

QUICK FACTS ABOUT MD PROGRAMS

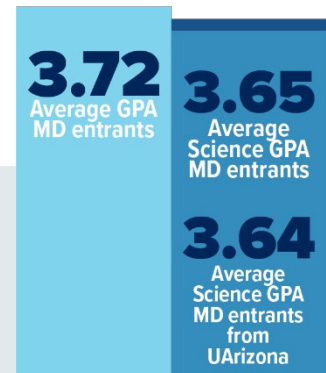
DO UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA STUDENTS HAVE AN ADVANTAGE AT UARIZONA COLLEGE OF MEDICINE TUCSON (UACOMT)?

- 73% of 2019 UACOMT students were AZ residents¹
- 48% of 2017-19 UACOMT students took UArizona classes²

48%
TOOK UARIZONA CLASSES

WHAT GRADES AND MCAT SCORES DO UARIZONA STUDENTS WHO GET ACCEPTED INTO MEDICAL SCHOOL HAVE?

- AVG MCAT = 507
- AVG CUM GPA = 3.72
- AVG Science GPA = 3.64²



WHAT ARE THE NATIONAL AVERAGES FOR MCAT SCORES AND GPAS FOR STUDENT WHO GET ACCEPTED INTO MEDICAL SCHOOL?

- AVG MCAT = 511
- AVG CUM GPA = 3.72
- AVG Science GPA = 3.65³

450+

UARIZONA STUDENTS APPLY TO MEDICAL SCHOOL EVERY YEAR

HOW MANY STUDENTS FROM UARIZONA APPLY TO MEDICAL SCHOOL EVERY YEAR?

- 457 students applied on average each year between 2017-19²
- UArizona is the 22nd largest supplier of medical school applicants in the U.S.⁴

WHERE DO UARIZONA STUDENTS APPLY TO MEDICAL SCHOOL MOST COMMONLY?

- Students from UArizona matriculated into 52 different medical schools in 2019²
- 100 or more UArizona students applied to these schools, on average, between 2017 – 2019²
 - The University of Arizona College of Medicine Tucson
 - The University of Arizona College of Medicine Phoenix
 - The Mayo Clinic Alix School of Medicine Arizona
 - The University of Colorado School of Medicine
 - The Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine & Science in Chicago
 - The University of Washington School of Medicine
 - Creighton University School of Medicine
 - George Washington University School of Medicine
 - Oregon Health Sciences University School of Medicine
 - David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA



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AS A HISPANIC SERVING INSTITUTION, HOW WELL DO UARIZONA SPANISH/LATINX/HISPANIC STUDENTS DO WHEN APPLYING TO MEDICAL SCHOOL?

- The acceptance rate of students who reported this identity in 2019, was 9% higher than the national average.²
 - From UArizona = 53%
 - Nationally = 44%

WHAT WERE THE MOST COMMON MAJORS FOR UARIZONA STUDENTS AND NATIONALLY WHO GOT ACCEPTED INTO MEDICAL SCHOOL?

- At UArizona, the most common majors for students who applied and got accepted were:²
 - Physiology
 - Molecular & Cellular Biology
 - Neuroscience
 - Biochemistry
 - Biology
- Nationally, these percentages of students who applied to medical school from these types of majors got into and started medical school in 2019.
 - Biological Sciences Major = 40% of applicants matriculated
 - Humanities Major = 47% of applicants matriculated
 - Social Sciences Major = 40% of applicants matriculated



OF THOSE WHO STARTED MEDICAL SCHOOL, NATIONALLY, WHAT TYPES OF ACTIVITIES DID THEY PARTICIPATE IN?

- 95% shadowed a healthcare professional
- 92% volunteered in healthcare
- 86% volunteered outside of healthcare
- 60% did lab research
- 55% took an MCAT prep class⁵

WHEN SHOULD I APPLY TO MEDICAL SCHOOL?

Apply when you are ready and feel you are as competitive as possible.

64% of students, nationally, who started medical school in 2019 took 1 or more gap years or were re-applicants⁵

SOURCES

1. UACOMT Website 2019
2. AIS System Data 2018-19 Cycle Data
3. AAMC Applicant and Matriculant Data Report 2018-19
4. AAMC Table A-2 2019-20
5. AAMC Matriculant Survey 2018-19



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