# Application Guidelines for Biomedical Sciences (MS or PhD)

**Application Deadlines**  
December 1st  
Applications received after April 30th will not be reviewed.

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<td>Program of Interest</td>
<td>Select: Health Sciences Center&gt;Biomedical Sciences&gt;Biomedical Sciences. Select your areas of interest.</td>
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| Test Scores                | Optional: GRE  
Required: TOEFL/IELTS (International students only)  
Unofficial scores may be submitted for evaluation purposes; however, official scores are required upon admission. |
| Letter of Intent           | Required. Please include your intended degree, areas of research interest, previous laboratory experience (if any—not required but highly desirable), and objectives in undertaking Biomedical Studies.  
Please also answer the following questions:  
- How did you learn about the Biomedical Sciences program at UNM?  
- Have you ever attended the Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students (ABRCMS)? If so, when?  
- Have you ever attended the Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science (SACNAS) conference? If so, when?  
- Are you a past UNM HSC Undergraduate Pipeline Network (UPN) participant? If so, when? |
| CV/Resume                  | Required. Include academic and/or scientific awards and publications.                                                                                   |
| Relevant Coursework        | Only list courses beyond the program prerequisites (“B” or higher).                                                                                      |
| Transcripts                | Transcripts from all universities and colleges attended are required. Please send them to:  
UNM Admissions  
PO Box 4895  
Albuquerque, NM 87196-4895 |
| Recommendations            | Three (3) letters of recommendation are required. Your references should be either recent research mentors or faculty members at institutions of higher learning. They should be able to comment on your current ability to perform academically at the graduate level and/or comment on your recent research experience. |