

OUWB Transfer Admission Process

Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine will occasionally accept transfer into the third-year class when vacancies are available.

Eligibility

Citizenship in the United States (U.S.) or permanent residency in the U.S. Good academic standing at an allopathic medical school accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) (no exceptions will be made for students attending schools that are not LCME accredited).

Successful completion of two years of medical school, including all basic science education. A passing score on the United States Medical Licensure Exam (USMLE) Step 1 exam prior to matriculation (classes typically begin in mid to late May).

Transfer Application Process

Step One

Contact the admissions office via email at medadmit@oakland.edu with details of your eligibility. Students who are deemed eligible will be sent application instructions via email. Additional details about the process and timing for review and interviews will be shared with eligible students. The information below is provided to give prospective transfer students general information about the process. Requirements are subject to change.

Step Two

Eligible students will be invited via email to submit the following documents within two weeks of invitation:

- A completed Transfer Student Application (application provided via email invitation).
- An application fee of \$75.00.
- A copy of original AMCAS application.
- Official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended, including medical school(s). Records should be sent directly by institutions to OUWB Admissions.
- A letter of support from the Dean of Students at current medical school detailing current academic standing, any institutional actions, and reason(s) for transfer. The Dean should send the letter directly to OUWB Admissions.
- Two letters of recommendation from basic science or clinical faculty at current medical school. Faculty should send letters directly to OUWB Admissions.

- A statement including reason for transfer.
- A resume including community service, leadership, and honors while a medical student.
- Other materials, upon request.

Step Three

All completed application files will be reviewed to determine interview invitations.

Step Four

Selected applicants will attend an interview day program at OUWB which will include two interviews and an OSCE (Objective Structured Clinical Examination).

Step Five

Admissions offers will be made contingent upon successful completion of criminal background check, and passing USMLE Step 1 exam.

Step Six

Enrollment in Art and Practice of Medicine course for orientation into OUWB clerkship (typically in mid to late May).

Note: OUWB requires the successful completion of a scholarly (Embark) project for graduation. Students transferring to OUWB in the third year will be required to successfully complete an Embark project prior to graduation. The project is subject to approval by the Associate Dean for Medical Education.