

MEDICAL AND HEALTH CAREERS PROGRAM: There are 28 colleges of osteopathic medicine that offer the doctor of osteopathic medicine (DO) degree. Two (2) are located in California. (www.aacom.org)

The following is an abridged compilation of course requirements and recommendations for the **western region** only. For a complete listing of information for all osteopathic schools (D.O.), please visit the individual school website. **OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL SCHOOL (D.O.)** Required and Recommended Courses according to 2010 AACOM Information Book

Inorganic/ General Chemistry	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lab	x		x	x	x	
Recommended						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH
Biochemistry	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required						
Recommended			x			
Lab			x			
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)						See note below
Biology	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lab	x		x	x	x	
Recommended						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	Note: include zoology 12SH
Organic Chemistry	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lab	x		x	x	x	
Recommended						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH
Physics	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lab	x		x	x	x	
Recommended						
Semesters or Quarters						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH	8SH
Upper Div Biology, Human Anatomy	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required						
Recommended			x			
Lab						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)						

College English /Writing	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Required	x	x	x	x	x	x
Lab						
Recommended						
Semester Hours, Quarter Hours (Hours = Units)	6SH	6SH	6SH	6SH	6 SH	6SH
Additional Course Information	Touro U., CA	Touro U., NV	Western U., CA	A.T. Still U., AZ	AZCOM Midwestern U., AZ	Pacific Northwest U., WA
Math	4SH	4SH				
Statistics	4SH	4SH				
Behavioral Science	6SH	8SH	6SH			
	Biology sequence must include Zoology. Note: Touro, CA has a lab requirement.	Biology sequence must include Zoology. Note: Touro, NV does not differentiate between lecture and lab requirement.	Biochemistry is strongly recommended. Microbiology, Genetics, Immunology, Anatomy and Physiology are	Biology sequence must include Zoology.		4 credits of Organic Chemistry may be substituted with Biochemistry. Note: PNU does not differentiate between lecture and lab requirement.