Warwick Medical School - Undergraduate Live Chat - Find out about Health and Medical Sciences at Warwick

Our Warwick Medical School will be chatting with you, providing top tips for applying to Health and Medical Sciences at Warwick

Hello and welcome to the Live Chat. Chatting with you today are Dr David Davies and Dr Hollie White along with members of the Warwick Medical School marketing team. We can answer your questions on admission to the BSc Health and Medical Sciences at Warwick Medical School. Please feel free to ask your questions, and we'll try to answer these for you.

Please remember that this is a public chat, so please do not share personal or confidential information. If you have anything that is confidential that you wish to ask, please contact us by email at wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk

Hello, I am studying the IB. What subjects should be at higher level for the Health and Medical Sciences course?

Sorry, course

Hello! How many seats do you have for non-EU students? Thank you

Sorry, course

No worries! Happy to answer your question. I will also pop a slide up for you to review.

IB: 36 overall including 5 in one Higher Level subject out of Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Maths or 34 overall including 5 in two Higher Level subjects out of Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Maths. Biology is recommended.

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| Hi Corinne, we don’t have a quota and will consider all applications on their own merits. |

| Great! Thanks |

| Great, thank you for this Hollie |

| Do you have the requirements for French Bac students? Thank you |
Hi Corinne, as this is a specific question I think it would be best answered by our admissions team so that we can be 100% sure we give you the correct information. Feel free to email us at wms_hms@warwick.ac.uk and we can forward the specific question on to admissions.

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This link may also help you to ascertain the answer to your question

https://warwick.ac.uk/study/international/admissions/entry-requirements

International Entry Requirements: What's my degree score equal to?

Entry qualifications and degree equivalences at Warwick for students with international qualifications. GPA entry requirements for British degrees

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Gosh that a great question. In as much as anybody knows what will happen as a result of Brexit, the University has published guidance for current and future students here https://warwick.ac.uk/about/brexit/future/

Brexit advice for future students at Warwick

Our guidance for future students at Warwick as the deadline for the UK’s departure from the EU approaches.

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Hi Evie, I’ve put up the career opportunities slide for you and everyone. Let me know if that helps or if you have any questions.
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Hi Rebecca, in the situation you describe you would unfortunately not be automatically entitled to take up any place that we had offered. At the end of the year various factors become relevant to Universities depending on numbers of students who do make their offer, and so it wouldn't be possible to give you a definitive response to whether you would be able to join the course with slightly lower achievement at this time.

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Hi Office, do you mean transfer to Health and Medical Sciences away from your current part-time degree?

Yes please

Oh okayy, thank you.

Yes please

We think this would be an internal process, but as HMS is a new course you could only transfer into year 1. The best thing might be to email us at wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk to explore this further.

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By access what do you mean Corinne, transfer from one programme to another?

Yes

Thank you David, I will send the email over

Great!!! Tyson.
It is worth bearing in mind that those who 'very nearly' make their offers will have them reviewed and there is definitely potential for a place to still be offered. Also, do check what your individual offer would be likely to be. Warwick is committed to realising opportunities and contextual data offers based on individual circumstances [https://warwick.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/apply/contextualoffers](https://warwick.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/apply/contextualoffers)

**Contextual Offers**

The University of Warwick is committed to making a high-quality and challenging university education available to those who are capable of benefiting from it, as outlined in the University's Access and Participation Plan. Our recruitment and application processes are designed to support students with the potential to succeed at the University and we are committed to ensuring that every application is treated fairly and judged on its merits. Our approach considers educational and individual context in our offer making to provide a rounded understanding of academic potential and achievement, and ensure we consider talented applicants from all backgrounds.

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**Sorry ^david**

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**Yes**

Because Health and Medical Sciences is a new degree starting in 2020, students wanting to transfer can only transfer onto the first year. Anyone wanting to explore this further should contact us directly at [wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk).

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**oh right, thank you very much**

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**Understood. Thank you very much for your answers! Have a great afternoon**

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**Thanks for your questions Corinne!**

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**what's the difference between graduate and postgraduate?**

Hi Rebecca, Graduate is just used as a term to describe someone has successfully completed an undergraduate degree (i.e. a BSc). Postgraduate tends to be used to describe a level of study that takes place after a first/undergraduate degree. So for example, a Graduate could undertake a postgraduate degree like a Masters. Hope this helps

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**I don't find this great tab about Career opportunities in Heath and Medical Sc; could you send the link please? Thank you**

Try the version I just posted Corinne, you should be able to download it.
oh right, thank you very much

No problem, is there anything more I can tell you about the course? Modules etc...

oh okay, thank you. Do you perhaps know if there's any financial support after completing an undergraduate degree, as I wanted to go into graduate medicine after completing an undergraduate degree in health and medical science if I do get an offer

Sorry David, I can't download it

yes please. could elaborate on the difference between just doing medical science and health and medical science

Hi Rebecca, yes this is a common question. My colleague from marketing will pop a link up about the financial support available to graduate entry medical students at Warwick.

Alright thank you

Sorry David, I can't download it

Try right-clicking the image in your browser, but if that doesn't work we will add it to the HMS course web site today.

Hello, is it possible to apply to the health and medical sciences degree with only one stem subject? In my case Maths at A-level. My other subjects are History and Politics. Also, would studying health and Medical sciences at Warwick give students any sort of advantage applying to MB ChB programme for graduate entry?

OK, Thanks David
Hi Rebecca, here’s some information about the financial support available for graduate entry medicine students at Warwick (for 2020 entry): https://warwick.ac.uk/services/academicoffice/funding/fundingyours/studies/medics2020

Grad Entry Medicine Funding 2020-21 - Student Funding - University of Warwick

Graduate Entry Medicine 2020-21

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Hi Rebecca, Health and Medical Sciences allows you to explore issues in health from a broad and integrated perspective, rather than from a medical science perspective alone. In addition, many pure medical science degrees will be laboratory-based, BSc Health and Medical Sciences is not a laboratory-based degree.

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Hi Ali, yes you can apply with one STEM subject, in which case the standard offer is AAB. I’ve displayed the entry requirements slide. As for entry into graduate medicine, there are many routes into this programme, and Health and Medical Sciences is one of them.

okay, now I get it.

thank you soo much for your help and answers

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This slide gives a good overview of how the two perspectives are integrated and what we mean by Health Sciences and Medical Sciences

Are there many exams on the course?

To help us better understand who’s online with us today, can you tell us what subjects you are currently studying?

Georgie

IB
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Hi Georgie, we have a wide variety of assessments on the course that we have tried to space throughout the year where we can. We understand that students have different strengths and weaknesses when it comes to modes of assessment. You could expect to undertake examinations, coursework/reports, group and individual presentations as well as more applied assessments such as a practice job interview in year two.

Thanks, that is really helpful

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For more information you could look up our modules on [https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/sci/med/study/ug/hms/](https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/sci/med/study/ug/hms/)

**BSc Health and Medical Sciences**

Find out about our BSc Health and Medical Sciences, a new undergraduate degree launching at Warwick Medical School in 2020.

We are reaching the end of our time to chat today, but there is still time for some more questions if you have them...

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| Georgie | IB |

Thanks for all of the great questions today. Signing off for now but don’t forget you can contact us with questions [wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:wms.hms@warwick.ac.uk)