

Pre-Health Professions at Truman State University

September 13, 2017

Featured Upcoming Events

Arkansas College of Medicine (ARCOM) FREE Experience on Saturday, September 23rd 9am-4pm in Fort Smith, AR

ARCOM is hosting a FREE experience day at their campus in Fort Smith, Arkansas on September 23rd. This is an all day event and requires pre-registration. For more information click [here](#). To RSVP, click [here](#).

Truman State Career Center's Career & Grad School Week is Monday, September 25-Friday, September 29th

There are some great events for pre-health professions students, especially Mock Interviews & the Personal Statement Writing Workshop. For more information, click [here](#).

Pharmacy School Fair (ONLINE) on Tuesday, October 3rd & Wednesday, October 4th

Representatives from many pharmacy schools will be present. For more information and to RSVP, click [here](#).

ATSU DO/DMD for a Day Program: Tuesday, October 3rd 8am-5pm

ATSU hosts multiple DO/DMD days in which undergraduate students can experience a typical day in the life of a DO/DMD student. The first one this fall is October 3rd. For more information and to RSVP, click [here](#). You may also see the flyer that was attached to the newsletter email.

Important Dates & Deadlines

- **September 20th** — The last day to drop a first-block course.
- **October 27th**—The last day to drop a semester-long course (with a W on your transcript & a \$50 fee).



- * Pre-Chiropractic
- * Pre-Dental
- * Pre-Medical
- * Pre-Medical Technology
- * Pre-Occupational Therapy
- * Pre-Optometry
- * Pre-Pharmacy
- * Pre-Physical Therapy
- * Pre-Physician Assistant
- * Pre-Veterinary

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Truman Articulation Agreements & Programs

Truman has quite a few agreements & programs pertaining to health professions. Here's a quick overview, organized by health profession:

Chiropractic

- Logan University & Exercise Science 3+3 program. More [Info Here](#) .
- Logan University & Health Science 3+3 program. More [Info Here](#) .
- Logan University & Biology program. More [Info Here](#) .
- Palmer & Health or Exercise Science majors 3+3-5 program. More [Info Here](#) .

Medical

- ATSU KCOM & Health or Exercise Science majors Pre-Med/Med Accelerated Track (PMAT) program. More [Info Here](#) & [Here](#) .
- ATSU KCOM Still Scholars Early Acceptance program. Specifics: option to apply for early acceptance after approximately 45 credits completed (sophomore level), any major from Truman, no MCAT required, applications reviewed by Truman staff/faculty *first*. More [Info Here](#) & [Here](#) & [Here](#) .
- UMKC Medical Scholars Program. Specifics: qualified sophomore or junior level students from Truman are eligible for early acceptance. More [Info Here](#) .

Optometry

- UMSL College of Optometry & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: automatic interview & priority scheduling for qualified HES students from Truman. More [Info Here](#) .

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Occupational Therapy

- Creighton Doctor of Occupational Therapy agreement. Specifics: priority consideration for Truman students who meet the requirements. More [Info Here](#) .
- Rockhurst University Master of Occupational Therapy & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: 3 seats reserved for automatic admission to qualified HES students from Truman. More [Info Here](#) .
- Washington University Occupational Therapy & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: 3 seats reserved for automatic admission to qualified HES students from Truman. More [Info Here](#) .

Physical Therapy

- ATSU ASHS Doctor of Physical Therapy & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: 7 acceptances reserved for qualified HES students from Truman per admission year. More [Info Here](#) .
- Creighton Doctor of Physical Therapy agreement. Specifics: priority consideration for Truman students who meet the requirements. More [Info Here](#) .
- Rockhurst University Doctor of Physical Therapy & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: 2 seats reserved for automatic admission to qualified HES students from Truman. More [Info Here](#) .
- Washington University Doctor of Physical Therapy & Health or Exercise Science majors agreement. Specifics: 3 seats reserved for automatic admission to qualified HES students from Truman. More [Info Here](#) .

Truman is working on more agreements and programs with health professions schools. We will add to this list as more agreements are created & enacted.

Did You Know?

We have overviews of all pre-health professions requirements & ideas on shadowing, volunteering, & research in Kirksville.

Visit <http://excellence.truman.edu/advising/pre-health-professions/> for more information!

We have a table with great information regarding pre-health professions, schools, admissions tests, and other pertinent information. We have test prep materials available for checkout.

The information table is located in the Kirk Building hallway, outside of the freshmen academic advising office (Kirk Building 107). To check out materials, contact [Brittany Harden](#) or make an appointment to meet with her.

We will have a table in the SUB on the first Thursday of each month from 10am-11am to answer any questions you might have.

We have an archive of all of the previous newsletters.

Click [here](#) for more information!

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For more information:
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Meet with a pre-health advisor or the pre-health coordinator:

If you are in your second year at Truman AND majoring in Biology, Chemistry, Exercise Science, or Health Science:

- You should meet with the designated pre-health advisor in your major. Depending on the department, some major advisors have a specific pre-health profession and some are versed in multiple pre-health professions.

If you are a first-year student OR a first-semester transfer OR are majoring in anything **other** than Biology, Chemistry, Exercise Science, or Health Science:

- You should meet with Brittany Harden to help guide your preparation for health professions school. You may call 660-785-7403 or stop by the advising reception desk in Kirk Building 107 (Monday-Friday 8am-5pm) to make an appointment.