Undergraduate fact sheet

**Medicine, dentistry and veterinary science entry requirements 2022**

These dates are for domestic applicants only. All dates have been provided by the universities and apply to courses starting in semester 1, 2022. Dates are subject to change: confirm all information with the relevant institution.

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### UCAT – ANZ

If you are applying for undergraduate medicine, you need to sit the University Clinical Aptitude Test for Australia and New Zealand. UCAT will be held at various locations across Australia from 1 July to 11 August 2021.

Register at ucat.edu.au.

#### Registration deadlines

- **Concession card holders**: 11.59pm on Monday 10 May 2021
- **Standard booking**: 11.59pm on Monday 17 May 2021
- **Late booking**: 11.59pm on Monday 31 May 2021 (with additional fee)

For any enquiries, contact UCAT on 1800 023 095 or email ucat-anz@monash.edu.

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### UAC application

Apply through UAC by midnight on Thu 30 Sep 2021. The application processing fee increases after this date.

In your UAC application, first on your course preference list should be the course you’d most like to do, followed by your second, third, fourth and fifth preferences. If you’re not selected for your first preference, you’ll be considered equally with all other eligible applicants for your second preference, and so on.

Where interviews form part of the selection process, all eligible applicants will be invited to attend, regardless of how they have ordered their preferences.

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### Medicine

**Charles Sturt University/Western Sydney University**

**725505 Doctor of Medicine (Joint Program)**

**Duration**: 5 years

**Selection criteria**

- **Academic merit**: Interviewed candidates applying on the basis of secondary results: min. ATAR of 95.50
- **Interviewed candidates eligible for consideration as Western Sydney resident**: min. ATAR of 93.50
- **Interviewed candidates eligible for consideration via Rural Entry Admission**: min. ATAR of 91.50

**UCAT ANZ**

Performance will determine if candidates are invited to interview

**Interview**

Conducted on set dates

**Entry schemes**

- **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander selection process**: For Western Sydney, visit westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/how-to-apply/md-applicants/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-applicants.html or email atsfuturedoctors@westernsydney.edu.au.
- **For Charles Sturt**, call the School of Rural Medicine on 02 6365 7611 or email medicine@csu.edu.au.schemes

**Key dates**

| Deadline for including as a UAC preference | 30 Sep 2021 |
| Applicants invited to interviews/assessments | mid-Oct 2021 |
| Interview/assessments | mid to end Nov 2021 |
| Offers released | January Round 1 (13 Jan 2022) |

**Further information**

- westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/courses/advance-human-health.html
- WS Course Information Centre
tel: 1300 897 669
e-mail study@westernsydney.edu.au.

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**University of Newcastle/University of New England**

**785000 Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine (Joint Medical Program) (JMP)**

This undergraduate entry degree is offered jointly by the University of Newcastle and the University of New England. Applicants can select the institution at which they’d prefer to complete this program when they submit their direct application to the Faculty.

**Duration**: 5 years

**Selection criteria**

- **Academic merit**: Candidates applying on the basis of secondary results: min. ATAR of 94.30
- **Candidates attending a rural/remote high school**: min. ATAR of 91.40
- **Candidates applying on the basis of tertiary results**: average results close to credit level.

**UCAT ANZ**

Performance will determine if candidates are invited to interview/assessment

**Interview/multiple skills assessment**

Conducted on set dates in late Nov/early Dec 2021 (mid to late Jan 2022 for non-rural interstate applicants)

**Personal qualities assessment**

Conducted during the skills assessment

**Entry schemes**

- **JMP Rural/Remote Admissions Scheme**
- **Excellence Through Equity Pathway to Medicine**: For details, visit newcastle.edu.au/joint-medical-program/how-to-apply/entry-support
- **JMP Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Admissions Scheme**: For details, call the Thurru Indigenous Health Unit, University of Newcastle on (02) 4921 5023 or The Oorala Aboriginal Centre, University of New England on Freecall 1800 622 384.

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For details of JMP entry schemes, visit newcastle.edu.au/joint-medical-program/how-to-apply/entry-support.
### Key dates

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### Further information

**University of Newcastle**
- **tel:** (02) 4921 5000
- **enquire online:** newcastle.edu.au/askuon
- **email:** jmpadmissions@newcastle.edu.au
- **website:** newcastle.edu.au/jmp

**University of New England**
- **tel:** (02) 6773 2000
- **enquire online:** une.edu.au/AskUNE
- **email:** jmpadmissions@une.edu.au
- **website:** une.edu.au/jmp

**University of Sydney**

**513715 Bachelor of Arts/Doctor of Medicine**

**513720 Bachelor of Science/Doctor of Medicine**

Double Degree Medicine is a prescribed undergraduate degree followed by the four-year Doctor of Medicine. Up to 30 domestic and 10 international places may be made available. In order to progress to the Doctor of Medicine, you need to meet all progression requirements during your first degree studies, as specified under the course rules. Applicants for the Bachelor of Science/Doctor of Medicine have the option of choosing the Medical Science stream when they enrol.

**Duration:** 7 years

**Selection criteria**

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<td>Prerequisite: Mathematics Advanced (Band 4) or Mathematics Extension 1 (Band E3) or Mathematics Extension 2 (Band E3).</td>
<td>Candidates eligible for consideration via Rural Students Entry Scheme: min. ATAR of 91.00</td>
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**UNSW Medicine application**

Used to set the context of the candidate’s interview but not used in identifying candidates for interview. Includes questions on why applicants want to study medicine at UNSW, details of their relevant personal qualities and skills, their non-academic interests and activities, and a brief description of their life experience.

**Interview**

Selection for interviews is based on ATAR results (NSW/ACT applicants).

### Entry schemes

**Rural Students Entry Scheme:** Applications close 30 Sep 2021. For information, call the Rural Clinical School (Sydney campus) on (02) 9385 3250 or visit the UNSW website.

**Indigenous Entry into Medicine Scheme:** Includes a pre-medicine preparation program and a support program run through UNSW Medicine and Nura Gili, UNSW’s Centre for Indigenous Programs. For further information, call (02) 9385 3805 or email asknuragili@unsw.edu.au.

**Gateway Entry Scheme:** Visit the UNSW website for eligibility criteria and application details.
### Pathways to graduate medical programs

You can apply for these programs straight from school. They are designed as pathways to the Doctor of Medicine.

**Australian National University:**
Bachelor of Health Science

**Macquarie University:**
Bachelor of Clinical Science

**Griffith University**
(Gold Coast campus):
Bachelor of Medical Science

**University of Wollongong:**
Bachelor of Pre-Medicine, Science and Health

### Dentistry

**Charles Sturt University**

**214738 Bachelor of Dental Science**

**Duration:** 5 years

**Selection criteria**

**Academic merit**
ATAR/GPA may be used to rank applicants with identical UCAT scores.

**UCAT ANZ**
Performance will determine if applicants are invited to interview.

**Interview**
The interview will be a panel interview and provides applicants the opportunity to demonstrate their communication skills and to further explore their motivation for undertaking a career in dentistry and their commitment to rural and regional dental practice. Each applicant’s problem solving, decision making and spatial awareness skills will also be assessed.

**Entry schemes**

Indigenous applicants or applicants with a significant rural background: Each year at least 50% of places are set aside for applicants who are Indigenous or have a significant rural background. Applicants who wish to apply for one of these places will need to submit an additional form which details their eligibility for this pathway. Applications close 30 Sep 2021.

### Oral Health

**University of Sydney**

**513700 Bachelor of Oral Health**

**Duration:** 3 years

**Selection criteria**

**Academic merit**
Predicted min. ATAR: 83.00

**Recommended studies:** Biology and/or Chemistry

**Interview**
Applicants are required to participate in a Multiple Mini Interview (via Zoom). For more details and timeline, visit the University of Sydney website sydney.edu.au/courses/courses/uc/bachelor-of-oral-health.html.

### University of Sydney

**513705 Bachelor of Science/Doctor of Dental Medicine**

Double Degree Dentistry allows you to complete undergraduate studies in science before commencing the Doctor of Dental Medicine. In order to progress to the Doctor of Dental Medicine degree, all progression requirements specified in the Faculty Handbook must be met.

**Duration:** 7 years

**Selection criteria**

**Academic merit**
Predicted min. ATAR: 99.60

Prerequisite: Mathematics Advanced (Band 4) or Mathematics Extension 1 (Band E3) or Mathematics Extension 2 (Band E3)

**Interview**
May include a written assessment and panel discussion.

Early Offer Year 12 (E12) Scheme applicants will be notified of the interview date after release of ATARs in December.

Eligible candidates must attend the first assessment day after the release of their ATAR results.

You are only eligible for admission in the first available course intake following receipt of final results. If your results are not available in time to be considered for the 2022 intake, you may be eligible to apply for the 2023 intake.

**Entry schemes**

Gadigal Program (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander applicants): sydney.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/undergraduate/admission-pathways.html

Early Offer Year 12 (E12) Scheme (for financial hardship and regional students): sydney.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/undergraduate/admission-pathways/early-offer-year-12-scheme.html.

**Key dates**

**Deadline for including as a UAC preference**
NSW + ACT applicants: Dec 2021 (TBC)
IB + interstate applicants: Jan 2022 (TBC)

**Deadline for direct application to Faculty**
Not applicable to domestic applicants

**Applicants invited to interviews/assessments**
Assessment Day 1: early Dec 2021 (after NSW and ACT ATARs released)
Assessment Day 2: Jan 2022 (after IB, other interstate, and NZ results released)

**Interviews/assessments**
NSW + ACT applicants: 18 Dec 2021 (TBC)
IB + interstate applicants: Jan 2022 (TBC)

**Offers released**
NSW + ACT applicants: Dec 2021 (TBC)
IB + interstate applicants: Jan 2022 (TBC)

**Further information**

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### University of Sydney

**513970 Bachelor of Veterinary Biology/Doctor of Veterinary Medicine**

**Duration:** 6 years  
**Selection criteria**

| Academic merit | Predicted min. ATAR: 97.00  
Prerequisite: Mathematics Advanced (Band 4) or Mathematics Extension 1 (Band E3) or Mathematics Extension 2 (Band E3) |
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**Statement of commitment**
The purpose of the statement is to find out about your interest in, and commitment to, animal health and welfare and a career in veterinary practice. You may be able to provide evidence of this through your family background, work (including school work experience, part-time jobs and voluntary work) and special interests.

**Entry schemes**
Gadigal Program (for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander applicants):  
For details, visit sydney.edu.au/ug-special.

**Key dates**

| Deadline for including as a UAC preference | 19 Nov 2021 (+ upload Commitment Statement) |
| Deadline for direct application to Faculty | 19 Nov 2021  
Applicants invited to interviews/assessments | December Round 2 (22 Dec 2021) or January Round 1 (13 Jan 2022) if required |
| Offers released | As soon as Year 12 results are available: December Round 2 (22 Dec 2021) or January Round 1 (13 Jan 2022)  
and following rounds as required |

**Further information**
sydney.edu.au/courses/courses/uc/bachelor-of-oral-health.html

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### Veterinary Science

**Charles Sturt University**

**214964 Bachelor of Veterinary Biology/Bachelor of Veterinary Science**

**Duration:** 6 years  
**Selection criteria**

| Academic merit | Predicted min. ATAR: 90.00  
Supplementary application form | Applicants must demonstrate their commitment to rural veterinary science and animal industries by completing a compulsory supplementary application form and uploading it to their UAC application. The form will be available from the Charles Sturt University website from 1 July 2021. |
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**Interview**
Applicants will be selected for interview based on their supplementary application form and other selection criteria for the course

**Key dates**

| Deadline for including as a UAC preference | 17 Sep 2021 (applications open 1 July 2021)  
Deadline for direct application to Faculty | Not required but supplementary application form must be uploaded to UAC application by 17 Sep 2021 |
| Applicants invited to interviews/assessments | mid-Nov 2021  
Interviews/assessments | late Nov to early Dec 2021 |
| Offers released | After ATARs are released (no early offers): December Round 2 (22 Dec 2021) or January Round 1 (13 Jan 2022)  
January Round 2 (27 Jan 2022) and following rounds as required |

**Further information**
sydney.edu.au/courses/courses/uc/bachelor-of-oral-health.html
study.csu.edu.au/courses/animal-vet-sciences/bachelor-veterinary-biology-bachelor-veterinary-science

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