

MEDICINE



FREQUENTLY ASKED
QUESTIONS

General information

How many places are available on the Bachelor's Degree in Medicine?

100 places.

How much does the first year of the Bachelor's Degree in Medicine cost?

Please visit uic.es/medicine for the most up-to-date information.

What kind of grants or funding can I get to study Medicine at UIC Barcelona?

Please visit uic.es/grants for more information.

Do students need to buy books or any other additional materials for classes?

Teaching material can be found on the University's digital platform and at the Library. There are no elevated costs associated with the material.

When will classes be held?

Theoretical-practical classes are held in the afternoon (usually between 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.). Practical laboratory sessions (biology, pharmacology, dissection, skeleton, etc.) usually take place in the morning. Clinical practicums at healthcare centres are also held in the morning.

When do the practicums start?

All subjects have a strong practical component, combining theoretical and practical classes, in small groups, carried out in the laboratories, in the simulation center and, from the third year onwards, intensifying with internships in the clinical environment (supervised clinical internships). The last year (6th rotation) is eminently practical and includes 30 weeks of internships.

Access routes

What academic transcript mark is required alongside the entrance examination for UIC Barcelona?

The mark you received in your most recently completed academic year is taken into account. Therefore, if you are in your 2nd year of upper secondary school, the mark you obtained from your 1st year will be taken into account. If you have already finished upper secondary school, we will look at the mark from your 2nd year and so on.

Can I apply for the entrance examinations if I have social, humanities or artistic upper secondary qualifications?

Yes. You must take into account the fact that the entrance examinations involve specific tests on biology, chemistry and mathematics at first year upper secondary level.

Entrance exams and the admission process

THERE WILL BE A SINGLE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION. IT WILL BE HELD IN PERSON ON SATURDAY 11 MAY, 2024.

How many people attend the entrance examinations? Around 500.

In what format will the admission tests be conducted?

The admission test will be offered in two formats depending on the student's residence.

- Students currently residing in Catalonia must take the exam in classroom format at the Sant Cugat Campus of UIC Barcelona.
- Students currently residing outside Catalonia can take the exam in online format.

Can I look up past entrance exam papers?

We do not have sample tests available.

Is the examination multiple choice?

Yes, except for the structured written interview.

How are the marks from both my academic record and the entrance examinations weighted?

50 % is attributed to the marks from your academic record and 50 % from the entrance examinations.

What are the exam times?

From 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. approximately.

How long do the exams take?

The entrance examinations last between four and five hours, which will be distributed as follows:

- Emotional intelligence test
- A specific biology, chemistry and mathematics test
- Structured written interview

Is it necessary to have a B2 level of English to take the tests?

No, it is not necessary.

When will I find out the results of the entrance exams?

The results will be sent via email approximately 15 working days after the exams have been taken.

If I'm on the waiting list, when will I find out the final results?

The waiting list will definitively close two weeks following the start of classes (end of September). Also, until the pass marks are published by the state universities, there will be little movement on the waiting lists.

If I am accepted, what is the next step?

You will receive a letter of admission containing information about the next steps to take in order to reserve a place on the course. This corresponds to 20% of the fee for the first year.

If in the end I choose not to study at UIC Barcelona after having reserved a place, will the reservation fee be refunded to me?

The reservation fee will only be refunded if you do not pass your upper secondary school or PAU (national Spanish university entrance examinations) exams. This clause is laid out in our General Terms and Conditions.

WHY STUDY AT UIC BARCELONA?

- 1** We are the Spanish university with the highest percentage of students who surpassed the MIR cut-off mark over the past five years, with an average pass rate of 98,4%. The first position with respect to the percentage of students who pass the cut-off mark.
- 2** Our University has the highest performance in Spain. According to the Ministry of Education and Vocational Training, 97,7% of our students pass all the credits onto which they enrol.
- 3** Among our state-of-the-art facilities, we have a Comprehensive Centre for Advanced Simulation spanning 1,000 m² which is equipped with the latest technology.
- 4** Our teaching is highly active and practical. Our learning methods are innovative and sessions are held in small groups (case method, problem-based learning, and simulation, among others).
- 5** Our teachers are among the best assessed in the Catalan university system. Virtually all our clinical teachers are active physicians.
- 6** For clinical practicums, the tutor-student ratio is 1:1.
- 7** Clinical internships are held at Hospital General de Granollers, Hospital Universitario General de Catalunya, Consorci Sanitari de Terrassa (CST), Centros de Atención Primaria ACEBA, Hospital Quirónsalud Barcelona, Hospital de Mollet, Hospital Teknon, HM Delfos, Parc Sanitari Sant Joan de Déu, among others.

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