

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENT CHANGES FOR FALL 2025**MAX RADY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE**

The following changes will come into effect for the **2025-2026** application cycle. Applications to this cycle will open in late August 2024.

Addition of an Indigenous Course Prerequisite

- Applicants will be required to complete a 3-credit hour Indigenous course prerequisite as a new academic requirement for admission into the Undergraduate Medical Education (UGME) Program. **This requirement must be completed by the end of August 2024 if applying for Fall 2025 entry.**
- A minimum grade of C will be required in this course.
- Applicants will be able to find the list of acceptable University of Manitoba Indigenous Courses in the Undergraduate Academic Calendar: <https://catalog.umanitoba.ca/undergraduate-studies/arts/#facultyacademicregulationstext>
- Indigenous courses completed externally will need to be assessed after application to the University of Manitoba after submission of a detailed course syllabus.

Revision of the Adjusted Grade Point Average (AGPA)

- Undergraduate courses that satisfy specific prerequisites will not be dropped from the AGPA calculation. Therefore, if the applicant's prerequisite courses are the applicant's lowest marks, marks from other courses will be dropped in lieu of the prerequisite course marks. In the even the applicant has completed more than 3 credit hours of prerequisite courses, the highest graded 3 credit hours will fulfill the prerequisite and be used in the calculation of the AGPA. The remaining credit hours will be eligible to be dropped from the calculation of the AGPA where applicable.

Revision to the Request for Elimination Criteria

- All prerequisite courses outlined in the academic requirements for admissions must be completed within the second program of study.

NOTE: *It is important to review this document in conjunction with the Applicant Information Bulletin to ensure that you have understood all admission requirements and policies for the intake for which you apply.*

<https://umanitoba.ca/explore/sites/explore/files/2021-03/medicine-bulletin.pdf>