

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 <b>Block II</b> Begins & Registration/Payment Deadline
SAT. JULY 9 – SUN JULY 10	<b>Eid al-Adha (Begins at Sundown on 7/8)</b>
FRI. JUL 15	<b>Last Day to Apply for New York State Residency for Fall 2022 semester Foundation years</b>
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 - <b>No Classes®</b>
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^ <b>Begins at Sundown on 9/25</b>
MON. SEPT. 26-FRI SEPT 30	Unit 1 Assessment and Integration Week ( <b>Foundations 1</b> )
MON. OCT 3	<b>Core Year (MS3) Block III</b>
MON. OCT. 3	Unit 2 Begins (Foundations 1)
WED. OCT 5	Yom Kippur (Begins at Sundown on 10/4)
MON. OCT. 10	Columbus Day - <b>No Classes®</b>
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 - <b>No Classes®</b>
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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<b>FALL 2022 SEMESTER (CON'T)</b>	
FRI. DEC. 23	Graduate School Semester ends
MON. DEC. 19– FRI. DEC 30, 2022	Winter Break Foundations 1 and 2
FRI. DEC. 23	<i>Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 &amp; 4) Semester ends</i>
MON. DEC 26 – MON. JAN. 2, 2023	<i>Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 &amp; 4) Vacation</i>
<b>SPRING 2023 SEMESTER</b>	
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	<b>Core Year (MS3) Block 4 Begins</b>
TUES. JAN. 3	<i>Clerkship and Advanced Clinical Year (MS3 &amp; 4) Spring Semester Begins</i> 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	<b>Deadline to Submit Fall Semester Grades to Registrar: Foundation years (Units 1 &amp; 5)</b>
MON. JAN. 16	Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday Observed – <b>No Classes®</b>
FRI. JAN. 27	Last Day to file for <b>May 2023</b> Graduation
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 - <b>No Classes®</b> ,
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
<b>MON. APR 3 – FRI. APR. 7, 2023</b>	<b>Spring Break (Foundations 1 and Class of 2025 Vacation week)</b>
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
THUR. JUNE 1 – FRI. JUNE 9	<b>Unit 4 and Gateway 1 Assessments Period</b>
<b>FALL 2023 SEMESTER</b>	
MON. JULY 3	First Day for Brooklyn Free Clinic/Pre-Arranged Clinical Experiences for Fall 2023
MON. JULY 3	<b>Advanced Clinical Year</b> (MS4) Begins (Registration & Payment Deadline)
MON. JULY 10	<b>Core Year</b> (MS3) Block II Begins (Registration & Payment Deadline)
<b>FRI. JULY 21</b>	<b>Last Day to Apply for New York State Residency for Fall 2023 for Foundations Year 2</b>
MON. AUG 14	Unit 5 Begins (Foundations 2)

#### 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 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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 Emergency Medicine Clerkship always begins on a Monday, even on a holiday.

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

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