



## How to Apply

### The Application Form:

The correct application form is titled "International Student Application for Undergraduate Studies". This is the form used for the MBBS graduate level entry application.

It is recommended that you send your application and documents using a method that allows you to track their delivery.

The application fee is waived for Ochsner cohort applicants. Print out the application form, fill it in and mail it to MedEdPath at:

MedEdPath  
77 Water Street  
8th Floor  
New York, NY 10005  
877.777.0155

Please note 'tick' means 'check'.

#### 1. Personal Details:

- Enter your names exactly as they appear on your passport (family - last, given - first and middle).
- *Enter your date of birth in Day - Month - Year format. This is not the format used in the United States, where we enter the month first.* Incorrectly entering your birth date will delay your application
- If you are a U.S. Permanent Resident, send us a copy of your U.S. Passport or Permanent Resident Card.

#### 2. Applicant Contact Details:

- A permanent address outside Australia must be given.

#### 3. Undergraduate Program of Study:

- Indicate the year in which you wish to begin. The rest of this section is already filled in (the commencement is Semester 1; the program code is 2046; the program name is MBBS (graduate entry - UQ Ochsner)).

#### 4. Scholarship Details:

- The University of Queensland School of Medicine Ochsner Clinical School does not offer scholarships for the MBBS program.

#### 6. Application Fee:

- The application fee is waived.

#### 9. Academic Qualifications:

- Enter the degree(s) you were granted (e.g. B.A., B.S., M.S.) under 'Course/award'.
- Enter the name(s) of the college(s) or university(ies) attended under 'Institution'.
- Enter the name of the country.
- Enter the year you began study and the year you completed study.
- If you have not yet received your bachelor's degree, or are working on a higher degree such as a Master's, check 'Yes' after 'Are you currently studying?'
- Enter the degree you are working on under "Name of course/award".
- Enter the name of the institution, the country, and your expected graduation date.
- Check 'No' after 'Do you wish to claim credit or

exemptions on the basis of your previous tertiary study'.

- Check 'Yes' after 'Would you prefer an offer even if the credit assessment has not been completed'.

#### 10. Overseas Student Health Cover

- International students are required to enroll in Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) as a requirement of the Australian Student Visa.
- You may arrange for such health insurance yourself. It is however much easier to have UQ arrange health insurance for you.

#### 11. Declaration and Signature:

- Sign and date the application form.

#### 12. Permission to Release Information:

- If you wish a third party, such as a relative, to have access to your application information, please fill in this section.

### Required Documents:

In addition to the application form, MCAT scores and official transcripts are required in order to complete your application.

#### MCAT Scores

- MCATs must have been taken during the three years previous to the start date of the program (for example, for the cohort beginning in Jan. 2013, MCATs must have been taken from Jan. 2010 forward).
- We cannot accept applications from the AMCAS system.
- Please either print out and mail, or send a pdf. file by email, of your MCAT scores, including the verification number and AAMC ID number.

#### Transcript(s)

- Official transcripts (not photo-copies or student copies) must be sent directly from all institutions attended to MedEdPath. Please have transcripts for all course work leading to your degree, including summer study and course credits transferred to your degree-granting institution, sent to our office.

### Required for Attendance:

#### Completed Bachelor's or advanced degree Immunizations (before beginning courses)

The University of Queensland requires that students be immunized against the following:

- Hepatitis B
- MMR
- Varicella
- TB
- Influenza

#### First Aid Certificate

- Before beginning the MBBS program students must have completed and hold a current approved Australian Senior First Aid Certificate, or its equivalent. The first problem in the PBL curriculum assumes knowledge gained in a Senior First Aid certificate. Evidence of this certificate must be presented on the first day of the program.
- First aid certificates obtained from internationally recognized organizations, such as the Red Cross or the AHA, are acceptable provided they cover the same curriculum as the Australian Senior First Aid certificate, including adult, child and infant CPR. It is the

responsibility of the student to provide evidence of the content covered in the first aid course.

- Students may take the first aid course offered on campus by UQ Sport during the week before the start of classes. For information go to: <http://uqsport.com.au/firstaid>

### **Blue Card**

- All students at the School of Medicine are required to hold a Blue Card. Upon enrollment, the University will apply for the Blue Card on the behalf of MBBS students. Students will not incur any costs. Upon receiving an Offer students will be sent the Blue Card application form and the email address the completed form is to be sent to. Students must fill in the application form, and have their identification verified by a Notary Public.
- The Blue Card is issued by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian. The Commission is an independent statutory authority which promotes and protects the rights, interests and well being of children and young people in Queensland.
- Under the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian Act (2000), people who work with children under 18 years of age, in particular businesses or categories of paid or voluntary employment, must undergo screening called the Working with Children Check.
- The Working with Children Check is a detailed check of a person's criminal history, if any, including charges or convictions. This involves a check of relevant police information held by the Queensland Police Service and other Police Services in Australia for any charges or convictions.
- A person whose application to work with children and young people is approved is issued with a positive notice letter and a Blue Card.





# Ochsner/Queensland Medical School Rotation



## Application

Complete this form if you are interested in the Ochsner/Queensland Program.

Name: .....  
*First* *Last* *Middle*

Date of Birth: .....  
*DD* *MM* *YY*

Address: .....  
*Street* *City* *State* *Zip*

E-mail Address: .....

Please answer these questions on a separate page with numbers clearly stated.

1 Statement of purpose - describe your educational objectives

2 Why are you interested in participating in a global education experience?

3 How will your experience in New Orleans enhance your educational goals?

I acknowledge that I have been advised of the following special terms of my application for enrollment into the UQ-Ochsner Program:

1. **UQ-Ochsner Program:** The proposed arrangement for the UQ-Ochsner Program is to deliver 2 years of pre-clinical education at The University of Queensland in Australia and 2 years of clinical instruction at Ochsner Health System in Louisiana (the “**UQ-Ochsner Program**”)

2. **State and Jurisdiction Licensure:**

- a. UQ is not responsible for assuring licensure in any jurisdiction.
- b. U.S. States and jurisdictions have varying requirements for licensing after graduation from the UQ-Ochsner Program or UQ’s traditional four-year program.
- c. I should seek the advice of the state medical board in any states in which I intend to practice to confirm my eligibility for licensure after graduation from the UQ-Ochsner Program or UQ’s traditional four-year program.
  - i. UQ is in the process of making an application for recognition to the Medical Board of California. Graduates of the UQ-Ochsner program would not be allowed to become licensed in California at this time.
  - ii. Students who wish to practice in California should be aware that the Medical Board of California currently recognizes UQ’s traditional four-year program.

3. **MBBS Programs:** UQ has a traditional four year MBBS program for U.S. Students other than the UQ-Ochsner Program. Information on this program may be found by emailing the University at [study@uq.edu.au](mailto:study@uq.edu.au) or on the UQ website [www.uq.edu.au/study](http://www.uq.edu.au/study)

4. **MedEdPath:** MedEdPath has been authorized to represent and recruit prospective students to the UQ-Ochsner Program on behalf of UQ.

Signed by:

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Print Applicant’s Name

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Date