



## WSU Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine- Honors College Pathway (HCP)

The HCP focuses on enrolling selected WSU Honors College students into the Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine. Up to 10% of yearly MD seats will be reserved for the HCP.

All applicants from the WSU-Pullman Honors College must meet the following requirements for conditional acceptance to College of Medicine:

### Honors College\*:

- Be enrolled in the Honors College at WSU
- Satisfy the Honors College foundational requirement courses: Mathematics (4 SCH), Science (4 SCH), and English 298 Writing and Research Honors (3 SCH)
- Satisfy the Honors College core curriculum (3 SCH each): Honors 270, 280, 290, 370, 380, 390
- Satisfy the Honors College thesis requirement
- Complete all requirements for the Honors College certificate, including the foreign language proficiency requirement
- Graduate from the WSU Honors College

### Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine\*:

- Apply to the HCP two years prior to the year the student would matriculate into the College of Medicine (either immediately after college graduation or after one approved gap year)
- Interview with select members of the Admissions Committee for entry into the HCP
- Maintain an undergraduate GPA of 3.5
- Take and earn an MCAT score consistent with the requirement for all medical school applicants, a threshold pairing for a 3.5 GPA (currently a 43%tile rank or higher) after entrance into the HCP, prior to application to the College of Medicine, and upon enrollment to the College of Medicine
- Take required coursework for entry to the College of Medicine; 4 SCH each of (with lab); must be completed by July 15 of matriculation year to the College of Medicine
  - Biology
  - Physics
  - Organic Chemistry
- Sign a commitment letter indicating agreement to abide by all of the requirements in order to earn a conditional seat at the College of Medicine
- Year before enrollment into College of Medicine, submit an AMCAS application, secondary application, and supporting documents by designated due dates
- Interview during the regular interview season for the entry year at the College of Medicine in Spokane
  - Interviews may occur with other College of Medicine applicants or a separate day for HCP students depending on the size of the cohort
  - Acceptance is contingent upon no red flags (e.g., institutional actions, being convicted of a misdemeanor or felony, performing poorly across interviews, etc).
- Meet all other requirements for entry into the College of Medicine such as national and state residency/ties to Washington

\*Subject to change

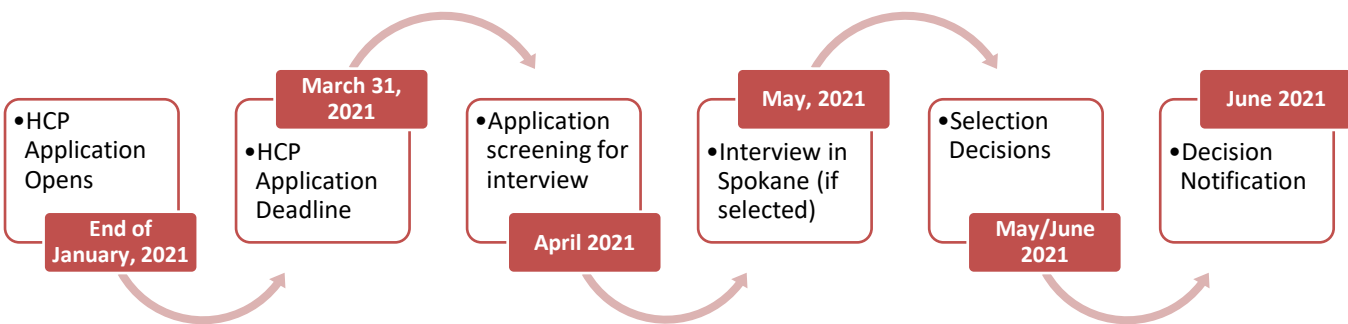
To align with mission, the College of Medicine Admissions Committee may prioritize applicants who have the attributes, life experiences, and come from backgrounds the Admissions Committee deems important in meeting the College’s mission and vision. These include:

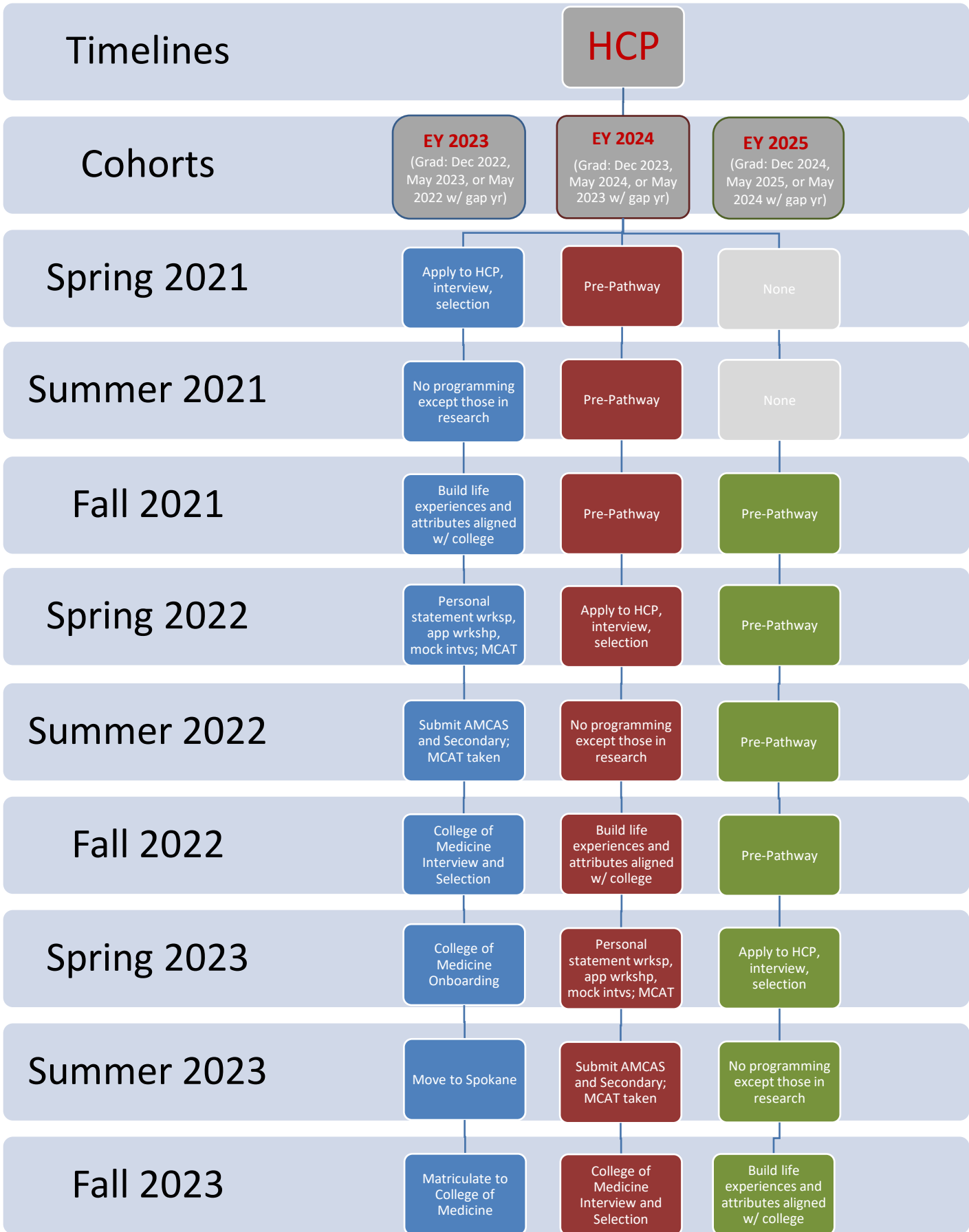
- Come from or have experience with rural and/or underserved populations or communities
- First-generation college graduate
- Come from low socioeconomic backgrounds

**Requirements to Apply to the HCP:**

- US Citizen or US Permanent Resident
- Meet 3 of 4 “from Washington” ties or a definition of “resident student”
  - Ties: born in Washington, childhood address in Washington, graduated from a Washington high school, and/or parent/guardian currently lives in Washington
  - WA Resident Student legal definition within RCW 28B.15.012(2) – full explanation can be found at <https://medicine.wsu.edu/md-program/overview-applying-to-medical-school/requirements/>
- Internal College of Medicine Application
- Unofficial transcripts for all college coursework taken at WSU and elsewhere
- Two Letters of Recommendation:
  - 1 required from professor of a course you have taken
  - 1 required from another professor, Health Professions Center, employment supervisor, or volunteer supervisor
- Ability to participate in an interview, if selected, at the WSU Health Sciences Spokane campus

**Timeline to Apply for EY 2023 Cohort (Entry Year into the College of Medicine):**





\*EY = Entry Year into the WSU College of Medicine

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