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MUSC COM Application Timeline

Important Dates & Deadlines	Description	2024-25	2025-26
AMCAS application opens	AMCAS application opens for applicants to begin preparing their application. Please visit COM Applying to Medical School and COM Selection Criteria webpages for insight into our process, requirements, and important information.	May 2, 2024	May 2, 2025
AMCAS application opens for submission	AMCAS application opens for applicants to submit.	May 30, 2024	May 30, 2025
Early Decision Final MCAT Test Date		Final MCAT date administration accepted for Early Decision is July 13, 2024. MCAT scores prior to 2022 will not be accepted for Fall 2025.	Final MCAT date administration accepted for Early Decision is July 12, 2025. MCAT scores prior to 2023 will not be accepted for Fall 2026.
Early Decision primary application due.		August 1, 2024	August 1, 2025
Early Decision secondary application and fees due.	*Qualified applicants are invited to complete the MUSC secondary application.	August 15, 2024	August 15, 2025
Interview Season	Qualified applicants are invited to interview beginning in early August. Invitations are sent through AMCAS Applicant Gateway. (All interviews will be <i>virtual</i> .)	September 2024 – March 2025	September 2025 – March 2026

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<p>Regular Decision Final MCAT Test Date</p>	<p>Earlier testing advised.</p>	<p>Final MCAT date administration accepted for Regular Decision is September 14, 2024.</p> <p>MCAT scores prior to 2022 will not be accepted for Fall 2025.</p>	<p>Final MCAT date administration accepted for Regular Decision is September 15, 2025.</p> <p>MCAT scores prior to 2023 will not be accepted for Fall 2026.</p>
<p>Regular Decision Primary Application Deadline</p>		<p>November 1, 2024</p>	<p>November 3, 2025</p>
<p>Deferment Application Deadline (restricted one-year)</p>	<p>Accepted applicants who are approved to defer into the next cycle must submit an AMCAS application.</p> <p>Deferred applicants are not required to submit a new MUSC secondary application or new letters of recommendation.</p>	<p>November 1, 2024</p>	<p>November 3, 2025</p>
<p>Regular Decision MUSC secondary application and fees due.</p>	<p>Qualified applicants are invited to complete the MUSC secondary application via the AMCAS Applicant Gateway.</p>	<p>December 15, 2024</p>	<p>December 15, 2025</p>
<p>College of Medicine Acceptance Protocols</p>	<p>Applicant Response Form, Deposit, and Technical Standards must be completed and returned within two weeks of admissions offer.</p>	<p>October 2024 – March 2025</p>	<p>October 2025 – March 2026</p>
<p>“Plan to Enroll” becomes available for applicants to select in the AMCAS application.</p>	<p>Applicants with at least one (1) current acceptance will be able to select “Plan to Enroll” using the tool. Applicants should use the tool at the direction of the schools to which they have applied.</p>	<p>Beginning February 19, 2025</p>	<p>Beginning February 19, 2026</p>

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	<p>To make the selection, accepted applicants must navigate back to their AMCAS application to use the tool, which is located in the section marked Choose Your Medical School tool.</p> <p>Applicants can hold more than one acceptance, but only indicate “Plan to Enroll” for one school.</p>		
Accepted students narrow offers of acceptances	Accepted students narrow offers to no more than three medical schools (if applicable), with no limit on alternate-list offers.	April 15, 2025	April 15, 2026
“Plan to Enroll” deadline		April 30, 2025	April 30, 2026
<p>“Commit to Enroll” becomes available to applicants in the AMCAS tool.</p> <p>“Plan to Enroll” remains available to applicants in the AMCAS tool.</p>	<p>Per the AAMC Choose Your Medical School tool, accepted applicants will have two options to select in accordance with each medical school’s specific policies and deadlines: “Plan to Enroll” or “Commit to Enroll.”</p> <p>Applicants who select “Plan to Enroll” can continue to interview, remain on any alternate lists, and receive additional acceptance offers.</p> <p>Applicants who select “Commit to Enroll” indicates you have made your final selection and have withdrawn all other applications.</p> <p>Selecting “Commit to Enroll” does not automatically withdraw applications from other medical schools. Applicants must communicate directly with all schools about their final decision</p>	May 1, 2025	May 1, 2026

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	<p>according to each school’s specific policy. Withdrawals from the COM must be submitted to COM-Admissions@musc.edu.</p>		
<p>Deadline to receive full refund of deposit.</p>	<p>Deadline to receive full refund of deposit. Submit formal withdrawal request no later than May 15th to COM-Admissions@musc.edu.</p> <p>Withdrawal requests received after this date will forfeit full deposit.</p>	<p>May 15, 2025</p>	<p>May 15, 2026</p>
<p>Official Transcripts Due</p>	<p>Accepted students enrolled in Spring undergraduate and/or graduate coursework, must submit final official transcripts to COM-Admissions@musc.edu.</p>	<p>July 1, 2025</p>	<p>July 1, 2026</p>
<p>“Commit to Enroll” Deadline must be selected in order to matriculate to MUSC College of Medicine.</p>	<p>Selecting “Commit to Enroll” indicates that the applicant has made a final selection and has withdrawn all other applications, including alternate list offers, by communicating directly with schools.</p> <p>Selecting “Commit to Enroll” does not automatically withdraw applications from other medical schools. Applicants must communicate directly with all schools about their final decision according to each school’s specific policy.</p> <p>Accepted students are required to use the Choose Your Medical School tool to select the "Commit to Enroll" option and withdraw from all other programs. Failure to do so may</p>	<p>July 24, 2025</p>	<p>July 24, 2026</p>

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	result in withdrawal from the incoming class.		
<p>Getting Fully and Fully Transitioned (GIFT) into Medical School</p> <p>Pre-Matriculation Program for accepted, incoming students.</p>	<p>The GIFT program is designed to support the transition to the academic and social challenges of medical school while introducing incoming students to key members of the MUSC College of Medicine community.</p>	<p>July 18, 2025</p>	<p>Summer 2026</p>
<p>Orientation Week</p>		<p>August 11-15, 2025</p>	<p>August 2026</p>
<p>White Coat Ceremony</p>	<p>North Charleston Performing Arts Center</p> <p>Ticketing to be announced</p>	<p>August 16, 2025</p>	<p>August 2026</p>
<p>First Day of Classes</p>		<p>August 18, 2025</p>	<p>August 2026</p>