
Pre-Podiatric Medicine

Undergraduate Studies

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Students are free to choose any major while pursuing their undergraduate degree and fulfilling pre-podiatry requirements. When selecting a major, students should consider subjects they find interesting and challenging, and those in which they perform best. Podiatry schools do not require a specific major to enter the professional program, but they do have minimum entrance requirements. Most students accepted to podiatry school earn a bachelor's degree while satisfying pre-podiatry requirements.

Currently the minimum requirements for podiatry school are:

- 2 semesters of college English or intensive writing courses
- 2 semesters of biology with labs
- 2 semesters of general chemistry with labs
- 2 semesters of organic chemistry with labs
- 2 semesters of physics with labs

In addition, students are encouraged to take course work in areas such as anatomy, biochemistry, cell biology, calculus, genetics, histology, immunology, microbiology, physiology, psychology, and statistics.

Students interested in podiatry school should meet with a Pre-Podiatry advisor at least once a year while pursuing their undergraduate curriculum and subscribe to the Pre-Health listserv by emailing ukcareercenter@uky.edu.