

LECOM Professional School Early Acceptance Program (EAP)

The LECOM professional school Early Acceptance Program (EAP) allows qualified students to be given a provisional letter of acceptance; i.e. a reserved seat, to one of LECOM's professional schools upon completion of a successful interview. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Application to the EAP can occur as early as the senior year in high school and up until the start of the third year at an affiliated undergraduate school, depending upon the Program and Track desired (See Figure #1). Affiliates must be officially enrolled in the EAP for two consecutive years prior to matriculating at LECOM.

Affiliation Programs & Tracks

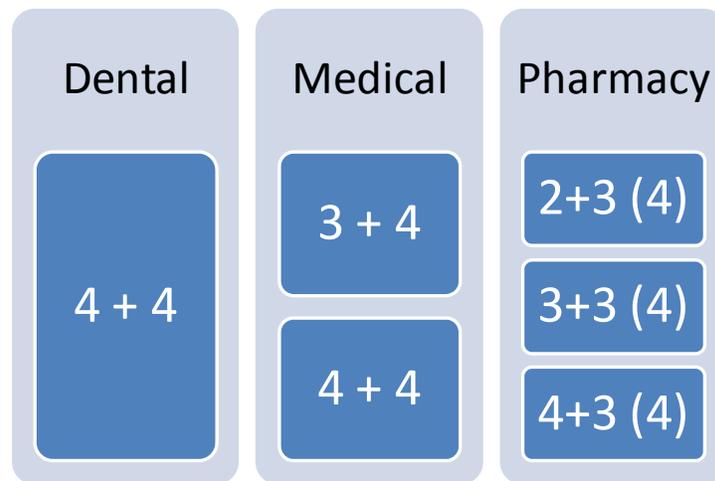


Figure 1

In Figure #1, the first digit represents the number of years at an affiliated undergraduate school; the second would be the number of years spent at LECOM-Erie. The figure in parentheses for the Pharmacy program is the number of years at LECOM Bradenton.

The process to enroll is illustrated in Figure #2. The basic qualifications to participate in the EAP are a high school GPA of 3.5 (90%) or higher and ACT score of at least 26 or SAT score (Math + Critical Reasoning) of at least 1170. We do not super score.

To enter Phase II of the program; i.e., matriculate at LECOM, the student must have completed the prerequisite course work as an un-interrupted full-time student, have a Science GPA of 3.2 or higher and an Overall GPA of 3.4 or higher. We do restrict the number of AP credits that may be used to fulfill the credit requirements while attending an affiliated undergraduate school.

The entrance exams, PCAT and MCAT, are not required for any student who has provided us with an official SAT or ACT score. We will use an Academic Index Score (a score based on a formula determined from the ACT/SAT and the affiliated undergraduate school -Overall GPA) as the replacement for the MCAT for those students applying to the Medical College. The DAT is required of all dental school applicants.

The application to participate in the EAP is done on line at (<http://portal.lecom.edu>).

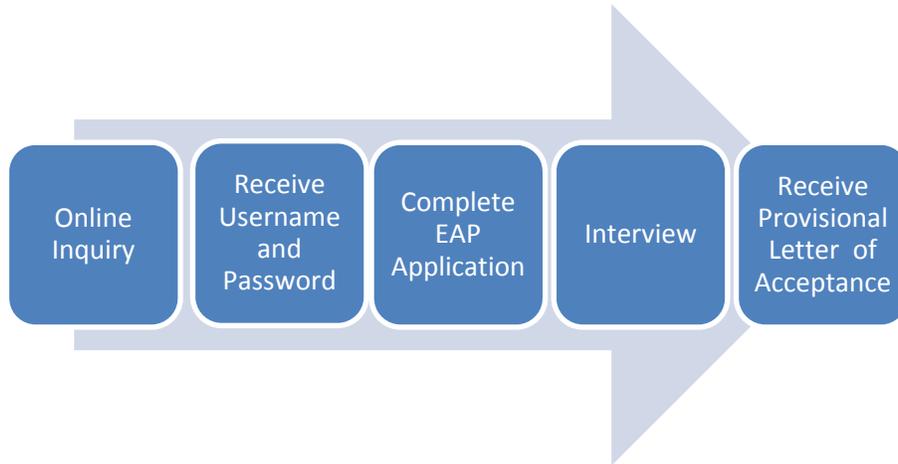


Figure 2

Once enrolled, we will follow the student's progress through an affiliated undergraduate school, inviting them to LECOM for special events held just for affiliated students. All students in the EAP must complete an application using the appropriate application service, AADSAS, AACOMAS, or PHARMCAS. A LECOM supplemental application and letters of recommendation must also be submitted early in the spring of the year they will matriculate at LECOM.

We feel this program offers you many advantages:

- Enrollment at the largest medical school in the country;
- Very low tuition compared with other medical, dental and pharmacy schools;
- A choice of three sites and distance education for Pharmacy;
- A very large selection of affiliated undergraduate schools;
- No additional interview;
- Bypass almost 95% of the competition for your seat;
- You will be able to totally focus on your studies the entire last year (no trips for interviews);
- You will save a significant amount of money by not applying to multiple schools; and
- You will have the opportunity to get to know LECOM students, faculty and staff.

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