Below is a list to get you started on pre-requisites for Medical School (allopathic-MD or osteopathic-DO). It is important for you to look at schools and determine requirements because while the main requirements are common, some schools require slight variations. The website www.aspiringdocs.org has a great deal of valuable information for pre-med students. Medical School Admissions Requirements book from the American Association of Medical Colleges (www.aamc.org). The best resources for DO schools is www.aacom.org.

Common Course/ Competency Requirements:
- 2 semesters of Biology w/ lab (BIO 111/113 and BIO 245/246)
- 2 semesters of Chemistry w/ lab (CHM 111 and CHM 112)
- 2 semesters of Organic Chemistry w/lab (CHM 211 and CHM 212)
- Biochemistry
- 2 semesters of Physics w/lab (PHY 201 and PHY 202 or PHY 221 and PHY 222)
- 2 semesters of English (at least one writing intensive)
- Math (Applied Statistics recommended)
- Statistics knowledge (may be from another course)

Additional Course Requirements or Common Recommendations:
- Psychology or Sociology
- Applied Statistics
- Calculus
- Upper level science courses (i.e. Molecular Biology, Cell Biology, Physiology, etc.)
- An additional Biology course

Other Common Requirements:
- MCAT
- Recommendation letters

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