

June 2009 Wingate University PA Program Update

The CASPA application portal opened on April 15, 2009. The deadline for applying for the class beginning August 2010 is January 15, 2010. As of today, 136 applications have been initiated.

Just a reminder about our admissions requirements that must be completed by the deadline in order to be considered for an admissions interview:

- Completion of 8 of the 9 prerequisite courses
- Minimum GPA for our six science prerequisites is 3.2
- Minimum GPA for our nine prerequisites is 3.0
- Minimum 500 hours of direct patient contact in process

We do not require the GRE. There is no supplemental application or additional application fees.

The admissions committee will review the applications after January 15 and determine who will be invited for interviews scheduled in February.

Our current students are nearly halfway through their third semester, the final semester of their didactic year. They will begin clinical rotations in August as our new students arrive for their first year of study.

Three students and our clinical coordinator, Dr. Michael Whitehead, attended the AAPA conference in San Diego. Our medical director, Dr. Roy Blank spoke at two of the AAPA continuing medical education sessions.