



Wayne State University School of Medicine

WHAT IS A

# Warrior M.D.?



- *Clinical experiences starting day one that take you from classrooms to bedsides to local neighborhoods.*
- *The opportunity to treat real patients with complex cases other medical students only read about.*
- *Faculty experts who work alongside you in the classroom and the operating room.*

*A Warrior M.D. is about more than preparing you for residency. It's about building the skills, knowledge and expertise that will set you apart as a confident, compassionate physician.*

## *Urban Clinical Excellence*

When you choose to become a doctor, you answer a call to serve. A commitment to the community has been at the core of our mission since 1868. That's why clinical outreach is a focus of the M.D. curriculum, providing real-world clinical experience as soon as you set foot on campus. The M.D. program's rigorous classroom instruction prepares students for residency through team- and problem-based learning.

### *Curriculum experiences include:*

#### **First Patient Project**

- Collaborate with fellow students in anatomy on a project or case study under the guidance of faculty, residents and fourth-year medical students.
- Teams will present their projects during an annual seminar, with the opportunity to publish their findings in established medical publications.

#### **Outreach**

- Volunteer through more than 30 student-run clinics and medical outreach organizations.
- Gain valuable clinical experience by providing needed care to Detroit's underserved populations.

#### **Learning Communities**

- Collaborate with your peers and mentors to study, socialize and problem-solve together in small groups or "Wayne Houses."

#### **Research**

- Participate in research and publish in our student journal, *The Journal of Team Hippocrates*.

### *Co-Curricular Program*

Through the Co-Curricular Program, you have a unique opportunity to engage with the community as you fulfill degree requirements and build on volunteer work completed during your first year.

- Care for vulnerable populations and stigmatized patients such as the elderly, homeless, addicted and handicapped.
- Work with service organizations at community health fairs.
- Travel on World Health Student Organization medical relief missions.
- Tutor at local schools.
- Volunteer at soup kitchens, in food banks and in local neighborhoods.

# Admissions by the numbers

Class size:

**290**

Average GPA:

**3.7**

Average MCAT percentage:

**79%**

The School of Medicine evaluates candidates through a holistic admission process. In addition to fulfillment of all admission requirements, your entire record — including grade point average, Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) scores, personal experiences and attributes, recommendations, and interview results — will be considered.



## The city is our campus

From nightlife to nature trails, there's so much to see and do in Detroit. Our campus is located in Midtown, the city center and one of the country's fastest growing neighborhoods, where you'll find boutiques and brand name shops, a thriving food scene, and plenty of unique places to call home. Just blocks from the sports arenas and excitement of downtown, Midtown is a beacon of art, culture, entertainment and opportunity.

We're also located within one of the largest concentrations of major urban medical institutions in the country. Our long-standing partnerships with these world-class hospitals provide professional access you won't find anywhere else. Detroit is undergoing unprecedented positive change, and the School of Medicine is at the heart of it all. Join us and take part in the reinvention of a great American city.

## Clinical partners

- The nine-hospital Detroit Medical Center
- Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute
- Crittenton Hospital Medical Center
- Beaumont Hospital Dearborn
- John D. Dingell VA Medical Center
- The six-hospital Henry Ford Health System
- Providence Hospital
- St. John Hospital and Medical Center
- St. Joseph Mercy Health System

## Midtown Detroit



Nearly **3 million** annual visitors



**2.3 billion** in development in the last 10 years



More than **20,000 residents**



**400+** public performances, exhibits and cultural events annually



**330 business** and growing



**400+ acres** of parks and green space

## Become a Warrior M.D.

Keep track of our admission timeline and be prepared to apply. Learn more at [admissions.med.wayne.edu](https://admissions.med.wayne.edu).

### June

AMCAS applications open  
Apply through the Early Decision Plan

### February

Visit us at admission events

### July

Secondary application requests begin

### April

Second Look Days take place on campus

### August

Interviews begin

### July

Final admission decisions are made

### October

Admission offers begin