BARRY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF
PODIATRIC MEDICINE
Dean: Albert Armstrong Jr., DPM, MS, BSRT

GENERAL INFORMATION

BARRY University's School of Podiatric Medicine was founded in 1985 in Miami, Florida. As expressed in the mission statement, BUMP has the purpose of graduating the most competent podiatric physicians qualified to enter post-graduate training. This is accomplished by excellence in podiatric medical education, fostering life-long learning, expressing a commitment to social justice by serving the local and global community, through patient care, and encouraging research and innovation that promotes the common good.

BARRY University was founded in 1940 by the Adrian Dominican Sisters. As a Catholic university, it has been shaped throughout the years by its core commitments of knowledge and truth, inclusive community, social justice, and collaborative service.

The School of Podiatric Medicine focuses exclusively on our podiatric medical students. The small class environment and professors' open door policy contribute to a first-class education that supports your success. As part of a comprehensive university, you have access to all the resources and facilities of a traditional university. For example, you have the option to pursue the only DPM/MBA dual degree program in podiatric medicine. There are multiple volunteer options available to you in the diverse South Florida community as well as many opportunities to engage in research with our world-renowned research faculty.

BARRY University's Foot and Ankle Institute has three hospital-based clinics in different socio-demographic areas, providing you significant exposure to the greatest number of patients and broadest possible range of pathologies during your clinical experience.

In addition to the Foot and Ankle Institute, you will rotate through eight different hospitals and clinics throughout the Miami area. The latest technological innovations permeate the curriculum from the classroom setting to state of the art technology in the clinics.

MISSION STATEMENT:
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TYPE OF INSTITUTION: PRIVATE
DATE FOUNDED: 1985
TERM TYPE: SEMESTER
CAMPUSS SETTING: SUBURBAN
CAMPUS HOUSING: YES
ANNUAL CLASS SIZE: 67

PREPARATION

All students applying to Barry University School of Podiatric Medicine are required to complete at least 90 semester hours at a regionally accredited institution. All students are also required to take the MCAT.

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PREFERRED: YES
ACCEPTABLE MINIMUM NUMBER OF SEMESTER HOURS: 90
ACCEPTED ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) CREDITS: YES

ACADEMIC PREPARATION OF 2018 ENTERING CLASS:
BACCALAUREATE: 59
# OF STUDENTS APPLIED: 457
# OF STUDENTS MATRICULATED: 59
MASTERS: 11
PHD, OR OTHER DOCTORATE: 0

BCP (BIOLOGY-CHEMISTRY-PHYSICS) SCIENCE

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OTHER

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PREPARATION EXTRAS:
BARRY UNIVERSITY ACCEPTS LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION FROM INTERFOLIO & VIRTUAL EVALS,
- ONE (1) LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A DOCTOR OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE (REQUIRED),
- TWO (2) LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION FROM ACADEMIC PROFESSIONALS OR ADVISORS (OPTIONAL) MAY BE SUBMITTED WITH A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY REPORT,
- CURRENT OFFICIAL SCORES FROM THE MEDICAL COLLEGE ADMISSION TEST,
- PRIOR TO THE INTERVIEW, APPLICANT SHOULD HAVE SUBSTANTIAL SHADOWING HOURS WITH AT LEAST ONE DOCTOR OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE TO OBSERVE AND DISCUSS THE PRACTICE OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE,
- YOU MUST SUBMIT A TOEFL/IELTS SCORE IF THE PRIMARY LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION OF THE INSTITUTION WHERE YOU RECEIVED YOUR UNIVERSITY/-College DEGREE IS NOT ENGLISH,
- RECOMMENDED COURSES ARE IN CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY, GENETICS, ANATOMY, PHYSIOLOGY, AND BIOCHEMISTRY TO STRENGTHEN PREMEDICAL BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE.

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MIAMI SHORES, FL 33161
**Florida**

**Barry University School of Podiatric Medicine**

**Combined Degrees Offered**

**Degree** | **Yes** | **No**
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M.D. |  |  
M.D./ |  |  
M.S. |  |  
P.H.D. |  |  
Other |  |  

**Special Programs and Services**

- Podiatric Medicine for Displaced Children
- Florida Podiatric Medical Student Association (FPMSA)
- Pre-Podiatry:
  - [http://www.barry.edu/preprofessional/](http://www.barry.edu/preprofessional/)

**Current Student Services**

- Campus Ministry
- Campus Recreation and Wellness
- Career Development Center
- Center for Student Involvement
- Counseling and Psychological Services
- Disability Services
- Health Services
- Housing and Residence Life
- International and Multicultural Programs

**Active Student Organizations**

- Over 13 clubs and organizations, including:
  - Florida Podiatric Medical Student Association (FPMSA)
  - American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (ACFAS)
  - American Academy of Podiatric Practice Management (AAPPM)
  - American Association of Women Podiatricists (AARP)
  - American Society of Podiatric Dermatology (ASPD)
  - Biomechanics Society
  - Diabetes Podiatric Medical Student Association (DPMSA)
  - Forensic Podiatry

**International Students**

Applicants who do not show evidence of being native English speakers, including those applying for transfer from U.S. institutions, or who have not graduated from an institution where English is the primary language of instruction must submit a qualifying IELTS or TOEFL score.

International credentials from an educational system other than the United States must be evaluated by a foreign credential evaluator who is a member of the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services. The evaluation must be “course-by-course with GPA,” and sent directly from the evaluating agency to Barry University.

For a list of NACES members, please visit [www.naces.org/inspectors.htm](http://www.naces.org/inspectors.htm)

**Financial Aid and Scholarship Information**

A college education is one of life’s biggest investments. Financial aid is available to help students pay their education-related expenses. Financial aid programs have enabled thousands of students to achieve their educational goals.

Barry University encourages students to use their own resources first to finance their education. When personal resources of the student are insufficient to meet the total cost of education, the Financial Aid Office makes every effort to supplement the student’s resources with available financial aid.

Barry University participates in many of the federal and state financial aid programs available to graduate students. In addition to government-funded programs, there is also program-specific assistance, such as scholarships and assistantships. More than 95% of our podiatric medical students receive some form of financial aid. At Barry, we are committed to doing all we can to help you finance your education.

**Tuition**

- **First-Year Costs**
  - Tuition (Resident & Non-Resident): $39,280

**Fees**

- **Books & Supplies**
  - Year 1: $1,405
  - Year 2: $4,270
  - Year 3: $4,300
  - Year 4: $600

- **Estimated Living Expenses**
  - Year 1: $15,435
  - Year 2: $26,080
  - Year 3: $20,580
  - Year 4: $38,000

Each podiatric medical college makes every effort to provide accurate current information. Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice. Fees are included in the tuition. For the most up-to-date information, please visit the college’s financial aid website.

**Extras**

- Facebook.com/BarryUniversitySchoolofPodiatricMedicine
- @BarryPOD