Health Sciences Application Information and Deadlines: 2021-2022

We are pleased with your interest in our graduate program. Before you continue with the electronic application for admission, we wish to ensure that you are familiar with the minimum requirements for admission to graduate degree study in Health Sciences. It is important to recognize that although satisfaction of these basic requirements does not guarantee graduate admission, failure to satisfy these requirements may lead to automatic denial of admission.

Supporting Documents: Additional documents are required to support the application. Supporting documents should be uploaded to the online application or mailed directly to the graduate program to which you are applying, as directed below. Click the links below for details. Supporting documents include the following, unless specific instructions are noted in the requirements sections of this page:

- Transcripts
- GRE Test
- English Proficiency
- Recommendation letters
- Statement of Purpose
- Diversity Essay: Describe your leadership, work experience, service experience, or other significant involvement with racial, ethnic, socio-economic, or educational communities that have traditionally been underrepresented in higher education, and how these experiences would promote a diversity of views, experiences, and ideas in the pursuit of research, scholarship, and creative excellence. You should feel free to discuss your own personal experiences in the essay.

Important to note:
- Domestic students (US citizens and green card holders) for Medical Physics, Medical Imaging and Toxicology can apply directly to these programs
- International students - At this time, Purdue University is not certified by the Department of Homeland Security to offer visa eligibility documents to international students who are admitted into these programs (Medical Physics, Toxicology, and Imaging Sciences). Instead, international students can apply for these programs through the Health Sciences – HLS program, and indicate your program of interest as a concentration. The plans of study and consideration of admissions are the same. For additional information please contact International Student Services by emailing ISS@purdue.edu

Application Deadlines: Applications and all supporting documentation must be received on or before the deadlines listed below.

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Graduate Program Website

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For information on graduate programs in the School of Health Sciences, visit our website: http://www.healthsciences.purdue.edu
Master's Degree Program Basic Requirements:

- Undergraduate Cumulative Grade Point Average: 3.0 or equivalent required
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE):
- Required -- no minimum score has been set

International Applicant Requirements:

- Undergraduate Cumulative Grade Point Average: 3.0 or equivalent required
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE): Required -- no minimum score set
  - For the Health Physics, Imaging Sciences, and Medical Physics programs, a minimum combined Verbal and Quantitative score of 300 on the current scale and 1100 on the prior scale is recommended
    - TOEFL for Non-Native English Speakers: Minimum Paper-Based Test (PBT) Score Required: 550
    - Minimum Internet-Based Test (IBT) Overall Score Required: 77
    - With the following minimum section requirements:
      - Reading: 19
      - Listening: 14
      - Speaking: 18
      - Writing: 18
    - IELTS (Academic Module):
      - An alternative to the TOEFL, scores of 6.5 or higher will be accepted
    - Pearson Test of English (PTE) (Academic Module):
      - An alternative to the TOEFL, scores of 58 or higher will be accepted
    - TWE for Non-Native English Speakers: Not required, but recommended

Doctoral Degree Program Basic Requirements:

- Undergraduate Cumulative Grade Point Average: 3.0 or equivalent required
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE): Required -- no minimum score set
  - For the Health Physics, Imaging Sciences, and Medical Physics programs, a minimum combined Verbal and Quantitative score of 300 on the current scale and 1100 on the prior scale is recommended

International Applicant Requirements:

- Undergraduate Cumulative Grade Point Average: 3.0 or equivalent required
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