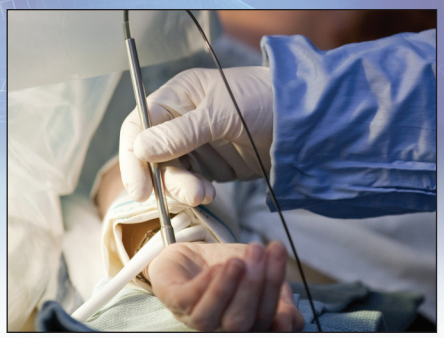
Premedical Post-Baccalaureate Undergraduate Certificate Program



The University of Delaware Premedical Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program is designed for those qualified students who have previously completed a bachelor's degree in a non-science related field but now want to fulfill the requirements for admission to medical or other health professional schools.

Accepted students will work closely with the UD Medical Scholars Program and the Center for Premedical/Health Profession Studies to develop a structured individualized program of study that addresses the requirements for admission to medical or other health professional schools.

EARNING THE CERTIFICATE

The program requires up to a total of 44 undergraduate core prerequisite credit hours in primarily science-related departments. Additional elective courses will be recommended from non-science departments.

Students who complete at least 26 hours of the program and maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.5 with no grade less than a "B" will be awarded a Certificate of Excellence in Pre k edical/Health Profession Studies. Earning the certificate is meant to enhance students' standing as an applicant to a health care professional school based on the high quality of work accomplished throughout the program.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Students wishing to apply to the program must meet the following criteria:

- A bachelor's degree from an accredited institution
- A minimum 3.0 overall undergraduate grade point average
- Two letters of recommendation
- A completed application for the Premedical Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program
- Transcripts from all previous undergraduate and graduate study programs

TIME TO COMPLETE

The Premedical Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program is designed so that students have the potential for completing the program in one to two academic years, depending on their undergraduate background. For students needing additional coursework or who may need additional time to complete the program, an alternative schedule may be designed in consultation with a UD health professions advisor.

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