

## Acceptances in 2025-2026

Xavier has been a leader nationally in placing African-American students into medical school, and the University continues to do well as evidenced by the fact that **18 Xavier students have reported being accepted into medical and other types of health professions schools and related programs for entry in 2026**. Congratulations to the following students who have reported acceptances to the Premedical Office for entry in 2026 (updated 2/9/26):

- Justin Ansley (Heathwood Hall Episcopal School, Charleston, SC) has been accepted into Rush Medical College, Howard University, and University of South Carolina-Columbia Medical Schools.
- James Bailey (Fayette County High, Fayetteville, GA) has been accepted into Howard University and Morehouse Medical Schools.
- Trinity Blankenship (C.E. Byrd High, Shreveport, LA) has been accepted into LSU-Shreveport School of Medicine (Early Decision Program).
- Tonya Chaney (Hahnville High, Luling, LA) has been accepted into LSU-New Orleans School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program).
- Kimberly A. Chenier (Debakey High School for Health Professions, Houston, TX) has been accepted into NYIT-Arkansas, University of Incarnate Word, and William Carey Osteopathic Medical Schools.
- Nadia M. Coleman (Hernando High, Hernando, MS) has been accepted into Baptist University College of Osteopathic Medicine.
- Peyton M. Culclager (Lee's Summit West High, Lee's Summit, MO) has been accepted into Xavier University of Louisiana Physician Assistant Program.
- Jamiah Davis (Whitney M. Young High, Chicago, IL) has been accepted into Mayo Clinic School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program, Full Tuition Scholarship).
- Kiera Evans (H.L. Bourgeois High, Houma, LA) has been accepted into Xavier University of Louisiana and Meharry Medical College Physician Assistant Programs.
- Alayah Gedward (Brusly High, Brusly, LA) has been accepted into LSU-New Orleans School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program).
- Bryanna Grice (Wilson High, Hamer, SC) has been accepted into University of South Carolina-Columbia, Howard, and Meharry Medical Schools.

- Rayanna Johnson (McCluer North High, Florissant, MO) has been accepted into Howard University College of Medicine.
- Emily Lai (Chalmette High, Chalmette, LA) has been accepted into Southern College, UAB, and Nova Southeastern Optometry Schools.
- Amaya Long (Lindblom Math & Science Academy, Chicago, IL) has been accepted into Mayo Clinic School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program, Full Tuition Scholarship).
- Theresa Nguyen (Thomas Jefferson High, Harvey, LA) has been accepted into LSU-New Orleans School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program).
- Cameil Peebles (Montgomery Blair High, Silver Spring, MD) has been accepted into Meharry, Howard, Nova Southeastern, and Oregon Health & Science University Dental Schools.
- Mohamed Sharaf (Chalmette High, Chalmette, LA) has been accepted into LSU-New Orleans School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program).
- Renthony Wilson (Petal High, Petal, MS) has been accepted into Mayo Clinic School of Medicine (Early Assurance Program, Full Tuition Scholarship).