

Postbaccalaureate Premedical Programs

Several of the nation's osteopathic medical schools offer postbaccalaureate premedical programs, with variations in degree offerings, duration, and level of affiliation with the school's medical programs. Students can receive either a graduate degree or a certificate of completion, and may be eligible for entrance interviews or direct transition to the medical program.

College	Postbaccalaureate Preparation Program	Transitional/Conditional Admission Agreements with COM
Arizona College of Osteopathic Medicine of Midwestern University (AZCOM-MWU)	MA and MBS in Biomedical Sciences	If the enrolled student meets certain eligibility requirements, entrance interview is granted.
Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine of Midwestern University (CCOM-MWU)	MA in Biomedical Sciences	If the enrolled student meets certain eligibility requirements, entrance interview is granted.
Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM)	Certificate program and MS in Biomedical Sciences	All post-bac students who meet the medical school entrance requirements are offered interviews.
Liberty University College of Osteopathic Medicine (LUCOM)	MS in Biomedical Sciences	Candidates who are referred by the Admissions Committee to the MSBS at Liberty University and earn a 3.5 GPA or better with no grade less than a B in any class will be admitted to LUCOM
Lincoln Memorial University-DeBusk College of Osteopathic Medicine (LMU-DCOM)	MS in Biomedical Sciences and MS in Anatomical Science	Candidates who are admitted into the Master's program are guaranteed an interview provided they apply through AACOMAS and maintain a GPA of 3.0 or better.
Marian University College of Osteopathic Medicine (MU-COM)	The program has two tracks: Post-Baccalaureate Certificate and MS in Biomedical Sciences	Students in the Post-Baccalaureate Certificate program who attain a GPA of 3.5 or greater in the fall semester will have a guaranteed interview for the DO program in the spring semester, as long as a complete application has been submitted to AACOMAS and MU-COM in the fall. Pending accreditation approval, the intended start date for both tracks is August 2014. Interested candidates should contact the Office of Enrollment Management at (317) 955-6297 for more information.
Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine (NSU-COM)	Master of Biomedical Science	This program allows students to demonstrate that they can be successful in the DO program at NSU-COM. Students take courses in human biology and medicine to improve their academic credentials in order to be considered for admission. Enrollees in this program take basic science courses alongside the osteopathic medicine students. Courses offered include gross anatomy, histology, neuroanatomy, biochemistry, microbiology, physiology, pathology and pharmacology. After the first year, students who achieve an 80% or above in each course and have a successful interview will be admitted into the DO program.
Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine (OU-HCOM)	None	Students are guaranteed admission to the next entering class if they achieve a cumulative GPA of 3.0 in the post-bac program. Participants are also required to participate in the Pre-Matriculation Program prior to the start of medical school at OU-HCOM.
Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (PCOM)	MS in Biomedical Sciences	There is no linkage between the MS and DO programs, but candidates who apply and meet certain criteria can be assured an interview.
Georgia Campus-Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine (GA-PCOM)	MS in Biomedical Sciences	There is no linkage between the MS and DO programs, but candidates who apply and meet certain criteria can be assured an interview.
Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine-New York (TouroCOM-NY)	MS in Interdisciplinary Sciences	MS students who achieve a 3.5 GPA and successfully pass a cumulative final examination administered at the end of the program are eligible to begin the DO program in the fall of the following year.
Touro University College of Osteopathic Medicine-California (TUCOM-CA)	MS in Medical Health Sciences	Candidates who are admitted into the Master's program are guaranteed an interview with the COM, provided they apply through AACOMAS and maintain a Master's GPA of 3.0 or better. Including the most recent cohort, 95% of Master's students who applied were accepted. For more information, visit admissions.tu.edu/msmhs-com .
Touro University Nevada College of Osteopathic Medicine (TUNCOM)	MS in Medical Health Sciences	Students are encouraged to visit the website at www.tun.touro.edu for the specific requirements that MHS students must fulfill in order to gain admissions into the DO program.
Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (VCOM)	Certificate Program	A nine month pre-med program offered to individuals interested in applying to a medical or other healthcare program. This is a strong preparation program for career enhancers, including those from rural areas, and underrepresented minority backgrounds. There is a direct acceptance option into VCOM's DO program for students who meet GPA and other benchmarks.
Western University of Health Sciences College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific (Western U/COMP)	MS in Medical Sciences	Students who link with the medical school and meet certain criteria are granted admission.
William Carey University College of Osteopathic Medicine (WCUCOM)	Master's of Biomedical Science	The Master's program is not a bridge program into WCUCOM.