

Accelerated Family Medicine Track (AFMT) Application

Northeast Ohio Medical University

Academic Year 2018-2019

Director: David Sperling, MD

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The Accelerated Family Medicine Track (AFMT) is an academic track program at NEOMED. The track shortens medical school by one calendar year and provisionally admits students to a NEOMED-affiliated Family Medicine residency program at their date of acceptance to the AFMT. Once acceptance decisions are made, students who accept their position in the AFMT will have an adjusted graduation date from 2022 to 2021.

Application Process:

Students interested in applying for the AFMT must:

- Attend informational sessions with the AFMT director detailing all curricular components of the program.
- Attend an advising session with the Assistant Dean of Students to discuss their career goals and specialty interest in Family Medicine.
- Visit the NEOMED-affiliated Family Medicine Residency Programs and indicate which programs (via this application form) they would like to attend if accepted.
- Complete and submit this application form, including all requested materials (essay, CV/resume)
- Instruct their reference(s) to send their letter of recommendation by the application deadline.

AFMT Family Medicine residency programs for 2018-19:

1. Summa Health System

Program Name: Akron Campus Family Medicine Residency Program

Program Director: William Smucker, MD

Contact for site visit:

Jennifer Vorell

email: vorellj@summahealth.org

phone: 330-926-0672

2. Summa Health System

Program Name: Barberton Campus Family Medicine Residency Program

Program Director: Jon Edwards, MD

Contact for site visit:

Melanie Rule

email: rulem@summahealth.org

phone: 330-615-3224

APPLICATION FORM

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name:	
Phone:	Email:
Street Address:	City, State, Zip code:

Please indicate if the following items apply to you:

ITEM	Y/N	Description
Scholarships awarded:		
Military service (any branch):		

ESSAY

Please complete an essay with your response to each of the following prompts (at least 1-2 pages):

- Describe why you decided to pursue a career in medicine
- Discuss your interest in practicing family medicine
- Explain why you want to participate in the AFMT

REFERENCE LETTER

Applications to the AFMT must include 1-2 letters of recommendation. These references should be able to attest to applicants' background, personal qualities, and commitment to a career in family medicine. References must send their letters to the contact below by the application deadline.

RESIDENCY

Please indicate below (by check mark, do not list/order) which Family Medicine residency program(s) you are interested in attending if accepted to the AFMT:

Check	AFMT Participating Residencies 2018-2019
	Summa Health System: Akron Campus Family Medicine Residency Program
	Summa Health System: Barberton Campus Family Medicine Residency Program

Applicant Acknowledgement

I understand and acknowledge that by submitting my application for the Accelerated Family Medicine Track, I consent to the release and review of my NEOMED application materials and my current educational records to the AFMT Selection Committee, which may include employees from both NEOMED and any participating residency program.

Print Name

Signature

Submit all application materials (including CV/resume, references) via email, and direct any questions to:

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Application Deadline: February 1, 2019