

Graduate Course in Medicine: Applicant instructions

OVERVIEW

- The Graduate Course in Medicine (A101) is open only to applicants who qualify for home fee status. For further information about fee status, see [here](#).
- Applications are only considered for admission in the year following application; deferred-entry applications will not be considered.
- You will need to have sat the **University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT) by 26 September**. Further information about key UCAT dates can be found [here](#). Some additional information about the UCAT can be found [here](#).
- Your UCAS application must have been submitted by **18:00 (UK time) on 15 October** and will include an academic reference.
- You will need to complete the **Graduate Course in Medicine Supplementary Application Form**, submitting all supporting documents by **18:00 (UK time) on 22 October**. The link to the form is in the e-mail received by applicants after making an application via UCAS.
- You will also need to nominate a second referee. The second reference must be from someone other than the person providing your UCAS reference. That reference must be submitted by **18:00 (UK time) on 4 November**.

GRADUATE COURSE IN MEDICINE SUPPLEMENTARY APPLICATION FORM

- The link for the online Graduate Course in Medicine Supplementary Application Form can be found in the e-mail applicants receive from a College after making an application via UCAS.
- This is a compulsory part of the application. Applications will not be considered without this form.
- The deadline for completing this form is **18:00 (UK time) on 22 October**. Please ensure you complete all sections of the form, uploading the supporting documents requested where relevant.
- One section of this form asks about your healthcare experience. Candidates are asked to record this and their reflections on this experience using our template Healthcare Experience Log, which can be downloaded [here](#). Please complete this and upload it to the relevant section of the form.
- If you have any questions about this form, please see contact information below.

SECOND REFERENCE

- Your second referee must be an individual other than your UCAS referee. Contact your proposed referee as soon as possible to confirm that they are willing to provide a reference and to explain the application procedure. You should email a copy of your UCAS Personal Statement to this referee in good time, to ensure that they are able to write and submit the reference by **18:00 (UK time) on 4 November**.
- The link to the referee form will be provided to you in the e-mail applicants receive from a College after making an application via UCAS. It is your responsibility to send this link to the second referee, and it is your responsibility to ensure that the referee submits their reference on time.

COLLEGE PREFERENCE & CONTACT DETAILS

- If you submit an application to a specified College and are offered a place on the course, but the College to which you have applied is oversubscribed, you may be allocated to another College. If you submit an open application, this will be allocated to one of the four Colleges for processing (and if you are offered a place on the course it may be at a different College).
- If you have any questions please email the College to which you applied, or if you made an Open Application, the College to which you were allocated. In either case, it will be the College that sent you the e-mail which acknowledged your application and provided a link to the Supplementary Application Form, and is one of the following addresses:
 - Hughes Hall ugadmissions@hughes.cam.ac.uk
 - Lucy Cavendish admissions@lucy.cam.ac.uk
 - St Edmund's College admissions@st-edmunds.cam.ac.uk
 - Wolfson College ug-admissions@wolfson.cam.ac.uk

INTERVIEWS

- Interviews for the short-listed applicants for 2025 entry will take place in late January. The interview is in the multiple mini interview format (normally up to 10 stations with each station lasting 5 minutes). The interviewers include clinicians, medical sciences experts and lay academics.
- The multiple mini interviews will be held online via Zoom.

CHECKLIST: To make a valid application, ensure you have:

1. Sat University Clinical Aptitude Test by **26 September**
2. Applied via UCAS by 18:00 (UK time) on **15 October**
3. Completed the online Graduate Course in Medicine Supplementary Application Form by **18:00 (UK time) on 22 October** and that the Healthcare Experience Log and all other relevant supporting documents are uploaded there.
4. Ensured that your second referee provides the reference by **18:00 (UK time) on 4 November**. To enable this you must send them (in good time) the referee link provided to you in the acknowledgement e-mail from the College.
