



Pre-Professional Advising Center

Health Careers Advising



TIMETABLE AND DEADLINES FOR THE 2021- 2022 APPLICATION PROCESS

FALL 2020

Brown students and alumni tune in to one mandatory Applicant Seminar #1 The Big Picture (5 dates offered September through January). The schedule is at: www.brown.edu/go/healthcareers

JANUARY 25 - FEBRUARY 5, 2021- Additional Zoom Hours

To ensure the best support in the competitive application process, George Vassilev holds additional Zoom hours for students and alumni working on their HCADs. We invite all to connect with us, particularly if they have concerns about their preparation for the summer 2021- fall 2022 application process. We are here to help you assess and plan ahead.

FEBRUARY 17 - 18, 2021

Students and alumni email the following to HCO@brown.edu on February 17 and 18. Please don't send any materials earlier- there is no advantage to that. **The deadline to email these materials is 4pm Eastern on February 18.**

- A signed HCAD (electronic signature or your name typed in is OK).
- A formal (not professionally-taken) photo of yourself emailed as jpeg with your name as title.

During the week of February 22 we will share with you a Google (or similar) Appointment Calendar so you can sign up for an interview appointment on your own. Please **sign up for only one appointment slot** as the Committee Members' availability is limited and you wouldn't want to put your peers at a disadvantage. If you meet all requirements and are placed on a temporary wait list for an interview appointment, you are guaranteed an interview. If you do not submit your HCAD between February 17 and 4 pm Eastern on February 18 you are not guaranteed an interview. A separate wait list will be created for those who miss this sign-up period. The interviews take place between early March and early May. As of Fall 2020 we assume all will be remote.

MARCH 5, 2021

- Interview waitlist closes. No names will be added to the waitlist after this date.
- veCollect letter of recommendation system opens.

APRIL 9, 2021

- Deadline to register with veCollect after submitting your HCAD.

APRIL 30, 2021

- Mandatory Applicant Seminar #5 Roundup. Applicants for 2022 admission are required to tune in to this seminar. Time TBD, check www.brown.edu/go/healthcareers
Email the following to HCO@brown.edu:
- List of Recommenders and Waiver Form (Form 2). Form 3 if you are (also) applying to MD/PhD programs.
- Summer Update Form (Form 4).
- If you are a re-applicant send us your Re-Applicant HCAD. If you previously interviewed with a member of the Health Careers Advisory Committee- send us your new HCAD. All other previous and following due dates and deadlines apply the same way to you.

MAY 10, 2021 (New Deadline)

- All letters of recommendation are due (through veCollect)

JULY 2, 2021

- If you do not qualify for the committee letter, but qualify for and wish to receive our credential service, submit all necessary documents by this date.
- If you are a re-applicant, complete and submit all required materials by this date (consult Applicant Guide)

JUNE - JULY 2021

Complete AMCAS, AACOMAS, TMDSAS, AADSAS, or other primary application service no later than mid-July; begin working on secondary applications and plan to complete each within 2-3 weeks of receipt.

UPON COMPLETION OF YOUR AMCAS OR OTHER PRIMARY APPLICATION SERVICE

Submit the following to our office via email to HCO@Brown.edu:

- Your processed (Verified) AMCAS or other primary application with the processing date clearly noted.
Do not submit your application to our office before it has been processed.
- The AMCAS Letter Request Form(s) (this 1-page form is in the Letter of Recommendation Section of your AMCAS application). Other application systems generate a similar document for you.
- Mailing Form (Form 5)

JULY - AUGUST 2021

- Complete work on and submit secondary applications.
- We work on committee letter throughout the summer- our busiest time supporting you. Committee letter packets are sent to schools starting in mid-July and continue to be sent until all files are complete in September.

AUGUST 13, 2021

Submit AMCAS or other relevant primary application by this date. Even if you have followed all other steps in our pre-application process we cannot send your committee letter packet if you miss this deadline. Submitting your primary application so late puts you at a disadvantage in the selective and time-sensitive process.

SEPTEMBER 2021 - APRIL 2022

- Interview at medical and other health profession schools.
- Admission decisions are sent: accepted, not-accepted, wait-listed.
- Financial Aid offers are generally made in the spring

FEBRUARY - APRIL, 2022 (dates announced by AMCAS in fall 2021)

- If M.D. applicants have multiple admission offers they have to reduce them first to 3 and then to 1 during this period. "Plan to Enroll" and "Commit to Enroll" are the options in the AMCAS "Choose Your Medical School Tool" for this. Depending on selection, applicants may or may not stay on wait lists or interview elsewhere after the designated dates. Deposits are usually not refundable after these dates.
- Medical schools have to make decisions about all applications (wait lists continue through early summer)
- NOTE: Other health profession application processes have similar deadlines even if not the same system.

MAY-JULY 2022

Some applicants admitted off of wait lists.
Classes commence in July or August.