SMU MEDICAL SCHOOL ADMISSIONS STATISTICS
EY 2025

SMU Applicants	67
SMU Accepted Applicants	48
SMU Acceptance Rate	**72%**
National Acceptance Rate	45%

SMU *HPRC Applicants	34
SMU HPRC Acceptance Rate	**85%**

National Average Accepted GPA	3.81
SMU Average Accepted GPA	**3.78**
SMU Average Applicant GPA	3.73

National Average Accepted Science GPA	3.75
SMU Average Accepted Science GPA	**3.71**
SMU Average Applicant Science GPA	3.67

National Average Accepted MCAT	512.1
SMU Average Accepted MCAT	**511**
SMU Average Applicant MCAT	509.3

STATE RESIDENCIES OF ACCEPTED APPLICANTS

Arkansas	1	Louisiana	2
California	3	Nevada	1
Colorado	3	New York	1
Florida	1	Ohio	1
Georgia	1	Texas	34

MAJORS OF ACCEPTED APPLICANTS

Biochemistry	Music
Biological Sciences	Psychology
Business Administration	Religious Studies
Chemistry	Spanish
Economics	Statistical Science
Health and Society	World Languages

SMU students were accepted to over 30 medical programs including **Yale School of Medicine, NYU School of Medicine, UT-Southwestern Medical School, and Baylor College of Medicine.** For more information or a complete list of medical programs, contact the Office of Pre-Health Advising at prehealth@smu.edu.

Gaining acceptance to medical school involves many complex factors beyond numerical metrics. Statistical information related to medical school acceptances often lacks essential components considered by an admissions committee when assessing competitive applicants. Strong letters of recommendation and extracurricular experiences including, shadowing, community service, research, leadership, and healthcare exposure are vital parts of a student's application. A clear and strong sense of motivation, as conveyed in the personal statement, applica*tion, and _interview is also crucial. Students applying through the *Health Professions Recommendation Committee (HPRC)_ with competitive metrics, attributes, AND experiences are often better prepared at the time of application and interview. Additionally, medical programs seek applicants whose goals align with their institutional missions, as reflected in secondary applications.