



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY
HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
EL PASO

Paul L. Foster School of Medicine

VISITING MEDICAL STUDENT CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

U.S. medical students can apply for up to eight weeks of clinical electives. We do not accept international visiting medical students.

Please do not contact the departments for availability. All applications are processed through the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso Paul L. Foster School of Medicine Office of Student Affairs.

All documents must be uploaded on the Visiting Student Learning Opportunities (VSLO) website through the Visiting Student Application Service (VSAS) for the application(s) to be processed and considered. Label all documents as follows: last name, first name, document name. The TTUHSC El Paso PLFSOM block dates WILL NOT be adjusted under any circumstances.

Required documents:

- Transcript
- Photo
- Immunization records

Complete Immunization and Health Survey – You can find this form under “requirements.”

Copies of lab reports for all titers and immunization records must be provided.

The Association of American Medical Colleges’ Standardized Immunization Form will be accepted with the following:

Measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) – option two – measles, mumps and rubella, titers are required.

Positive TB skin test – Student must have a chest X-ray within three months of the rotation start date.

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- Required immunizations – immunization and/or health records must be provided.
 - a. TB skin test
 - b. Hepatitis B series
 - c. Tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (Tdap)
 - d. Influenza vaccine
- Copies of laboratory reports for the following antibody titers:
 - a. Rubella
 - b. Rubeola (measles)
 - c. Mumps
 - d. Varicella
 - e. Hepatitis B

- Basic Life Support for health care providers – copy - front/back
- Personal health insurance – copy front/back
- Community wide orientation – upload <https://www.epcc.edu/> (Under search type Community Wide Orientation)
- Professional liability insurance – upload document (This will be provided by your institution)
- Background check HireRight – a background check from your institution **WILL NOT** be accepted. Please copy and paste link: <https://ows01.hireright.com/ofk2in.html?kiosk=A217C90ABCbfd640ac707565f63fccde>.
- Please upload a letter of interest explaining the following:
 - Your primary reason(s) for wanting to complete this rotation at the PLFSOM
 - Your specialty plans