

2008-2009 CURRICULUM CHECK SHEET is a guide to the requirements of this program. **It is not necessary to these take courses in the order given. Please contact the Office of Pre-Health Professions for specific details you can call our office at 951-785-2490 or send an e-mail to prehealth@lasierra.edu.**

Admission requirements: The minimum requirements to be admitted are:

1. Earned Bachelor’s degree.
2. Applications must provide documentation of health care experience, either paid or voluntary, that reflects direct patient care. It is suggested that applicants have 2,000 hours of experience.
3. A GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale for all prerequisite courses. Science GPA of 3.0 or higher. Science courses that are more than five years old will not be accepted for transfer credit. If science course are over five years old, please consult the program director for further direction.
4. Verification of current CPR certificate
5. Demonstrate written and oral skills by completing an essay and interview (by invitation only).
6. Three letters of Recommendation – one must be from a practicing MD, DO, or PA

	Fall	Wtr.	Spr.	Completed/Notes
College Writing (ENGL 111, 112, 113)				
General Sociology (SOCI 104) OR Cultural Anthropology (ANTH 315)				
General Psychology (PSYC 104)				
Human Anatomy and Physiology (BIOL 131, 132 & Labs)				
Basic Medical Microbiology (BIOL 185 & Lab)				
General Chemistry (CHEM 111, 112, 113 & Labs) OR Introduction to Chemistry (CHEM 101, 102, 103 & labs)				
College Algebra (MATH 121)				
Recommended Courses:				
Statistics (MATH 251)				
Computer Literacy (CPTG 104)				
Medical Terminology (taken at Loma Linda or a Community College)				

How to Apply: All perspective students must apply through the Central application Service for Physician Assistant Programs (CASPA) at www.caspaonline.org. Applications must be received between October 1 and December 1 of the year prior to the acceptance year. The admissions committee grants required interviews and essays to qualified applicants upon invitation.