



GUIDELINES FOR COMPLETING YOUR PLME EDUCATIONAL PLAN PACKET

- ❖ DOWNLOAD AND SAVE THIS FILE TO YOUR COMPUTER.
- ❖ COMPLETE THE EDUCATION PLAN PACKET ON PAGE 3–5.
- ❖ MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH YOUR ADVISING DEAN TO REVIEW YOUR PLAN AND TO GET HIS/HER WRITTEN APPROVAL ON THE COVER PAGE (PAGE 3).
- ❖ PROVIDE YOUR COMPLETED EDUCATION PLAN PACKET AND A HARD COPY OF YOUR DECLARATION OF STANDARD CONCENTRATION PROGRAM FROM THE ASK WEB SITE, TO **THE PLME OFFICE BY 4:00 PM ON FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 2021.**

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Complete all information.

PLME EDUCATIONAL PLAN (page 4)

Please list by year and semester the courses that you plan to take during your PLME undergraduate years. (List course numbers and titles.) When planning your program, keep in mind the following points:

- i) The basic science PLME competencies: Refer to [PLME Handbook Class of 2023](#) and consult with your PLME advising dean.
- ii) Your concentration requirements: Contact concentration department to request assignment of concentration advisor; arrange for an appointment to discuss concentration requirements. Submit a copy of Declaration of Standard Concentration Program from the ASK web site to the PLME Office.

COMPETENCE IN THE SCIENCES AND STATISTICS (page 5)

Indicate on the form how and when you plan to demonstrate competency in biology, chemistry, physics, and STATISTICS. Refer to the [PLME Handbook for Class of 2023](#) competency guidelines.

Also list on the form any *alternate* means of demonstrating a specific PLME competency (e.g., AP credit in biology; approved summer school course in inorganic chemistry, etc.). Students claiming AP or IB credit must confirm that the College Board or IB Report has sent scores to Brown's Registrar.

Because of the essential nature of the BIOLOGY competency, there are standards that apply to this competency but not others. The first is that the required courses must be taken at Brown, during the fall or spring semester (NOT during the summer). The second is that courses completed to fulfill the biology competency must be taken for a grade, and a minimum grade of "B" must be attained.

Courses taken away from Brown for PLME competency must be taken for transfer credit. The same process that has always been in place: bring syllabus from a 4-year college to the appropriate department for approval as "equivalent" course must be followed. ALL courses for competency must be transferred onto the Brown BANNER system. This will require that you seek out the Dean of the College's permission for transfer credit **IN ADVANCE** of taking the class. An official transcript must be sent to Brown.

CONCENTRATION FORMS

Be sure to provide to the PLME Office a hard copy of your Declaration of Standard Concentration Program from the ASK web site along with your PLME Education Plan by Friday, April 16, 2021 at 4:00pm.

THE HUMANITIES AND BEHAVIORAL/SOCIAL SCIENCES

Medicine is practiced in a social context. Thus a well-educated physician should draw upon the perspectives, modes of analysis and scholarship represented in the humanities and social sciences. Every student **MUST** integrate aspects of the humanities and social sciences into his/her Educational Plan in the form of one (1) class per year. Students are **highly encouraged** to pursue courses in social or behavioral sciences prior to the medical portion of the curriculum.

**Program in Liberal Medical Education
EDUCATIONAL PLAN PACKET
PLME CLASS OF 2023**

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Name:

Banner No.

Date submitted:

Class (year expected to graduate from PLME undergraduate program):

Concentration:

Concentration Advisor:

Are you considering any advanced degrees? Check those that tentatively apply:

MD-MPA MD-PhD MD-MPH MD-ScM Other
(PC/PM)

Do you plan to study abroad? (<http://www.brown.edu/academics/medical/plme/current-students/enrichment-activities/study-abroad>) If so, what are your plans?

We would be interested to see listed any enrichment activities that you plan to participate in.

PLME Advising Dean (name):

PLME Advising Dean Signature _____ Date _____

PLME Program Approval _____ Date _____

**SUBMIT A COPY OF DECLARATION OF STANDARD CONCENTRATION PROGRAM
FROM THE ASK WEB SITE TO THE PLME OFFICE**

PLME EDUCATIONAL PLAN

Name:

- List course number and title

YEAR I — SEMESTER I (fall)	YEAR I — SEMESTER II (spring)
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.
YEAR II — SEMESTER I (fall)	YEAR II — SEMESTER II (spring)
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.
YEAR III — SEMESTER I (fall)	YEAR III — SEMESTER II (spring)
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.
YEAR IV — SEMESTER I (fall)	YEAR IV — SEMESTER II (spring)
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.

PLME COMPETENCIES

Name:

Please indicate how and when you plan to demonstrate competency in each of the following areas.

Example:

BIOL 0200 Yr. 1, Sem II;

Refer to the PLME Handbook for PLME competency guidelines

		Courses required	How you will fulfill	When you will fulfill
Biology:	Must be taken for a letter grade and minimum grade of B attained	BIOL 0200— <i>Foundation of Living Systems</i> or equiv		
		Add'l Biology 0470-Genetics 0500-Cell & Molec bio 0510-Intro Micro 0530-Immunology 0800-Physiology 1310-Intro to Devel Bio 1880-Comp Bio Vertebrates NEUR0010 - Neuroscience		
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		BIOL0280 - Intro to Biochemistry <i>Note: can be taken S/NC if three Biology competencies have been completed with a "B" or better</i>		
Chemistry:		CHEM0330 - <i>Equilibrium, Rate, and Structure</i> or eq.		
		CHEM0350 - <i>Organic Chemistry</i> or equiv.		
Statistics:		consult your PLME Handbook/advising dean		
Physics:		PHYS0030, PHYS0040 or equivalent		
Humanities/Behavioral and Social Sciences:		4 courses; consult your PLME Handbook and advising dean		

Students claiming AP or IB credit FOR PLME competencies must confirm that the College Board or IB Report has sent scores to Brown's Registrar. See your advising dean for exceptions. All courses taken outside Brown must be transferred to Brown—check with the department first and then the Dean of the College IN ADVANCE before taking the course.