

Graduate Entry Medicine - Domestic

ELIGIBILITY	
How many places are available?	There are 75 places available in the Graduate Entry program
Who is eligible to apply?	<p>There are 50 places for students who have completed the following degrees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bachelor of Biomedical Science (including double degrees) from 2014 <p>There are also 25 places for students who have completed one of the following acceptable⁺ Monash degrees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bachelor of Biomedical Science (including double degrees and students who commenced prior to 2014) ● Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) ● Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) ● Bachelor of Science (Dependent on the completion of designated units*)
HOW TO APPLY	
How do I apply?	Go to http://www.monash.edu/admissions/apply/online
When can I apply?	See Key Dates - https://www.monash.edu/medicine/som/grad-entry
RULES	
Rules for students undertaking the Biomedical Science degree	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligible for one of the 50 places ● Students apply in their final year of their degree ● Unsuccessful students can re-apply in future years but will only be eligible for 25 places. ● You are only allowed to attend an interview once. ● Students who undertake study abroad can still apply for the 50 places, however they need to be made aware of the commitment needed to be available to attend interviews in and around September of that year.

RULES	
What is the WAM required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Achieve a Weighted Average Mark (WAM) 70 or above at the end of their undergraduate degree ● If an applicant has two undergraduate degrees, the WAM from the most relevant degree will be used.
Rules for students enrolled in the Bachelor of Biomedical Science double degree	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Must have commenced a Biomedical Science degree as one part of a double degree commencing in 2014 or later to be eligible for the 50 places. ● Students apply in the final year of their double degree. ● Applicants can apply for one of the 50 places as for single degree students but must be able to take an early exit from the double degree. Students must have met the requirements to course complete the biomedical science component of their double degree and the WAM from these 144 credit points will be used in the calculation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – If students are unsuccessful via this pathway they can re-apply at the end of their double degree but will only be eligible for 25 places. Students will not be able to undertake the interview process again. ● If completed prior to 2014 students are only eligible for one of the 25 places.
Rules for students undertaking the Biomedical Science Advanced with Honours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligible for one of the 50 places ● Apply at the end of their third or final year ● Can either discontinue the Honours component of the program or course complete the 4 years and commence the year after (defer) ● Deferral of offer is available for this cohort of students only.
Rules for Bachelor of Biomedical Science students who have transferred from another university	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligible for one of the 25 places ● Required to have completed a minimum of 96 credit points for the biomedical science course at Monash. ● Credit taken from other degrees and/or institutions will not be included in the WAM calculation
Rules for students who transfer from the Bachelor of Science into the Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligible for one of the 25 places. ● Required to have completed a minimum of 96 credit points for the biomedical science within the Faculty of Medicine, Nursing & Health Sciences. ● Cannot undertake Biomedical Science core units if they have undertaken any prohibited units. ● Credit taken from the Bachelor of Science is not included in the WAM calculation.

RULES	
<p>Rules for students who have completed a Monash acceptable degree ⁺</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eligible for one of the 25 places. ● WAM calculation is based on the duration of the degree ● Bachelor of Science students must have completed a minimum of 5 of the following units: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BCH2011 ○ BCH2022 ○ DEV2011 ○ DEV2022 ○ GEN2052 ○ IMM2011 ○ IMM2022 ○ MIC2011 ○ MIC2022 ○ MCB2011 ○ MCB2022 ○ PHA2022 ○ PHY2011 ○ PHY2032 ○ PHY2042 <p>A major sequence of study in a key Biomedical Science area may reduce the requirement for 5 of the above specified units. This is determined on a case by case basis.</p>
COMMON SCENARIOS & QUESTIONS	
	<p>If I were to be accepted into Graduate Entry Pharmacy at Monash (entering into third year), will I be eligible for Graduate Entry Medicine given I will complete Bachelor of Pharmacy in 2 years? If so, how will my WAM be calculated?</p> <p>You would be eligible to apply for one of the 25 places. If you are accepted into the third year of the Bachelor of Pharmacy at Monash, you will have met their requirements for Years 1 & 2 which will then qualify you with a Monash acceptable degree. Your WAM will be calculated on the 2 years of your Monash program.</p>
	<p>My Bachelor of Biomedical Science degree was completed over 10 years ago with Monash University. Am I eligible to apply for Graduate Entry Medicine?</p> <p>Monash does not apply a 10 year currency rule for the purpose of calculating a WAM for entry. Applicants with Biomedical Science degree completed prior to 2014 will be eligible to apply for the 25 places.</p> <p>If applicants have completed their degree over 10 years prior to commencing the program, they may find it beneficial to refresh their tertiary studies by undertaking some form of other studies at a tertiary level before commencing.</p>

	<p>If I do a four year degree, how will my WAM be calculated?</p> <p>The WAM calculation will be based on all years of your undergraduate year, regardless of the degree's length. So in this case, the calculation will be over all four years. An honours year is NOT classed as part of your undergraduate degree, so will not be included in the calculation.</p>
	<p>Can I undertake single university units as extra subjects to meet eligibility requirements for entry?</p> <p>Applicants who do not meet the degree entry requirements can undertake single subjects that will provide eligibility for entry. However the WAM would be calculated on the degree you have undertaken and any results from single units would not be used in the calculation.</p>
	<p>Can I defer an offer?</p> <p>Deferrals will only be approved for students undertaking the Bachelor of Biomedical Science Advanced with Honours.</p>
	<p>Do I have to undertake a GAMSAT?</p> <p>If you consider applying for other graduate entry medical programs you may consider undertaking GAMSAT but it is not a requirement for entry to Monash Medicine.</p>
	<p>Are there any places available under the Dean's Rural List?</p> <p>Yes, applicants eligible for the Dean's Rural List should apply.</p>
	<p>I am intending to complete the 5 year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)/Master of Pharmacy combined vertical double degree at Monash. Can I apply for Graduate Entry Medicine (25 places) at the completion of the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) component which is my second last year?</p> <p>Yes, you will be eligible for one of the 25 places.</p> <p>If so, and if I am successful can I defer my medicine offer to course complete my fifth and final year to obtain my Master of Pharmacy?</p> <p>No.</p>

COMMON SCENARIOS & QUESTIONS	
	<p>Are there any electives that I can enrol in that will increase my chances of being offered a graduate entry position?</p> <p>No.</p>
	<p>If I have two undergraduate degrees, which one is deemed acceptable and which one is used to calculate the WAM?</p> <p>The most relevant degree is used to calculate the WAM, however if they are both deemed as relevant, then the most recent undergraduate degree will be used in calculations.</p>
	<p>Would any study abroad units impact my chance of being offered a graduate entry position?</p> <p>If you are eligible to apply for one of the 50 places, then there is no impact but your results for our study abroad will not contribute to our overall WAM.</p> <p>If you are applying for one of the 25 places and have transferred from another course or university, study abroad units are not counted as <i>'having completed a minimum of 96 credit points'</i>, so there may be an impact for this cohort of applicant.</p>
	<p>Can I apply for any credit transfer based on previous studies?</p> <p>No.</p>
	<p>If I enrol in an Honours year, will this increase my chances of gaining a place?</p> <p>No, separate honours year results are not used when calculating WAM. It is based undergraduate results only.</p>
	<p>Do I have to provide a Statement of Purpose and/or CV with my application?</p> <p>This is not a mandatory requirement when applying for entry.</p>
	<p>If my question is not covered here, where can I go?</p> <p>Please email future@monash.edu</p>