



# MCAT

## Preparation Courses



131 Bloor Street West, Suite 200-390    1027 Davie Street, Suite 900  
Toronto, ON M5S 1R8    Vancouver, BC V6E 4L2  
416-924-3240    604-683-3430

Toll free: 1-800-269-6719

[info@oxfordseminars.ca](mailto:info@oxfordseminars.ca)

[www.oxfordseminars.ca](http://www.oxfordseminars.ca)

## Table of Contents

About Our Course	3
Convenient Weekend Schedule	3
22-hour Course Outline	3
40-hour Course Outline	3
Our Instructors	4
Free Repeat Policy	4
Limited Class Size	4
Additional Services	4
Medical School Application Process	4
Our Commitment to You	4
Our Upcoming 22-hour MCAT Courses	5
Our Upcoming 40-hour MCAT Courses	5
How to Register	6
Medical School Profiles	8

*"What attracted me most to this course was price, convenience, location, the free repeat policy, and, most importantly, its reputation."*

-M. Joshi

Dear Student:

Thank you for enquiring about our MCAT preparation courses.

The Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) is unlike any test you have ever written. Through a standardized yet unconventional question format, the MCAT tests your knowledge in physics, chemistry, biology, organic chemistry, verbal reasoning, and analytical writing. The MCAT is administered 26 times per year. To register for the exam, please contact the Association of American Medical Colleges by telephone at 202-828-0690 or online at [www.aamc.org/students/mcat](http://www.aamc.org/students/mcat).

Our intensive 22-hour and 40-hour courses are well-organized, challenging courses designed for students who wish to maximize their competitive position in relation to other students writing the MCAT. We focus on building the skills you need to master the MCAT. Our dynamic instructors give you a comprehensive understanding of each section of the MCAT, cover tactics specific to individual sections, and review strategies which apply to the test as a whole.

If you want a competitive edge over other students writing the MCAT, consider Oxford Seminars. We maintain the highest standards for all our instructors and only select and train those instructors who have years of distinguished teaching experience and who have demonstrated outstanding achievement on the MCAT. We have successfully taught thousands of students. Our courses are conveniently held on university campuses across Canada.

Our research department has compiled a summary profile of all medical schools across Canada. In our continuing efforts to assist students with the entire medical school application and admissions process, we have enclosed a copy of the useful profiles.

A word of caution from our knowledgeable instructors about commercially available MCAT preparation materials: unfortunately, much of this material is poorly researched and does not reflect the current MCAT. Our written materials are constantly updated and reflect the most recent changes in the MCAT.

Please review the enclosed information and contact us if you have any further questions. To register for any upcoming course, call our office or complete and return the attached registration form. We look forward to hearing from you.

Customer Service and Registration  
 Oxford Seminars

## About Our Course

We offer the most effective, up-to-date course available, and back it with a commitment to ensuring your personal success on the MCAT.

Our highly trained, dynamic instructors focus on effective test-taking strategies. We thoroughly review all topics covered by the MCAT. During our courses, you will be exposed to a variety of strategies which include: reviewing specific scientific principles, effective problem solving in physics, chemistry, and biology, synthesizing concepts and ideas, critical reading of passages, drawing proper inferences and deductions, learning to recognize wrong answer types, working strategically under strictly timed conditions, and developing an effective personal study schedule.

In order to expose you to the latest MCAT test format, our written materials are constantly updated, and questions from recent MCAT tests will be taken up in class. Thus, you will be able to evaluate your own strengths and weaknesses and focus on those areas where you need the most practice.

## Convenient Weekend Schedule

Our comprehensive weekend courses let you concentrate in an atmosphere free from distractions and interruptions. Our MCAT test preparation course costs \$595 plus tax (22-hour) and \$845 plus tax (40-hour), and both are held on university campuses across Canada. We stand firmly behind our total immersion approach to MCAT test preparation.

### 22-hour Course Outline

Friday Course Registration, MCAT Overview, and Verbal Reasoning  
(6:00pm-10:00pm)

Saturday Physical Sciences (Physics & Chemistry), Medical School Applications and Admissions Process  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

Sunday Biological Sciences (Organic Chemistry & Biology), Exam Writing Strategies, and a General Overview  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

### 40-hour Course Outline

Friday Course Registration, MCAT Overview, and Verbal Reasoning  
(6:00pm-10:00pm)

Saturday Physical Sciences (Physics & Chemistry), Medical School Applications and Admissions Process  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

Sunday Biological Sciences (Organic Chemistry & Biology), Exam Writing Strategies, and a General Overview  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

Saturday Additional Physical Sciences (Physics & Chemistry), and Additional Verbal Reasoning  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

Sunday Additional Biological Sciences (Organic Chemistry & Biology), and a Review of Questions  
(9:00am-6:00pm)

*"I would definitely recommend this course. It brings the benefits of experience to those who have never written the test before and who are not sure of what to expect."*

-C. Moray

## **Our Talented and Experienced MCAT Course Instructors**

At Oxford Seminars, we maintain the highest standards for all our instructors. We hire and extensively train only the most qualified instructors who have not only scored in the top 2% of all MCAT test-takers, but who also have years of distinguished teaching experience.

At the end of each and every course, our students are asked to evaluate our teaching staff. They typically tell us that they find our instructors approachable, highly knowledgeable, and able to present difficult material in a dynamic and interesting manner which facilitates learning and understanding.

## **Free Repeat Policy**

Our MCAT courses include a free repeat policy which allows students to repeat the entire course one time, free of charge, within one year of their original course start date. Some students take advantage of this policy to review and re-attend our test prep course for double the preparation time at one low price. In order to ensure a low student-to-instructor ratio, we ask free repeat students to contact us in advance to reserve their place in the upcoming MCAT course.

## **Limited Class Size**

In order to ensure a low student-to-instructor ratio, our MCAT courses have a limited enrolment with spaces allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. The small class size provides a comfortable setting with ample opportunity for interaction with our talented and experienced MCAT course instructors.

## **Additional Services**

For those students who have particular difficulty with any aspect of the MCAT, we offer individual tutoring sessions with one of our highly skilled instructors.

## **Medical School Application Process**

In today's competitive academic climate, a winning application can be the difference that makes you stand out among the thousands of students applying to medical schools across Canada (and the United States).

Our courses include a comprehensive understanding of all areas of the application and admissions process. We cover how to write persuasive personal statements, how to carefully choose your references, which extra-curricular activities you should highlight, how to improve the presentation of your past and present academic record, which medical schools you should apply to, how admissions committees operate, and how to avoid common traps and mistakes.

## **Our Commitment to You**

Oxford Seminars provides excellence in test preparation at an affordable price. When asked to evaluate our courses, over 98% of our students say they recommend us to their friends. We offer high quality instruction for students who want to invest in their future. Our goal is to help you achieve an outstanding MCAT test score. Since 1992, we have successfully prepared thousands of students to write the MCAT exam.

*"[This course] touches on every aspect of the MCAT. The instructor was exemplary. He moved at a good pace and brought with him a wealth of information concerning both the MCAT and the med school application process."*

-D. Griffiths

# Upcoming Courses

## Our Upcoming 22-hour MCAT Courses

March 14, 15, 16	Toronto – U of T
May 2, 3, 4	Toronto – U of T
May 30, 31, June 1	Calgary – U of C • Halifax – Dalhousie U
June 6, 7, 8	Toronto – U of T
June 20, 21, 22	Kingston – Queen’s U
July 11, 12, 13	Edmonton – U of A • Toronto – U of T
July 18, 19, 20	Calgary – U of C • Halifax – Dalhousie U
July 25, 26, 27	Victoria – UVic
August 15, 16, 17	Toronto – U of T

## Our Upcoming 40-hour MCAT Courses

March 14, 15, 16, 22, 23	Toronto – U of T
May 2, 3, 4, 10, 11	Toronto – U of T
June 6, 7, 8, 14, 15	Toronto – U of T
July 11, 12, 13, 19, 20	Toronto – U of T
August 15, 16, 17, 23, 24	Toronto – U of T

## How to Register

Our MCAT test preparation course costs \$595 plus tax (22-hour) and \$845 plus tax (40-hour). To reserve a spot in any upcoming course, a \$95 deposit is required upon registration. You may register in any of the following ways:

### Telephone

Call our offices toll free at 1-800-269-6719 (Toronto: 416-924-3240, Vancouver: 604-683-3430) and register with a credit card (VISA, MasterCard, or American Express).

### Online Registration

To complete your online registration, please select a course from our locations and dates page at [http://www.oxfordseminars.ca/MCAT/mcat\\_dates.php](http://www.oxfordseminars.ca/MCAT/mcat_dates.php) and follow the online registration process.

### Fax

Print and fill out the registration form included in this information package. Fax the completed form to 1-800-955-9950.

### Mail

Print and fill out the registration form included in this information package. Mail your registration form to:

Oxford Seminars  
131 Bloor Street West, Suite 200-390  
Toronto, ON  
M5S 1R8

**OR**

Oxford Seminars  
1027 Davie Street, Suite 900  
Vancouver, BC  
V6E 4L2

# MCAT

Date of Registration (dd/mm/yy)

		/			/		
--	--	---	--	--	---	--	--

### Student Information (\* REQUIRED FIELDS)

\* First/Given Name

\* Last/Family Name

\* Street Address – Line 1

Street Address – Line 2

\* City

\* Province    \* Postal Code

\* Phone Number (Area code + number)

\* Email Address

### Course Information

City

Course Dates

### Payment Information

- I have enclosed:**
- \$95 Registration Deposit (balance payable on the first day of the course)
  - Full Course Fee (choose your desired location and course length from the chart below)

COURSE LOCATION	TAX	MCAT 22	MCAT 40
Alberta	+ GST	<input type="radio"/> 624.75	<input type="radio"/> 887.25
British Columbia	+ GST	<input type="radio"/> 624.75	<input type="radio"/> 887.25
Manitoba	+ GST	<input type="radio"/> 624.75	<input type="radio"/> 887.25
Nova Scotia	+ HST	<input type="radio"/> 684.25	<input type="radio"/> 971.75
Ontario	+ HST	<input type="radio"/> 672.35	<input type="radio"/> 954.85

- Early Registration Discount applies: Save \$50 when you register and pay in full 28 days or more before the course start date.

Total Payment:

### About the Courses

All MCAT courses run 6:00pm - 10:00pm Friday, 9:00am - 6:00pm Saturday and 9:00am - 6:00pm Sunday.

Course locations and dates are subject to change. Please be advised that courses must obtain a minimum number of registrants in order to proceed.

### Refund and Withdrawal Policy

We will refund your full tuition if you withdraw from the course at least two weeks in advance.

We will refund your full tuition if the course for which you want to register is full (we will place your name on a waiting list).

We will retain the \$95 deposit if you withdraw from, or change any course you are registered in, less than two weeks in advance.

### Contact Us

**Telephone**  
 Call our offices toll free at 1-800-269-6719 (Toronto: 416-924-3240, Vancouver: 604-683-3430).

**Fax**  
 Print and fill out this registration form. Fax the completed form to 1-800-955-9950.

**Mail**  
 Print and fill out this registration form. Mail the completed form to:

Oxford Seminars 131 Bloor Street West, Suite 200-390 Toronto, ON M5S 1R8	<b>OR</b> Oxford Seminars 1027 Davie Street, Suite 900 Vancouver, BC V6E 4L2
---	--

- I am paying by:**
- Cheque
  - Money Order
  - Visa
  - MasterCard
  - American Express

Cardholder Name (as it appears on the card)

Credit Card Number (no spaces)

Expiry Date (mm/yy)

Cardholder Signature

### Special Offers and Discounts

**Early Registration Discount** – Save \$50 off the course price if you register with full payment at least 28 days prior to the first day of any course.

**Learn with a Friend Discount** – Get a friend to register in the same course as you and you will each receive an additional \$30 off the course price. All students must register before the course start date. For complete details and to take advantage of this offer, call our offices toll free at 1-800-269-6719.



**OXFORD**  
S E M I N A R S  
Est. 1992

# Medical School Profiles

University of Alberta  
University of British Columbia  
University of Calgary  
Dalhousie University  
University of Manitoba  
McGill University  
McMaster University  
Memorial University of Newfoundland  
Northern Ontario School of Medicine  
University of Ottawa  
Queen's University  
University of Saskatchewan  
University of Toronto  
The University of Western Ontario

**Compliments of:**

Oxford Seminars  
Excellence in Test Preparation  
1-800-269-6719  
[www.oxfordseminars.ca](http://www.oxfordseminars.ca)



# University of Alberta

Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry    Tel: (780) 492-6621  
University of Alberta    Fax: (780) 492-7303  
2J2.00 WC Mackenzie Health Sciences Centre    Email: [admission@med.ualberta.ca](mailto:admission@med.ualberta.ca)  
Edmonton, AB T6G 2R7    [www.med.ualberta.ca/admissions/md](http://www.med.ualberta.ca/admissions/md)

*Application Deadline:*    November 1 [\$75 application fee for University of Alberta students; \$115 application fee for all other students]  
For admission in September 2014, applicants must have written the MCAT no later than September 2013, and no earlier than November 2008.

*First-Year Class Size:*    162 [1,458 applicants]

*Tuition:*    \$13,281.26 [plus additional student fees]

*Admissions:*    Minimum of two full years of university applicants must be registered in or have completed a degree program] two official transcripts, two letters of reference, a minimum of five descriptions of personal activities, and an interview.

**Minimum GPA:** for applicants with four or more years of university, minimum GPA is 3.3 for Alberta residents and 3.5 for non-Alberta residents. For applicants with two or three years of university, 3.7 is the minimum GPA.

**Average MCAT:** 11 in Biological Sciences, 11 in Physical Sciences, 10 in Verbal Reasoning. The Admissions Committee has a minimum requirement of seven (7) or better in all categories. Scores less than these will not be considered.

*Prerequisite Courses:*    Full-year courses in General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Biology, Physics, English, and half-year courses in Biochemistry and Statistics.

# University of British Columbia

MD Undergraduate Admissions Faculty of Medicine, Dean's Office    Tel: (604) 822-2421  
University of British Columbia    Fax: (604) 822-6061  
317–2194 Health Sciences Mall    Email: [admissions.md@ubc.ca](mailto:admissions.md@ubc.ca)  
Vancouver, BC V6T 1Z3    [www.med.ubc.ca](http://www.med.ubc.ca)

- Application Deadline:* September 16, 2013 [For September 2014 Admission]  
MCAT Score must be received by October 1, 2013 [Scores from the last 5 years are considered valid.]  
[\$111 fee for applicants from BC; \$164 fee for Out-of-Province applicants, plus a \$32 fee for Out-of-Province transcripts.]
- First-Year Class Size:* 288 [192 for the Vancouver Fraser Medical Program (UBC-Vancouver), 32 for the Island Medical Program (U of Victoria), 32 for the Northern Medical Program (UNBC), and 32 for the Southern Medical Program (UBC-Okanagan); 1891 total applicants]
- Tuition:* \$16,081 [textbooks \$2,200, total student fees \$986, supplies \$765, other costs \$156]
- Admissions:* Minimum of three full years (or 90 credits) of university, proof of Canadian citizenship, autobiographical sketch, official transcripts, and an interview.
- Average GPA:** A / 85.40% [minimum GPA of 70% for BC residents, 80% for Out-of-Province]
- Average MCAT:** 11.55 in Biological Sciences, 11.20 in Physical Sciences, 9.75 in Verbal Reasoning, and Q on the Writing Sample section. Applicants with scores less than 7 in any of the Verbal Reasoning, Biological & Physical Sciences, or less than M on the Writing Sample, will be ineligible.
- Prerequisite Courses:* Full-year courses (min. 6 credits) in each of Biology, Organic Chemistry, General Chemistry, Biochemistry, and English.

# University of Calgary

Office of Admissions, Faculty of Medicine    Tel: (403) 220-4262  
University of Calgary    Fax: (403) 210-8148  
3330 Hospital Dr NW    Email: [ucmedapp@ucalgary.ca](mailto:ucmedapp@ucalgary.ca)  
Calgary, AB T2N 4N1    [www.ucalgary.ca/mdprogram/admissions](http://www.ucalgary.ca/mdprogram/admissions)

- Application Deadline:*    October 15 [\$150 application fee]  
MCAT must be taken no later than September 10 in year of application [MCAT scores from as far back as 1991 will be accepted]
- First-Year Class Size:*    170 [85% Alberta residents, 15% other applicants; 1,875 applications]
- Tuition:*    \$14,864 [books & instruments \$5,000 (year one), general fees \$1,022]
- Admissions:*    Minimum of two full years of university, autobiographical essay, extracurricular activities, three letters of reference, and an interview.
- Minimum GPA:** 3.2 [Alberta residents]; 3.6 [residents outside Alberta]
- Average MCAT:** 10.30 in Biological Sciences, 10.40 in Physical Sciences; 10.30 in Verbal Reasoning.
- Prerequisite Courses:*    Recommended full-year courses in Biology, Biochemistry, Physiology, English, General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, and Physics, in addition to one-term courses in each of the following two groupings: Psychology, Anthropology or Sociology, and Calculus or Statistics.

# Dalhousie University

Admissions Coordinator, Faculty of Medicine    Tel: (902) 494-1874  
Room C-124, CRC Building    Fax: (902) 494-6369  
5849 University Ave    Email: [medicine.admissions@dal.ca](mailto:medicine.admissions@dal.ca)  
Halifax, NS B3H 4R2    [www.medicine.dal.ca](http://www.medicine.dal.ca)

- Application Deadline:* August 15 for Online Application [\$70 application fee]  
September 5 for Transcripts and MCAT scores [Last sitting for MCAT must be no later than August 3]
- First-Year Class Size:* 112 [102 Maritime\* residents, 8 non-Maritime residents, 1 resident of Saudi Arabia, and 3  
Supernumerary Seats; 897 total applications]  
[81 assigned to Halifax Campus and 31 to New Brunswick Campus]
- Tuition:* \$17,139 [includes ancillary fees]
- Admissions:* Four-year Bachelor's degree strongly preferred [though three-year degrees will be considered], personal  
essay, letters of reference, and an interview.
- Average GPA: 3.8**
- Maritime Students: minimum GPA of 3.3 in each of last two consecutive years of full-time study.  
Non-Maritime Students: minimum GPA of 3.7 in each of last two years of full-time study.
- Average MCAT: 29**
- Maritime Students: minimum total score of 24 is required, and applicant must score at least 8 in each of the  
numerical sections [although a score of 7 may be permitted in one category if compensated with higher score in  
another section].  
Non-Maritime Students: minimum total score of 30 is required, and applicant must score at least 10 in each of  
the numerical sections [although a score of 9 may be permitted in one category if compensated with higher score  
in another section].
- \*Dalhousie designates as Maritime any residents or students from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince  
Edward Island.
- Prerequisite Courses:* No specific course requirements, though it is recommended that all applicants have taken courses in  
Chemistry, Physics, and Biology at a challenging level.

# University of Manitoba

Admissions, Faculty of Medicine    Tel: (204) 789-3557  
University of Manitoba    Fax: (204) 789-3928  
260 Brodie Centre - 727 McDermot Ave    Email: registrar\_med@umanitoba.ca  
Winnipeg, MB R3E 3P5    www.umanitoba.ca/medicine

- Application Deadline:*    October 4 - including supplemental application [\$125 application fee, though if application is submitted by September 23 the fee is \$95]  
November 1 – all transcripts must be received  
Last sitting of MCAT that will be accepted is September 12 [only scores from MCAT exams written between April 2008 and September 10 will be considered]
- First-Year Class Size:*    110 [approximately 90% Manitoba residents, 10% other applicants; more than 732 total applicants]
- Tuition:*    \$8,400 [not including books, resources, and other general fees]
- Admissions:*    Three-year Bachelor's degree [four-year degree strongly preferred], two official transcripts, three letters of reference, and Multiple Mini Interviews.
- Average GPA:** 4.15 [on a scale of 4.5; minimum GPA of 3.3]
- Average MCAT:** 10.6 on each section [minimum required score of 7 on each section]
- Prerequisite Courses:*    For applicants with general (three-year) degrees, 18 credit hours in Social Sciences/Humanities courses must have been completed; applicants with four-year degrees may waive up to 12 of these hours. All applicants must have completed a minimum of 6 credit hours in Biochemistry at the university level with a minimum grade of C no later than June 27, 2014. All first year students must possess certification in Basic Life Support CPR. Recommended courses include Life Sciences, particularly Anatomy, Microbiology, Physiology, and Genetics.

# McGill University

Office of Admissions, Equity & Diversity    Tel: (514) 398-3517  
Faculty of Medicine, McGill University    Fax: (514) 398-3595  
1210 - 1010 Sherbrooke St W    Email: aed.med@mcgill.ca  
Montreal, QC H3A 2R7    www.medicine.mcgill.ca/medadmissions/

*Application Deadline:*    March 1[\$140 application fee]  
MCAT results dating more than five years from the relevant application deadline will not be considered

*First-Year Class Size:*    185 (169 Quebec residents) [618 applicants]

*Tuition:*    \$6,728.77 [Quebec residents], \$15,154.24 [Out-of-Province Canadian residents],  
\$37,945.15 [International residents]

*Admissions:*    Four-year Bachelor's degree, official transcripts, Personal Narrative with Abstract, two-page curriculum vitae, three referee reports, proof of citizenship and/or residency, and Multiple Mini Interviews.

**Average GPA:** 3.84 [Average science prerequisite GPA is also 3.84]

**Average MCAT:** 33 [11.76 in Biology, 11.39 in Physics, and 9.95 in Verbal Reasoning]

**Minimum MCAT:** 30, with no scientific sectional score below 9 and no Verbal Reasoning score less than 8.

If you are an applicant in the Quebec University [including Non-Traditional Pathway], Quebec First Nations and Inuit, or Out-of-Province Canadian University categories, and your degree for the basis of admission is from a Canadian university, you are not required to write the MCAT. For such applicants, submission of MCAT results is optional.

If you are an applicant in the above-mentioned categories but your degree is from a non-Canadian university, you are required to write the MCAT; submission of all MCAT results is compulsory.

If you are an applicant in the International University category, you are required to write the MCAT; submission of all MCAT results is compulsory.

Applicants in the Quebec CEGEP category (for entry to Med-P program) are exempt from the MCAT.

*Prerequisite Courses:*    Full-year university-level courses, with laboratory work, in each of Biology, General Chemistry, and Physics, and one semester of university-level Organic Chemistry, with laboratory work. Though not required, university-level courses in Biochemistry, Cell and/or Molecular Biology are strongly recommended.

# McMaster University

MD Program Manager, Cathy Oudshoorn Tel: (905) 525-9140 ext. 22141  
Michael G. DeGroot School of Medicine, McMaster University Fax: (905) 546-0349  
1280 Main St West, MDCL - 3107 Email: oudsh@mcmaster.ca  
Hamilton, ON L8S 4K1 www.fhs.mcmaster.ca/mdprog

- Application Deadline:* October 1, 2012, 4:30 p.m. EDT. [must register your intent to apply by September 15]  
MCAT must have been written within five years prior to application deadline [scores older than five years will not be considered]
- First-Year Class Size:* 203 [192 Ontario residents; 11 Out-of-Province Canadian residents]; 4,560 applicants
- Tuition:* \$25,664.97 [includes supplementary fees]
- Admissions:* Three-year Bachelor's degree, official transcripts, autobiographical submissions, and a Multiple Mini Interview. Applicants must also complete a 90 minute computer-based test called CASPer, which assesses interpersonal skills and decision-making abilities. Offers of admission will be conditional upon incoming students completing a Basic Life Support Training for Health Care Providers course after June 1, 2013.
- Average GPA:** 3.82 (minimum GPA: 3.0)
- Average MCAT Verbal Reasoning:** 11.07  
[McMaster uses only the Verbal Reasoning score in the selection process. A minimum score of 6 on the MCAT Verbal Reasoning is required].
- Prerequisite Courses:* No prerequisite courses, although many successful applicants come from scientific backgrounds.

## Memorial University of Newfoundland

Admissions Office, Faculty of Medicine    Tel: (709) 777-6615  
Memorial University of Newfoundland    Fax: (709) 777-8422  
Room 1751, Health Sciences Centre, 300 Prince Philip Dr    Email: munmed@mun.ca  
St. John's, NL A1B 3V6    www.med.mun.ca/admissions/home.aspx

*Application Deadline:*            September 16 [\$75 application fee]

*First-Year Class Size:*            77 [57 Newfoundland (3 Aboriginal), 4 Prince Edward Island, 10 New Brunswick, 5 non-Maritime residents, 1 Yukon] – 485 applicants

Student spaces reserved for:

Newfoundland and Labrador: 57 [170 applications]

Aboriginals residing in Newfoundland and Labrador: 3 [15 applications]

New Brunswick: 10 [70 applications]

Prince Edward Island: 4 [35 applications]

Yukon Territory: 1 [10 applications]

\*Other Canadian Provinces/Non-Canadian: 5 [200 applications]

*Tuition:*                                \$6,250 [Canadian citizens], \$30,000 [International students]  
[Supplementary fees will apply]

*Admissions:*                        Bachelor's degree, two referee reports, official transcripts, MCAT scores, and an interview. Applicants must also be aware of the Essential Skills and Abilities Required for the Study of Medicine, which outlines the technical standards all successful applicants to the program will demonstrate. There is no predetermined academic average or MCAT score required, but high academic standing and high MCAT scores are essential for admission.

**Average GPA:** 3.7

**Average MCAT:** 10 on each individual section and Q on the Writing Sample.

*Prerequisite Courses:*            Six credit hours in English at a recognized university or university-college.



# Northern Ontario School of Medicine

West Campus	East Campus
955 Oliver Rd Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5E1	935 Ramsey Lake Rd Sudbury, ON P3E 2C6
Tel: (807) 766-7300 Fax: (807) 766-7370	Tel: (705) 675-4883 Fax: (705) 675-4858
Email: <a href="mailto:admissions@nosm.ca">admissions@nosm.ca</a>	<a href="http://www.normed.ca">www.normed.ca</a>

- Application Deadline:* October 1 [OMSAS online application account must be created by September 15]
- First-Year Class Size:* 64 [61 students from Northern Ontario]; 1,756 total applicants [36 assigned to Laurentian Campus and 28 to Lakehead Campus]
- Tuition:* \$19,275 [technology fee of \$1,100, and university-specific ancillary fees will apply]
- Admissions:* Four-year Bachelor's degree [mature students may apply with only a three-year degree], admission questionnaire, proof of Canadian citizenship or permanent resident status, three Confidential Assessment Forms from referees, an autobiographical sketch, and an interview.
- Average GPA:** 3.72 [minimum of 3.00]
- MCAT:** Not required [will not be considered by selection committee]
- Prerequisite Courses:* No specific courses required, though it is recommended that applicants present in their applications a broad-based undergraduate education. Applicants with majors in science should have completed at least two full course equivalents in the Arts, Social Sciences and/or Humanities, while applicants with majors in Arts, Social Sciences and/or the Humanities will be expected to have completed at least two full course equivalents in science within their degree program.

# University of Ottawa

Admissions - Faculty of Medicine    Tel: (613) 562-5409  
University of Ottawa    Fax: (613) 562-5651  
451 Smyth Rd, Room 2046    Email: [admissmd@uottawa.ca](mailto:admissmd@uottawa.ca)  
Ottawa, ON K1H 8M5    [www.medicine.uottawa.ca](http://www.medicine.uottawa.ca)

*Application Deadline:*    October 1 [must register your intent to apply by September 15]  
[These deadlines are both for the OMSAS application; the University of Ottawa does not set its own deadlines as applicants are directed to provide the OMSAS with all supporting documentation]

*First-Year Class Size:*    165

*Tuition:*    \$22,854 [includes incidental fees]

*Admissions:*    Three-year Bachelor's degree, admission questionnaire, proof of Canadian citizenship or permanent resident status, three Confidential Assessment Forms from referees, a detailed autobiographical sketch, and an interview.

**Minimum GPA:** 3.0 [on a scale of four]

**MCAT:** Not required. Accordingly, the applicant's academic records will be scrutinized that much more closely.

*Prerequisite Courses:*    One full-year course in General Biology including laboratory session; one full-year course in Humanities or Social Sciences [or two semester-long courses from two separate disciplines]; the equivalent of two full-year courses from the following Chemistry courses: i) General Biochemistry without laboratory session, ii) General Chemistry with laboratory session, iii) Organic Chemistry with laboratory session. Medical students must have completed a Basic Rescuer Level C [Adult, Child, and Infant] CPR course within a year prior to registration in the medical program. The St. John Ambulance course is strongly recommended.

## Queen's University

Undergraduate Medical Education    Tel: (613) 533-3307  
Queen's University    Fax: (613) 533-3190  
80 Barrie St    Email: [queensmd@queensu.ca](mailto:queensmd@queensu.ca)  
Kingston, ON K7L 3N6    <http://meds.queensu.ca>

*Application Deadline:*    October 1 [must register your intent to apply by September 15]  
[Last accepted sitting for MCAT is September 12; results for any test written within 5 years of the application submission are valid]

*First-Year Class Size:*    100

*Tuition:*    \$23,503.37

*Admissions:*

Minimum three years of undergraduate study, three Confidential Assessment Forms from referees, an autobiographical sketch, official transcripts, police check, proof of immunizations, personal information form, proof of Canadian citizenship, and an interview.

**Average/Minimum GPA:** not published.

**Average/Minimum MCAT:** not published.

*Prerequisite Courses:*    There are no prerequisite or recommended courses.

# University of Saskatchewan

College of Medicine, University of Saskatchewan    Tel: (306) 966-4030  
A217 Health Sciences Building    Fax: (306) 966-2601  
107 Wiggins Rd    Email: med.admissions@usask.ca  
Saskatoon, SK S7N 5E5    www.medicine.usask.ca/index.html

- Application Deadline:*    October 15 [\$125 application fee]  
[MCAT score must be current within the past 5 years]
- First-Year Class Size:*    84 [minimum 90% of seats are reserved for Saskatchewan residents (10% of Saskatchewan seats are reserved for Aboriginal applicants)]  
[approximately 800-900 applications received annually]
- Tuition:*    \$14,930 [additional student fees will apply]
- Admissions:*    Minimum two full years of undergraduate study, official transcripts, proof of Canadian citizenship, interview, criminal record check, and three reference letters.
- Average GPA:** >90% for Out-of-Province residents [Minimum of 83%]  
>82 % for Saskatchewan residents [Minimum of 78%]
- Minimum MCAT:** 26 [with no sectional score below 8] and N on the Writing Sample. 30 for Out-of-Province applicants.

*(continued on next page)*

*Prerequisite Courses:*

Standard First Aid certificate. Prerequisite courses are determined according to the undergraduate institution attended (please see below).

**University of Saskatchewan:**

- Biology 120 and either Biology 121 or BIOL/BMSC 224
- Chemistry 112 and 250
- Physics 115 and 117 [formerly Physics 111]
- English 110 or any two of English 111, 112, 113, and 114
- Social Science/Humanities – 6 credits
- Biomedical Science 200 and 230 [formerly Biochemistry 200 and 211]

**University of Regina:**

- Biology 100 and 101
- Chemistry 104 and 140 [formerly Chemistry 102 and 240]
- Physics 109 and 119
- English 100 and 110
- Social Science/Humanities – 6 credits
- Biochemistry 220 and 221\* [\*formerly Biochemistry 320]

**Out-of-Province Canadian Universities:**

- Section 1 applicants – SK residents at non-SK institutions [valid until fall 2011 entry with old MCAT requirement written by end of 2008]

- Section 2 (MCAT) applicants – recommended courses:

- Biology – two terms introductory level
- Chemistry – one term each of general & organic
- Physics – two terms introductory level
- English – two terms introductory level
- Social Science/Humanities – two terms
- Biochemistry – two terms

# University of Toronto

Office of Admissions, Awards, and Finance    Tel: (416) 978-7928  
Medical Sciences Building, University of Toronto    Fax: (416) 971-2163  
1 King's College Cir    Email: [medicine.admiss@utoronto.ca](mailto:medicine.admiss@utoronto.ca)  
Toronto, ON M5S 1A8    [www.md.utoronto.ca/admissions.htm](http://www.md.utoronto.ca/admissions.htm)

- Application Deadline:*            October 1 [must register your intent to apply by September 15]
- First Year Class Size:*            259 [approximately 3,000 applications received annually]  
   [205 assigned to the St. George Campus and 54 to the Mississauga Campus]
- Tuition:*                                \$21,089.54
- Admissions:*                        Three full years of undergraduate study, four essays, autobiographical sketch, three letters of reference, criminal record check, proof of immunization, and an interview.
- Average GPA:** 3.88 [on a scale of four; minimum GPA of 3.6 is required]
- Average MCAT:** 11 in Biological Sciences, 11 in Physical Sciences, 10 in Verbal Reasoning, and Q on the Writing Sample section [minimum score of 9 on each section and N on the Writing Sample].
- Prerequisite Courses:*            Minimum of two full-course equivalents in any Life Science and one full-course equivalent in any of the Social Sciences, Humanities, or Languages. Standard First Aid, and a CPR "Basic Rescuer" course are required.

## The University of Western Ontario

Admissions & Student Affairs    Tel: (519) 661-3744  
Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry    Fax: (519) 850-2958  
Room K1, Kresge Building, University of Western Ontario    Email: [admissions.medicine@schulich.uwo.ca](mailto:admissions.medicine@schulich.uwo.ca)  
London, ON N6A 5C1    [www.schulich.uwo.ca/admissions](http://www.schulich.uwo.ca/admissions)

- Application Deadline:*            October 1 [must register your intent to apply by September 15]
- First-Year Class Size:*            The maximum number of places available in first year is 171 [2,372 applicants]  
[133 assigned to London Campus, 38 to Windsor Campus]
- Tuition:*                                \$21,868.70 [plus approximately \$2,200 for textbook expenses]
- Admissions:*                         Four-year Honours degree, three Confidential Assessment Forms from referees, proof of Canadian citizenship, proof of immunization, police records check, basic life support training, and an interview.
- Minimum GPA:** 3.70 [on a scale of four]
- Minimum MCAT:** 10 in Biological Sciences, 9 in Physical Sciences, 11 in Verbal Reasoning.
- Prerequisite Courses:*            While there are no required undergraduate courses, a mixture of Biological/Medical Science courses and Social Science/Humanities courses is recommended. Training in Standard First Aid and a CPR “Basic Rescuer” course (Level C) are required.