

Joint Admission Medical Program (JAMP)



Frequently Asked Questions

What is JAMP?

The [Joint Admission Medical Program \(JAMP\)](#) is a unique program to provide support for economically disadvantaged students from across Texas to successfully matriculate into medical school. The program is a joint effort between the medical schools and universities of Texas. JAMP assists students in acquiring the skills and knowledge to be successful by providing mentoring, summer enrichment programs, scholarships, and ultimately, guaranteed acceptance to one of the Texas medical schools (for those who qualify).

What are the requirements for applying to JAMP?

- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, and a Texas resident.
- Provide documentation as an economically disadvantaged applicant (Pell Grant eligibility or FAFSA EFC <8000).
- Enter the University of Houston no later than the first fall semester following your graduation from high school.
- Meet with the UH-JAMP director (Dr. Monique Ogletree, mogletree@uh.edu) to discuss JAMP application process.
- Complete at least 27 hours during Freshman (first) year and maintain at least 3.25 GPA (overall and BCPM).
- Complete CHEM 1311/1111 and CHEM 1312/1112 in your freshman year with at least C or better.
- Obtain two letters of evaluation for your JAMP application (one letter from the JAMP Faculty Director and one from a faculty member at University of Houston).
- Apply to [JAMP](#). The application cycle opens on May 1 and must be submitted no later than October 31.

After being accepted into JAMP, what do I do?

- Maintain full-time student status through college (at least 12 credit hours per spring/fall semester).
- Maintain a minimum 3.25 overall/BCPM GPA.
- Complete CHEM 2323/2123 and CHEM 2325/2125 by end of Sophomore (second) year.
- Complete the remaining medical school prerequisites at UH.
- Be able to complete your undergraduate degree program within 4 years.
- Get involved- volunteer, shadow, conduct research, join a Pre-Health student organization.
- Participate in scheduled meetings with the JAMP Director.
- Successfully complete 2 JAMP summer medical school internships after Sophomore and Junior (third) years.
- Prepare for and take MCAT by end of Junior year (minimum total score of 502 and individual section scores of 124).
- Apply to medical school during Summer between Junior and Senior (fourth) year.

