

## 2018-19 GVSU Early Assurance Program (EAP) Agreements & Timelines for 2020 Entering Class

Early Assurance Programs provide opportunities for early assurance of medical school admission for students interested in becoming physicians in an underserved region or with underserved populations (and who have demonstrated this interest). Preference is given to students who are the first generation to attend college, graduated from a low-income high school, are eligible for need-based grants, and who express and support their interest in a high-need medical specialty area. Students may apply to multiple EAPs simultaneously. Once admitted, students may only accept their admission at **one** EAP partner medical school and the decision is binding, meaning they are ineligible to apply to other medical schools through regular admission.

General Information	MSU CHM (MD) EAP Agreement	CMU EAP Agreement	WSU EAP Agreement	MSU COM (DO) EAP Agreement
Number of positions for qualified GVSU students	5+1 w GRCC credits	5	5	5
Minimum GPA and MCAT requirement	3.0 overall, 3.0 BCPM 500 MCAT (125 in each subsection)	3.25 overall 498 MCAT	3.50 overall, 3.50 BCPM 70 <sup>th</sup> percentile MCAT (percentiles fluctuate, but around a 505-506)	3.0 overall, 3.0 BCPM 500 MCAT
Prerequisite information (prerequisites must be completed before matriculation)	<a href="#">Prerequisite Models</a>	<a href="#">Basic Science Requirements and recommended courses</a>	<a href="#">Prerequisites</a>	<a href="#">Prerequisites</a>
Post-bacc/Gap year rules	A gap year is acceptable as long as the applicant is enrolled at GVSU at the time of the application deadline. Post-bacc and graduate students are ineligible.	A gap year is acceptable as long as the applicant is enrolled at GVSU at the time of the application deadline. Post-bacc and graduate students are ineligible.	A gap year is acceptable, and applicants must either be currently enrolled at GVSU or must have graduated from GVSU within the past 6 months by the application deadline.	A gap year is acceptable as long as the applicant is enrolled at GVSU at the time of the application deadline. Post-bacc and graduate students are ineligible.
Students with an active AMCAS/AACOMAS application are eligible to apply (i.e. reapplicants)	No	No	Yes	No
Medical school waives secondary application fee	Yes	No secondary application	Yes	Yes



Timeline	MSU CHM EAP	CMU EAP	WSU EAP	MSU COM EAP
Medical school EAP Program and Application Requirements information available for students	Fall 2018	Fall 2018	Fall 2018	Fall 2018
Medical school EAP Application available for students to complete/submit	12/3/2018 Application Portal on MSU website	12/3/2018 Fillable PDF on GVSU website uploaded to veCollect	12/1/2018 Application Portal on WSU website	12/3/2018
<b>EAP application due dates</b> *Application and 3 letters of evaluation must be submitted	<b>2/1/2019</b>	<b>2/1/2019 by 4:00pm</b>	<b>2/10/2019</b>	<b>2/1/2019</b>
<b>Unofficial Transcripts due</b>	Only requires GVSU transcript, CLAS Advising sends w/endorsement decisions	By March 1 <sup>st</sup> , applicant must send all non-GVSU unofficial transcripts to Chris Austin at CMU: <a href="mailto:austi1cr@cmich.edu">austi1cr@cmich.edu</a> CLAS Advising sends GVSU transcript w/endorsement decisions	By March 1 <sup>st</sup> , applicant must send all non-GVSU unofficial transcripts to <a href="mailto:ad0365@wayne.edu">ad0365@wayne.edu</a> with the subject line of "GVSU EAP Program Transcript". CLAS Advising sends GVSU transcript w/endorsement decisions	By March 1 <sup>st</sup> , applicants must send all non-GVSU unofficial transcripts to <a href="mailto:com.admissions@hc.msu.edu">com.admissions@hc.msu.edu</a> . CLAS Advising sends GVSU transcript w/endorsement decisions
GVSU endorsement committee meets	Late February	Late February	Late February	Late February
GVSU Students receive endorsement decision letter	The week before spring break	The week before spring break	The week before spring break	The week before spring break
GVSU Mock MMI for EAP Interviewees	2/26/2019	2/26/2019	2/26/2019	2/26/2019
Medical school issues invitations for interview and secondary essays (If applicable)	3/7/2019 (Secondary app)	2/28/2019 (No secondary app)	3/18/2019 (Secondary app)	3/6/2019

Timeline continued	MSU CHM EAP	CMU EAP	WSU EAP	MSU COM EAP
Medical school notifies unsuccessful applicants	3/7/2019	3/7/2018	3/19/2018	3/6/2019
Deadline for applicant to accept interview invitation	3/14/2019 (Secondary app. Due)	3/3/2019 (No 2 <sup>nd</sup> app)	3/22/2018	3/13/2019
Medical school interview date(s)	3/22/2019	3/8/2019	3/28/2019	3/20/2019
Medical school notifies unsuccessful candidates after interview	4/5/2019	4/5/2018	NA	
Medical school Last Date for MCAT for EAP Applicants	6/1/2019	6/1/2019	4/6/2019	6/1/2019
MCAT scores released; student communicates scores to medical school	7/2/2019	7/2/2019	5/7/2019	7/2/2019
Medical school communicates final decisions to all potential applicants	By 7/8/2019	By 7/8/2019	5/17/2019	By 7/8/2019
Medical school deadline for acceptance	7/15/2019			7/15/2019
Medical school deadline for deposit, official transcripts for successful applicants	7/15/2019		6/3/2019 (For transcripts, No deposit required)	7/15/2019
Medical school deadlines for submitting AMCAS/AACOMAS Application as EAP Applicant	7/31/2019	7/31/2019	7/31/2019	

Be sure to join the Pre-Med Google Group (email list) so you do not miss any communication about EAP deadlines, workshops, etc. To do so, send an email from your GVSU student email to [premedical+subscribe@mail.gvsu.edu](mailto:premedical+subscribe@mail.gvsu.edu) and leave everything else blank. You will receive an email back with the subject "Join request for premedical", open the email and click the button that says "Join This Group".

For more information about the Early Assurance Programs, please visit [www.gvsu.edu/clasadvising/eap](http://www.gvsu.edu/clasadvising/eap)

You can also schedule an appointment with a pre-med advisor at [www.gvsu.edu/clasadvising](http://www.gvsu.edu/clasadvising)