
[premed-I] Summer pre-req courses, AMCAS application workshop and Zoom sessions

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Good evening,
We miss seeing all of you and hope you remain safe and healthy.

Students have been asking about summer online pre-requisite science courses. Some medical schools we have contacted have stated that they will accept online coursework for pre-requisite courses this summer due to this unprecedented pandemic. We don't have comprehensive information but the ones we have polled thus far are willing to be flexible and we think things will continue to trend in this direction. However, before enrolling, we urge you to reflect on how well virtual learning has gone for you this past month. The pace of summer coursework is incredibly fast and many students have confessed that learning virtually has been hard in terms of motivation, self-accountability and access to support when needed. If you have experienced any of that, it is worth delaying science pre-reqs until you can take them in person. We just want to make sure you're considering the whole picture because medical school admissions will remain extremely competitive and we want to make sure that you're setting yourself up for success. If you proceed with online coursework, remember that you need to follow the process [outlined here](#).

Next week on [Wednesday at 4pm EST](#) and [Thursday at 5pm EST](#) Dean Connell will present a workshop for those applying this cycle on the 2020 AMCAS application; the content is the same but there are two sessions for those with conflicts. She will also host Zoom sessions over the next two weeks for anyone who wants to ask questions about all things pre-health; we will send the dates and times in the next few days.

An upcoming email from Lucy Cherner contains a lot of helpful information, so be on the lookout for that. We hope you all enjoy this Easter weekend,
Deans Connell, Canlas, Parker and Lucy Cherner, M.S.

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