**EARLY DECISION PROGRAM**

**Overview**
The Early Decision Program (EDP) allows a prospective student to apply exclusively to Wayne State University's School of Medicine for the opportunity for early acceptance to medical school.

For qualified applicants, the EDP offers a stronger chance of acceptance than a standard application. If an applicant is not accepted as part of the EDP following their interview, they will be placed on the alternate list in the regular pool of applicants.

**Qualifications**
The EDP requires a minimum Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) score above the 65th percentile. A BCPM and overall grade point average of 3.65, as calculated by American Medical College Application Service (AMCAS), is also required.

Any applicant to the EDP who does not meet minimum qualifications to the program or is not invited to an interview for the EDP Program, will be reviewed and may be either rejected or released to the regular pool of applicants.

**Application process**
Prospective students interested in the EDP must apply through AMCAS by Aug. 1. Interviews are conducted in August and September for qualified EDP applicants. An admission decision will be made for EDP applicants no later than Oct. 1.

**EDP applications for the 2019 admissions cycle**
- 36 applicants
- 32 interviews
- 2 not qualified
- 2 withdrew as they received 2018 med school offers from WSU
- 27 acceptance offer
- 5 placed on the alternate list