

# L.E.A.P.

Laredo Early Acceptance Program



## *Requirements*

To be considered for this opportunity, applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Earn a minimum Overall GPA of 3.2 and Overall Science GPA of 3.2 at Texas A&M International University (TAMIU) and maintain both every semester.
- Complete 24 semester credit hours, including 12 semester credit hours in specific science and math prerequisite courses at TAMIU during the first year of enrollment.
- Complete 20 hours of working, volunteering, shadowing, or observing in a health care setting corresponding to the selected graduate program.
- Complete program of interest pre-requisites for UTHSCSA in a timely manner while being in LEAP.

## *Instructions*

Applicants must submit these documents by the application deadline to [cecilia.vazquez@tamiu.edu](mailto:cecilia.vazquez@tamiu.edu), [michael.kidd@tamiu.edu](mailto:michael.kidd@tamiu.edu) or [benavidez2@uthscsa.edu](mailto:benavidez2@uthscsa.edu):

- L.E.A.P. application
- Unofficial transcript from TAMIU
- Two letters of recommendation, specifically from a TAMIU faculty member and a professional in your health professions of interest
- Resume
- Personal essay
  - 2-page limit
  - Describe what motivates you to pursue an education and career in your program of interest. Discuss your goals, academic achievements, and personal experiences.

## *Contact Us*

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### APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: December 1

Spring Semester: April 15