

Allopathic Medicine (MD) Prerequisites

	General Biology (with lab)	General Chemistry (with lab)	Organic Chemistry (with lab)	Biochemistry	Physics (with lab)	Mathematics/ Statistics	Humanities/ Social Sciences	English Composition	Advanced Science Electives	Electives	Spanish
UC Davis SOM	1 year (lab recommended)	1 year (lab recommended)	1 year (lab recommended)	Courses accepted if unable to take 1 year of Organic Chemistry	1 year (lab recommended)	-	-	-	-	-	-
UC Irvine SOM	1.5 year (lab recommended) including 1 upper- div bio course	2 years (lab recommended)			1 Year	Calculus and Biostatistics recommended	1 Quarter	Recommended	Anatomy, Cell Biology, Immunology, Microbiology, Neuroscience, Psychology (intro, abnormal and developmental) recommended	-	-
UC Riverside SOM	8 semester hours (lab optional)	16 semster hours (lab optional)			8 semester hours (lab optional)	8 semester hours	8 semester hours	8 semster hours	-	-	3 semster hours (recommended)
UCLA David Geffen SOM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence			
California Northstate University COM	3 quarters (with lab)	2 quarters (with lab;minimum 8 units)	2 quarters (with lab;minimum 8 units)	1 quarter	3 quarters	3 quarters calculus and/or statistics	Recommended	3 quarters	Behavioral sciences, Anatomy, Physiology, Microbiology, Immunology		-
University of Colorado SOM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence		Computer Sciences, Genetics recommended		
Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science	3 quarters (with lab)	3 quarters (with lab)	3 quarters (with lab)	3 quarters	3 quarters (with lab)	3 quarters, Calculus	Ethnic Studies/social justice (Recommended)	3 Quarters	Scientific Writing (Recommended)	Sociology, Psychology, Philosophy/Ethics (All Recommeded)	Recommended
Baylor COM	Advanced Bio 6 units, lab optional. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED: genetics, cell/molecular bio	-	12 units, lab optional	6 units, lab optional	Accepted as math requirement	6 units, Biostatistics preferred, ex. statistics, calculus, physics	18 units, required	6 units (Expository Writing required)	-	-	Recommended
Washington University SOM in St. Louis	1 year	1 year	1 year	I course, recommended (1 semester can be substituted for 1 semester of Organic Chemistry)	1 year	1 year calculus (statistics can be substituted for semester of calculus)	-	-	-	-	-
Drexel University COM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	-	-	-
Stanford University SOM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	-	-	Fluency in Spanish or Asian language, recommended
Keck SOM of USC		No specific course requirements. Competency in sciences. See MSAR for recommended coursework.									
University of Pennsylvania Perelman SOM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	-	-	-
University of Michigan SOM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	-	-	-	-
George Washington SOM & Health Sciences Rush University COM	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	Competence	-	-	-
Johns Hopkins SOM	12 units hours (with lab) with a seperate 6 units cource devoted to genetics	12 units (with lab)	6 units (with lab)	6 units (Lab optional)	12 units (with lab)	12 units, calculus and/or statistics, statistics recommended	36 units, including at least 2 writing-intensive courses		-	-	-
Rush University COM	Completion of algebra (or higher-level math), Biochemistry, Cellular Biology, and Physiology; humanities/social sciences recommended										
Western Michigan Homer Stryker M.D. School of Medicine	Upper division science coursework in biochemistry, genetics, human anatomy, human physiology, and statistics recommended										
Wayne State University School of Medicine, Admissions	12 units (lab recommended)	12 units (lab recommended)	12 units (lab recommended)	Recommended	12 units (lab recommended)	Recommneded	Recommended	-	Recommended	Medical Ethics Recommended	-



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University of Pittsburg School of Medicine	12 units, (excluding Microbiology, Botany, Ecology, and Anatomy) (with one full year lab or a single two credit lab)	12 units (with one full year lab or a single two credit lab)	6 units (with one half year lab or a single half credit lab)	6 units	12 units (with one full year lab or a single two credit lab)	6 units , preferably Biostatistics (excluding Calculus)	6 units of psychology recommended	12 units	-	-	-
UCSF School of Medicine	12 units with lab	12 units (total with at least 6 units of ochem) with lab	6 units (with lab)	1 cource (also counts towards 1 year of biology/chemistry)	6 units	-	-	-	-	-	-
UC San Diego School of Medicine	1 year (with lab)	1 year with lab)	1 year with lab)	1 quarter	1 year with lab)	1 year	-	-	-	-	-
Kaiser Permanente Bernard J. Tyson School of Medicine	1 year (with lab)	1 year (with lab)	Recommended	Recommended	1 year (with lab)	Calculus and Statisitcs Recommended	1 quarter	1 quarter	Population health, epidemiology, or other public health course Recommended	-	Any language other than English Recommended

This chart is a guide only. Additional courses may be recommended. Always check programs' websites before applying as their prerequisites may have been updated without us knowing.

- Units shown are quarter units. Some requirements shown are estimated equivalents to semester units.
- If a school appears to have no requirements, then that school's admissions requirements are based on competencies, not courses. See school website for details.
- If you have any questions, contact the school or visit the school website.

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