for Dental School Enrollees Report 2008-2018
- ¹⁹ ADEA Dental School Explorer 2020
- ²⁰ ADEA Report on US Dental School Applicants 2018