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IVCC Transfer Guide for Pre-Chiropractic Majors

Students wishing to transfer for Pre-Chiropractic can choose any major but need to complete the Pre-Chiropractic courses prescribed by each university. All state universities (NIU, ISU, SIU-C, SIU-E, WIU, EIU, and U of I) offer a Pre-Chiropractic curriculum. Colleges listed below offer the Medicine degree. Please see a counselor when choosing your classes.

UNIVERSITY	MINIMUM GPA REQUIRED	MAJOR COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER
PALMER COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC 1-800-722-2586	3.0 gpa if possessing a Bachelor's degree 3.0 gpa if not possessing a Bachelor's degree. Transfer students must fill out transfer form at: http://www.palmer.edu/admissions/transferstudents/	If possessing Bachelor's degree: • Min 90 completed semester hours • Min 66 gen ed hours • 3.0 gpa • 24 hours in science courses (half with labs), C or better 2. Students who wish to earn acceptance into the doctor of chiropractic program without a completed Bachelor's degree will be required to have at least 90 overall semester (135 quarter) hours of undergraduate coursework with an earned cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. A minimum of 24 credit hours in Life and Physical sciences, at least half with labs, is required (C or better). A well-rounded general education includes required coursework in life and physical sciences; humanities; social and behavioral sciences; and communications and languages. Coursework in each of these domains may include: 1. Sciences: A. Biology: anatomy, physiology, general biology, cellular biology, molecular biology, microbiology, embryology, immunology, genetics B. Chemistry: general chemistry, inorganic chemistry, organic chemistry, analytical chemistry, biochemistry, toxicology, pharmacology, nutrition/nuclear medicine C. Physical Sciences: physics, biomechanics, statistics, exercise physiology, kinesiology, exercise science 2. Humanities: literature, history, philosophy, art, theater, music, religion, physical education 3. Social and Behavioral Sciences: psychology, sociology, political science, business, economics, geography, anthropology, computer science 4. Communication and Languages: oral communication, written communication, digital communication, foreign languages Note: Applicants who have fewer than 24 semester credits and/or a cumulative G.P.A. less than 3.0 may qualify through the alternative admissions track plan (AATP), which involves a more extensive review of personal enrollment factors. You may gain provisional status to Palmer College of Chiropractic as soon as you've completed at least 60 semester units of overall coursework and have earned a minimum overall GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. Visit http://www.palmer.edu/admissions/
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES	3.0 minimum Competitive GPA	BIO 1003/1004 or BIO1007/1008; CHM 1006, 1007, 2002, 2003; ENG 1001 and ENG1002 or SPH1001; PHY 2003, 2004; PSY 1000. Additionally, 15 credit hours of Social Sciences/Humanities to be taken from transfer-oriented coursework. An earned baccalaureate degree is required for admission to the Doctor of Chiropractic program. Students between a 2.75-2.99 may be considered under an Alternative Admission Track. Call 1-800-826-6285 for more info Suggested IVCC course outline: http://www.nuhs.edu/extras/sco/dc/illinois/IllinoisValleyCC_DCND.pdf 4/20

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