

Requirements

FGCU/USF BS/MD Medical Education Program

The FGCU/USF BS/MD *Medical Education Program* at Florida Gulf Coast University offers eligible students a combined undergraduate and medical education degree with the University of South Florida (USF) College of Medicine. Qualified students who complete all program requirements can earn their baccalaureate degree while at FGCU and pursue their MD degree at USF after seven years of study provided they continue to meet all program requirements. Through an interdisciplinary curriculum at FGCU, students prepare to succeed in medical school.

3+4 Track (Accelerated)

This track requires that the first 3 years of study be completed at FGCU and the 4th year be completed in residence at USF, as part of the first year of medical school. FGCU will confer a Bachelor of Science Biology degree following successful completion of the first year of medical school at USF.

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Initial Entry Requirements

- Enrolled first year FGCU student
- Florida Residency
- US Citizen or permanent resident
- SAT score of 1300 (combined critical reading and math scores only) or ACT composite of 29
- High school graduate
- Unweighted high school GPA of 3.7
- FGCU GPA of not less than 3.5 at completion of the first year
- Completion of the FGCU/USF Medical Education Program application form with one letter of recommendation by May 15

Additional Program Requirements (once admitted to the program)

- FGCU GPA of not less than 3.5 at completion of the first year
- FGCU GPA of not less than 3.6 at completion of the second year
- FGCU GPA of not less than 3.7 at completion of third year
- MCAT taken at the end of the second year at FGCU with a minimum score of 30, and with no individual score less than 8. MCAT needs to be taken at a time such that scores are available by August 1 of the year of application.
- Completion of application to USF College of Medicine using the AMCAS Early Decision process no later than June 15 following the second year. This is for matriculation after the third year at FGCU.
- Interview at USF College of Medicine fall of the third year at FGCU as a part of the Early Decision process.
- Completion of all FGCU requirements for conferral of Bachelor of Science Biology degree

Curriculum Requirements

In order to be admitted to the USF College of Medicine, students must complete all FGCU major requirements and USF College of Medicine requirements for the program. Please refer to the FGCU catalog.

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