

2010 Health Professional School Application Deadlines

Date	Deadline	Notes
October 6, 2008	Prehealth Advisor/Advisee Mixer for applicants who are applying for fall 2010 entry to a health professional school.	Advisor/Advisee assignments are shared at the Mixer and the event provides an opportunity for students and advisors to meet and mingle. All 2010 applicants are required to attend the Mixer and all Prehealth Advisors are invited to attend.
October 2008	Advisees are expected to contact their Prehealth Advisor by October 20, 2008 to schedule their first advisor-advisee meeting.	Advisees and Advisors should aim to meet in-person 1-2 times per semester. Advisees who fail to contact their advisor by the deadline could risk losing their advisor assignment.
November-June	Applicants should: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Start identifying letter writers. • Provide general letter writers, not prehealth advisors, with a Recommender Designation Form and at least 2 months to write their letter of recommendation. • Take the MCAT, DAT, etc. (as necessary). • Determine which schools they plan to apply to. 	Other suggested activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prehealth workshops and events • School visits on campus • Volunteer and Community service work • Leadership opportunities • Research • Investigate schools, conduct informational interviews with students currently enrolled.
January – June 15, 2009	Personal Statements/Essays should be written and critiqued by a member of the Preprofessional Advising staff and/or assigned prehealth advisor.	Primary application (AMCAS, AADSAS, etc.) essay critiques by the CDC are limited to 3. DEADLINES: June 15, 2009 – Last date for essay critiques. June 30, 2009 - Finished personal statements/essays are due to the CDC for their credential files.
May (within the first week)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMCAS/AADSAS, etc. application is available for students to begin entering information. • Allow MIT access to your application through the AAMC/AADSAS. • Request all official college transcripts to be mailed to the CDC and directly to the appropriate application service (ex. AMCAS) once spring semester grades have been included. (At MIT, transcripts can be requested prior to the end of term.) 	Attendance at an AMCAS Info Session is required. Sessions will be offered in May and event dates will be posted by April 2009. AMCAS/AADSAS - All individuals using the Prehealth Advising service must provide MIT access to their application.)
June	Submit completed AMCAS applications	

	electronically.	
June 30, 2009	<p>DEADLINE: The following are REQUIRED by June 30th:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proof of application submission* • Personal statement • Exam score (MCAT, DAT, etc.) • Official transcripts • Recommender Designation Form (rank order specified letter writers) • Letters of recommendation (not including the Prehealth Advisor letter) 	<p>Inability to meet these requirements may prevent an advisor letter being written on your behalf. Please meet with a Preprofessional Advising staff member in the CDC if you have any questions or issues with the June 30th deadline.</p> <p>*The CDC has access to the AMCAS and AADSAS advisor application service and will confirm that your application has been submitted by June 30th.</p>
July	<p>In early July, the Career Development Center (CDC) sends applicant's packets to the Prehealth Advisors for their reference in writing their advisee's letter of recommendation.</p> <p>School Designation form (SDF) and credential service fee may start to be submitted to the CDC by the applicant.</p>	<p>Applicant packets include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal statement • Exam score(s) (MCAT, DAT, etc.) • Official transcripts • Recommender Designation Form • Letters of recommendation <p>Prehealth Advisors have approximately 6 weeks to write and submit letters for all advisees assigned to them.</p>
August	<p>August 14, 2009 - Prehealth Advisor letters are due to the CDC.</p> <p>August 17-28, 2009 - The CDC uploads/submits all applicant letters, including the advisor letter, using Virtual Evals or DHL.</p> <p>Schedule a mock interview with a Preprofessional Advising staff member in the CDC</p>	<p>SDFs may be submitted throughout the summer and fall semester, once secondary applications have been completed.</p>
Late Summer / Fall Semester (On-Going)	<p>Applicants should submit School Designation Forms (SDF) and the credential service fee to the CDC.</p> <p>Mock Interviews</p>	<p>SDF forms may only be submitted once secondary applications have been completed. The CDC will accept SDFs on a rolling basis</p> <p>The CDC conducts mock interviews throughout the year. Students are encouraged to also take part in a mock interview with their Prehealth Advisor.</p>