

Medical Education, Graduate Certificate

Admission

Applicants should hold an MD degree and must have performed satisfactorily on the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). Other applicants without an MD must hold an equivalent terminal degree (i.e., MSW, PharmD, PhD) and must have performed satisfactorily on an admission test equivalent to the MCAT (i.e., GRE).

Applicants whose first language is not English must submit official test scores to verify English proficiency. Applicants can verify English proficiency by submitting official test scores from the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), the International English Language Testing System (IELTS), or the Duolingo English Test (DET).

Application materials must include an official transcript showing medical coursework and medical degree, or equivalent for basic sciences applicants (current and former University of Iowa students do not need to request a UI transcript or transcripts previously submitted to the university); a letter of reference from the applicant's department chair and one additional letter of reference; and a 300–500 word essay describing the applicant's interest in medical education and in the Certificate in Medical Education program.

To apply to the certificate program, see Nondegree Seeking Students on the University of Iowa Admissions website. Application materials should be submitted to University of Iowa Admissions.

Application deadlines are:

- July 15 for fall semester entry;
- Nov. 15 for spring semester entry; and
- April 15 for summer session entry.