



ADMISSION POLICIES FOR DOCTOR OF MEDICINE PROGRAM

The BatStateU College of Medicine - Admissions Committee, comprising of medical doctors, specifically the Dean and faculty members; will be responsible for the selection of students for admission. They will evaluate the qualification of each applicant based on academic record, personal interview and health report. Character, aptitude and health, and more importantly, academic standing will determine whether an applicant will be admitted for the Doctor of Medicine Program.

The designed admission policies were made relevant based on **Population Health Concept** and mandates of **Doktor Para sa Bayan Law**; thereby, will prompt recruitment not only of potential candidates for qualified medical students but also of future physicians who will be stewards in the implementation of primary healthcare and change the landscape of the current health delivery system. To this, the following guidelines were derived:

1. A graduate that must be from any 4-year allied health Bachelor's degree program.
2. Endorsed/nominated by the local government unit/municipality of Batangas on the basis of academic standing and willingness to serve in the community. One applicant from each of the 31 municipalities of Batangas shall be prioritized to ensure that each town would have at least one doctor, as aimed by the Doktor Para sa Bayan Act.
3. General Weighted Average of 90% and above
4. Passer of NMAT (National Medical Admission Test) with a score of 40% or higher
5. Filipino citizens will be prioritized for admission to fulfill the goals and objectives of Doktor Para sa Bayan Law.
6. Medical students from other medical schools are NOT eligible for cross-enrollment.
7. The BatStateU College of Medicine - Admissions Committee reserve the right to refuse admissions to any applicant on the basis of standards and criteria set forth by the Committee as approved by the Board of Regents of the University
8. The number of students to be accepted in the program is around 20-31, which is based on the number of Municipalities in Batangas Province, subject to approval of the University.

Requirements to Accomplish:

1. Two (2) copies of application form for Doctor of Medicine Program
2. Non-refundable student application fee
3. Photocopies of Diploma and Transcript of Records of taken Bachelor's degree program, supported by a certificate of class ranking and general weighted average
4. If the bachelor's degree taken is a board course, a board rating certificate shall be required.
5. Original and photocopy of NMAT result
6. Original copy of PSA Birth Certificate
7. Two (2) letters of recommendation from the former Dean, professor, and

- other government agencies (LGUs, etc)
8. Submission of accomplished health clearance report. This shall include:
 9. Complete immunization report (MMR, dT, Varicella, Hepatitis B, Hepatitis A)
 10. Chest X-ray
 11. Urinalysis
 12. Certificate of physical fitness, to be issued by the physicians from BatStateU College of Medicine Admissions Committee
 13. Passed psychological examination test and personal interview. This will determine if the student has the necessary personal attributes and attitudes that will help them succeed for the Doctor of Medicine program.
 14. Payment of entrance examination/admission test fee

(Note: Only those who completely accomplished items 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9) shall be eligible to take the admission test) Payment of student application fee, admission test fee and submission of birth certificate shall be done once the applicant was qualified for admission test.

The College retains, at all times, the right to deny and revoke the admission of an applicant:

- if the Transcript of Records is later discovered to have grade deficiencies which were not known at the time of the selection, such that the level of academic performance falls below the standard set by the Admissions Committee;
- in case of falsification, concealment or misrepresentation;
- if the guidelines on admission are not completely fulfilled.

FOR ENROLLMENT:

The student shall be evaluated for eligibility to be directly admitted to Doctor of Medicine program; or if it will be required to take the preparatory medicine program first, based on curricular requirements.

Requirements to Accomplish for Enrollment

1. Notice of passing
2. Accomplished evaluation form, signed by the evaluation committee of the college and University Registrar
3. Certificate of good moral character from previous school/university attended
4. A duly authenticated copy of the diploma or a Certificate of Graduation issued by the Registrar of the school where he or she graduated (2 copies).
5. Duly-notarized contract stating that the student, upon graduation from the course, shall render public service to any government hospitals/rural health units equivalent to 1 year of service per year of education spent in the University.