

The profession of medicine is an exciting blend of art and science. The science of medicine stems from a constantly growing body of knowledge. Students study the accumulated body of knowledge and acquire skills of precise measurement, reasoned interpretation of data, and careful planning for management of their patients' health and illness. The art of medicine relates to the fact that many judgments made by physicians are intuitive rather than precisely reasoned. Students acquire the communication, listening, and evaluation skills to support their judgments. An applicant to the field of medicine needs a people-oriented background and good communication skills as well as good grounding in the biological and physical sciences.

Admission Requirements www.uchsc.edu/sm/mstp/admissions.html#requirements

- Applicants must be U.S. Citizens or permanent residents
- Applicants must have completed requirements for a bachelor's degree at an accredited academic institution prior to matriculation with excellent academic credentials.
- All applicants must meet the following admissions prerequisite requirements at the University of Colorado School of Medicine"

Inorganic Chemistry	8 hrs	Biology	8 hrs
College English/Literature	9 hrs	College Mathematics*	6 hrs
Organic Chemistry	8 hrs	Physics	8 hrs

*Should include at least college-level algebra and trigonometry or the equivalent by means of advanced placement. Calculus is strongly recommended. Speech is also recommended.

Many students find a course in biochemistry to be helpful, although this is not a requirement for admission. Literature and composition requirements are based on the recognized need for future physicians to have skills in communication. In order to receive credit for advanced placement, the subject matter credited must be listed on an official college transcript.

CCA's Recommended Degree Program: Associate of Science. 120 credit hours required for transfer; 60 at CCA + 60 at upper-division level.

The MSTP Admissions Committee is looking for individuals with a demonstrated commitment to medical research and service to community. The committee looks at applicants as whole individuals, equally assessing academic achievement with past experience. Letters of recommendation, substantive bench research experience, test scores, and life experiences are all considered.

The MST Program is NATIONAL in scope: it is open to residents of the 50 states and the District of Columbia.

As a federally funded program, the UCHSC MSTP actively seeks women and underrepresented students. We are committed to the enrollment of a diverse body of talented students.

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