

Requirements for ALL Accepted Applicants

In order to remain in the program, a participant must achieve or maintain the following:

1. 3.5 overall GPA
2. 3.5 BCP (biology, chemistry and physics) GPA
3. Minimum DAT scores required:
20 Academic Average (AA), 20
Perceptual Ability Test (PAT)
and 20 Reading Comprehension
(must be taken by the fall
semester of the third year)

At the end of each semester, each participant must submit an official transcript of grades to the Student Admissions Committee.



Combined Degree Program

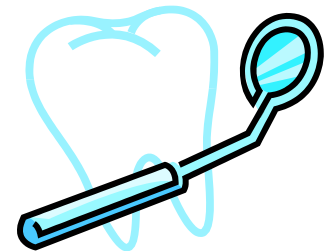


Further information is available from:

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Combined Degree Program
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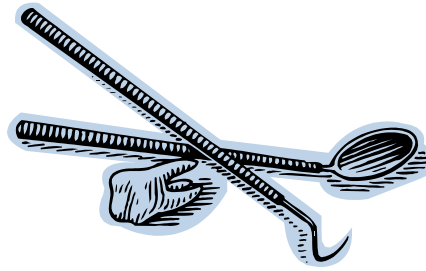
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Combined Degree Program: BS/DDS

The Combined Degree Program (3+4) is a seven-year program developed between the University at Buffalo's College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Dental Medicine. It allows participating students the opportunity to receive a bachelor's degree in biology and a doctoral degree in dentistry.

The first three years of the program are completed in the College of Arts and Sciences and the last four years are spent in the School of Dental Medicine.



Selection of Participants

Participants are selected for the program by the following criteria:

—High School Students—

- ◆ Possess a 93 or better high school average
- ◆ Score a 1300 (**before March 1, 2016**) or 1360 (**after March 1, 2016**) on the critical reading and math sections of the SAT, or an ACT score of 29
- ◆ Be accepted to UB as a matriculating (degree-seeking) student
- ◆ Demonstrate maturity and strong motivation for a career in dentistry
- ◆ Receive invite for an interview at UB's School of Dental Medicine following review of complete applications

Counseling, Advising & Programming

If accepted, at the beginning of the first year in the program, participants should arrange to meet with a prehealth advisor to review program requirements.

Clinical Experience

Participants must complete a **minimum** of 100 hours of clinical experience during the first three years of the program. Students may volunteer in private dental practices or utilize other experiences with the approval of the program advisor.

Fourth Year Option

A participant in good standing will have the option of spending the fourth year of the program in the College of Arts and Sciences to complete a bachelors degree rather than at the School of Dental Medicine in the first year of the DDS program. Choosing this option will extend the length of the program to eight years.