

# Prehealth Committee Application Checklist

## Application and Letter Deadlines

Spring Application Deadline	March 10
Spring Letters of Recommendation (Minimum of 4) Deadline	April 15
Fall Application and LOR (Minimum of 4) Deadline	September 1

## UB Prehealth Committee Policies

- Committee letter and individual letters of recommendation will **ONLY** be sent to Professional Health Schools
- Applications submitted with missing information will be considered **INCOMPLETE** and will **NOT** be reviewed
- A nonrefundable application fee will be required **after** each of the above deadlines
  - \$40 for a student applying to any type of Professional Health School

## Application Materials Needed By Deadlines

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Online Application</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete all the sections and submit the application by the appropriate deadline listed above from the Prehealth Website</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>4-7 Letters of Recommendation</b>  Natural Science and Clinical Letters are due by the above letter deadline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 natural science letter <b>REQUIRED</b> from a PhD level faculty member (Some schools may require 2)</li> <li>• 1-2 clinically based letter(s) <b>REQUIRED</b></li> <li>• 1 non-science academic letter <b>RECOMMENDED</b></li> <li>• 1 research letter, if applying MD/PhD, is <b>REQUIRED</b></li> <li>• <b>PLEASE NOTE:</b> Some osteopathic (DO) schools <b>highly recommend</b> a letter from a DO physician</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Unofficial Transcripts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be scanned and uploaded to the online application from:           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ University at Buffalo (found in HUB)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Academic Advising Reports and Transfer Credit Reports are <b>NOT</b> accepted</li> </ul> </li> <li>◦ <b>ALL</b> previously attended colleges</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Unofficial transcripts must be from the college where credit was earned, including Study Abroad and college courses taken in high school (not AP credit)</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Personal Statement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Address these questions:           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ <b>Why</b> do you aspire to be a health professional?</li> <li>◦ <b>How</b> do you know it is right for you?</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Attend essay workshop offered each February</li> <li>• To have the statement reviewed, visit <a href="https://www.buffalo.edu/prehealth/committee/personal-statement.html">https://www.buffalo.edu/prehealth/committee/personal-statement.html</a> for more info</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Quality Headshot Photo</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recent headshot of yourself</li> <li>• Upload to application as a .jpg or .png no larger than 1 megabyte and must not exceed 200px by 200px</li> </ul>