

Regulations of the PUMS Pre-medical Summer Program 2026

§1 General Provisions

1. The PUMS Pre-medical Summer Program (hereinafter “Program”) is organized by Poznan University of Medical Sciences (PUMS), Center for Medical Education in English (CMEE).
2. The Program is financed by the Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange (NAWA).
3. The Program will take place in Poznań, Poland, on July 7–16, 2026.
4. The purpose of the Program is to provide participants with an introduction to medical and health sciences, academic culture, and student life at PUMS.

§2 Target Group

1. The Program is intended for high school students, college students, and recent graduates (up to 5 years after graduation).
2. The age of participants must be over 18 at the start of the Program.
3. All participants must demonstrate proficiency in English at the C1 level or be native speakers.

§3 Enrollment Rules

1. The Program is limited to 40 participants.
2. To be eligible for the Program, candidates must submit a transcript from the most recently completed academic year (high school or college). The GPA will be calculated internally by the admissions team using the U.S. 4.0 scale as a reference. The following point conversion will be used:

GPA (USA) | Recruitment Points (0–7)

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3.90 – 4.00 | 7

3.70 – 3.89 | 6

3.40 – 3.69 | 5

3.10 – 3.39 | 4

2.80 – 3.09 | 3

2.50 – 2.79 | 2

below 2.50 | 1

no transcript | 0



Up to 2 additional points may be awarded for documented volunteer experience.

Up to 5 additional points may be awarded for applicants currently enrolled in undergraduate programs related to pre-medical, biological, or health-allied sciences, such as:

- Pre-Medical / Pre-Health programs
- Biology, Biochemistry, or Biotechnology
- Human Physiology, Anatomy, or Neuroscience
- Nursing, Physiotherapy, Public Health, or Allied Health Sciences
- Biomedical Engineering or Health Sciences majors

Additional 5 points may be awarded for applicants who are currently students of institutions that have a formal cooperation agreement (MoU or partnership agreement) PUMS.

Candidates with the highest number of points will receive offers of admission. Remaining applicants will be placed on a waiting list.

3. If the number of candidates with identical recruitment scores exceeds the number of available places (40), the date of application submission and document delivery will be taken into account when making admission decisions.

4. If the candidate has not studied in English, they must also submit a certificate confirming English proficiency at C1 level (e.g., IELTS, TOEFL, Cambridge).

5. Applications must be submitted exclusively through the platform, the link to which available at: <https://pums.ump.edu.pl/admissions/summer-program.html>

6. The application deadline is March 31, 2026.

7. Candidates will be notified of their admission decision by the Vice-Director for International Admissions and Promotion.

8. Admitted participants must confirm their participation and submit a statement confirming their travel arrangements to Poland by April 30, 2026, in order to be officially enrolled in the program.

9. The date on which the participant's confirmation and required documents and travel documentation are received, as specified in point 8 and 9, shall be considered the official enrollment date.

10. Failure to confirm by this deadline will result in loss of place, which will be offered to candidates from the waiting list.

11. Withdrawal from participation after the deadline of April 30, 2026 or without providing a justified reason (e.g. illness) may result in exclusion from future programs organized by PUMS.

12. Applicants placed on the waiting list will be informed about available spots in the first week of May 2026.

13. All official correspondence regarding the Program is conducted via email summerprogram@ump.edu.pl

§4 Appeal Procedure

1. Candidates have the right to appeal a decision of non-acceptance into the Program.
2. The appeal must be submitted in writing to the Vice-Director within 7 days of receiving the decision.
3. The decision of the Vice-Director is final.

§5 Program Content

1. The Program consists of:
 - July 7, 2026 – Arrival and registration in dormitories.
 - July 8, 2026 – Orientation session.
 - July 9–15, 2026 – Classes, workshops, and laboratory sessions.
 - July 11–12, 2026 (weekend) – Social and cultural events.
 - July 16, 2026 – Departure.
2. Participants who successfully complete the Program will receive an official certificate issued by PUMS.

§6 Accommodation and Meals

1. Participants will be provided with accommodation in the PUMS dormitories.
2. Meals will be provided at the university canteen.
3. Costs of travel, insurance, visas, and additional meals are borne by the participants.

§7 Participant Rights and Obligations

1. Participants have the right to:
 - take part in all educational and social activities of the Program,
 - receive accommodation and meals as specified in §6,
 - obtain a certificate upon completion, provided that the conditions set in point 2 are met.
2. Participants are obliged to:
 - attend at least 80% of the classes; attendance lists will be provided at each session,
 - follow the Program schedule and actively participate in classes,
 - respect PUMS property, dormitory rules, and academic regulations,

- maintain appropriate behavior and comply with Polish law,
- possess valid health insurance for the entire duration of their stay and submit a scanned copy to PUMS at least 30 days before arrival.

§8 Withdrawal and Exclusion

1. A participant may withdraw from the Program by submitting a written notice to the Program Office.
2. PUMS reserves the right to exclude a participant from the Program in case of:
 - violation of university rules, dormitory regulations, or Polish law,
 - disruptive behavior,
 - providing false information during the application process.

§9 Liability

1. PUMS is not responsible for participants' personal belongings or any losses incurred during the Program.
2. Participants are fully liable for any damages caused to PUMS property.

§10 Data Protection

1. Participants' personal data are processed in accordance with applicable EU and Polish data protection laws (GDPR).
2. Data are used exclusively for the purposes of Program organization and participation.

§11 Final Provisions

1. Matters not regulated in these Regulations are subject to the general internal regulations of PUMS and Polish law.
2. PUMS reserves the right to make necessary changes to the Program schedule due to organizational or unforeseen circumstances.
3. These Regulations come into force on the date of approval by the Director of CMEE.