

DCOM Guaranteed Professional Admission (GPA) Pathway Checklist & Timeline

DCOM Admissions pre-requisites:

- Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
- Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
- Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
- Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
- English: Minimum of 6 semester hours
 - **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
- Maintain minimum of 3.3 GPA (3.3 science GPA, 3.2 non-science GPA)
- C+ is minimum grade for all required courses: however, B or better is generally needed
- Complete & submit MCAT w/ minimum of 494 total.
- Submit application to DCOM through AACOMAS

Fall - Year 1

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Meet with professional advisor to review GPA Pathway requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours <input type="checkbox"/> **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Meet with DCOM GPA contact	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Begin prerequisite coursework (Biology, Chemistry, English)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Start volunteer or shadowing hours (log hours)	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Spring - Year 1

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Continue volunteer/shadowing hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	

		<input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
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Fall - Year 2

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Continue volunteer/shadowing hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Spring - Year 2

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Continue volunteer/shadowing hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Fall - Year 3

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Begin collecting recommendation letters: one from a physician (DO or MD) and two from science professors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Continue shadowing/volunteer work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.

Spring - Year 3

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites:
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Secure recommendation letters: one from a physician (DO or MD) and two from science professors; 3 total required w/ max of 6	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Continue shadowing/volunteer work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Plan MCAT test date (summer before or fall of senior year)	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Fall - Year 4 (Graduation Year)

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites:
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Take MCAT (summer prior or fall): minimum score of 494	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab)
Submit AACOMAS application: includes transcripts, letters of recommendation, MCAT scores, shadowing/volunteer hours)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Receive and submit secondary application after AACOMAS submission	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Spring - Year 4

Requirement/Action Item	Completed	Ongoing Courses
Assess GPA (3.3 minimum)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Admissions pre-requisites: <input type="checkbox"/> Biology: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Inorganic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Organic: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> Physics: Minimum of 8 semester hours (including lecture and lab) <input type="checkbox"/> English: Minimum of 6 semester hours **We will accept a combination of 16 hours of inorganic, organic and biochemistry.
Assess minimum grade of C+ for previous courses	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Graduate with prerequisite coursework completed	<input type="checkbox"/>	