State University of New York Downstate Medical Center

College of Medicine and School of Graduate Studies Academic Calendar 2022-2023

FALL 2022 SEMESTER	
Tues. July 5 - July 29	(M4) Semester Begins
TUES. JULY 5 – JULY 8	(M3) Core Clinical Year Vacation (1 week)
TUES. JULY 5	(MS4) Registration/Payment Deadline
Tues. July 5	First Day of Brooklyn Free Clinic/Pre-Arranged Special Clinical Experiences for Fall 2022
Mon. July 11	(MS3) Core Year Block II Begins & Registration/Payment Deadline
SAT. JULY 9 – SUN JULY 10	Eid al-Adha (Begins at Sundown on 7/8)
FRI. JUL 15	Last Day to Apply for New York State Residency for Fall 2022 semester Foundation years
Mon. Aug. 1-Aug 5	Orientation Foundations 1 (Class of 2026)
Mon. Aug. 8	Unit 1 begins (Foundations 1) and Unit 5 begins (Foundations 2) & Registration/Payment Deadline
Mon. Aug. 29	Graduate School Registration Period Begins
WED. AUG. 31	Graduate School: New student Orientation
Mon. Sept. 5*	Labor Day - No Classes®
Tues. Sept. 6 – Fri Sep. 9	Graduate School Add/Drop period
Tues. Sept. 6	Graduate School Classes Begin
MON. SEPT 26 – TUES. SEPT 27	Rosh Hashanah - Classes Meet [^] Begins at Sundown on 9/25
Mon. Sept. 26-Fri Sept 30	Unit 1 Assessment and Integration Week (Foundations 1)
Mon. Oct 3	Core Year (MS3) Block III
Mon. Oct. 3	Unit 2 Begins (Foundations 1)
WED. OCT 5	Yom Kippur (Begins at Sundown on 10/4)
Mon. Oct. 10	Columbus Day - No Classes®
Mon. Oct 31 - Fri Nov. 4	Unit 5 Assessment and Integration Week (Foundations 2)
Tues. Nov. 8	Election Day - Classes Meet (Medical School) - No Classes (Graduate School)
Mon. Nov. 7	Unit 6 Begins (Foundations 2)
Fri. Nov. 11	Veterans' Day – All COM Classes Meet No Classes (Graduate School)

	(Administrative Offices will be closed)
Mon. Nov. 14	Spring 2023 Registration Information e-mailed to Returning Students
Thur./Fri. Nov. 24/25	Thanksgiving Holiday - No Classes®
Thur. Dec. 1	Last Day to Apply for New York State Residency for Spring 2023 semester (All students)
Mon. Dec.12-Fri Dec. 16	Unit 2 Assessment and Integration Week (Foundations 1)

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FALL 2022 SEMESTER (CON'T)	
FRI. DEC. 23	Graduate School Semester ends
Mon. Dec.19– Fri. Dec 30, 2022	Winter Break Foundations 1 and 2
FRI. DEC. 23	Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 & 4) Semester ends
Mon. Dec 26 – Mon. Jan. 2, 2023	Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 & 4) Vacation
SPRING 2023 SEMESTER	
Tues. Jan. 3	Graduate School Registration Period for Spring Semester Begins
Tues. Jan. 3	Unit 3 Begins (Foundations 1), Unit 6 continues (Foundations 2) Registration & Payment Deadline
Tues. Jan 3	Core Year (MS3) Block 4 Begins
Tues. Jan. 3	Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 & 4) Spring Semester Begins Registration & Payment Deadline for Spring semester
Mon. Jan. 9	Graduate School Spring Semester Classes Begin
Mon. Jan 9 – Fri Jan 13	Graduate School Add/Drop period
Fri. Jan. 13	Graduate School Registration Period for Spring Semester Ends
Fri. Jan 13	Deadline to Submit Fall Semester Grades to Registrar: Foundation years (Units 1 & 5)
Mon. Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday Observed – No Classes ®
Mon. Jan. 30– Fri. Feb 10	Unit 6 Assessment & Gateway 2 Integration weeks (Foundations 2)
Mon. Feb. 13	Start Foundations 2 Study and Take USMLE Step 1 (6 weeks)
Mon. Feb. 20	Presidents' Day Observed - No Classes®,
FRI. FEB. 24	Last Day to File for May 2023 Commencement Ceremony
Mon. Mar. 13	Unit 3 Assessment & Integration week (Foundations 1)
Fri. Mar. 17	Class of 2023 Residency Match Day

Mon. Mar. 20	Unit 4 Begins (Foundations 1)
Mon. Mar 27	Class of 2024 begins Advanced Clinical Work
Mon. Mar 27 – Fri. Mar 31	Transition to Clerkships – Class of 2025
Fri. Apr. 7	Good Friday^ & First night of Passover
Mon. Apr 3 – Fri. Apr. 7, 2023	Spring Break (Foundations 1 and Class of 2025 Vacation week)
Mon. Apr. 10	CORE YEAR Clerkships Begin – Class of 2025 (Block I)
WED. APR. 19	Graduate School Annual Research Day
FRI. MAY 5	Graduate School Classes ends
THURS. MAY 11	Commencement – No Classes
Thur. June 1 – Fri. June 9	Unit 4 and Gateway 1 Assessments Period
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Mon. July 3	First Day for Brooklyn Free Clinic/Pre-Arranged Clinical Experiences for Fall 2023
	First Day for Brooklyn Free Clinic/Pre-Arranged Clinical Experiences for Fall 2023 **Advanced Clinical Year* (MS4) Begins (Registration & Payment Deadline)
Mon. July 3	
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NOTES:

^Per New York State Education Law, Section 224-a: "Any student in an institution of higher education who is unable, because of religious beliefs, to attend classes on particular day or days shall, because of such absence on the particular day or days, be excused from any examinations or any study or work assignments." All missed work, **must be made up** at the discretion of the faculty.

Students should contact faculty **well in advance** to request taking time off, including for religious holidays. Arrangements **must be made** for making up academic work missed.

Holidays in Clinical Years

® Students in clinical courses should check with appropriate departments regarding time off. All 3rd and 4th year students will be expected to adhere to the holiday schedules of the department (and hospital site) to which they are assigned. Fourth year students completing subinternships will have clinical obligations which may extend throughout vacation periods. Refer to the 2022-2023 Student Handbook and the Registrar website for curriculum information pertaining to the Clinical Years.

The 2022-2023 Calendar is tentative and is generally not finalized until September due to curriculum adjustments.

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^{*} The Emergency Medicine Clerkship always begins on a Monday, even on a holiday.