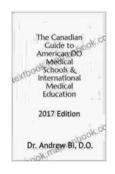
# The Canadian Guide to American Do Medical Schools International Medical

Are you a Canadian medical graduate who dreams of practicing medicine in the United States? If so, you may be considering applying to an American osteopathic medical school. DO medical schools offer a unique blend of medical and osteopathic training, and they can be a great option for international medical graduates who want to practice in the US.



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This guide will provide you with everything you need to know about applying to American DO medical schools as an international medical graduate. We will cover topics such as eligibility criteria, the application process, and visa considerations.

#### **Eligibility Criteria**

To be eligible to apply to an American DO medical school, you must meet the following requirements:

- You must have a bachelor's degree from an accredited university.
- You must have completed the required prerequisite courses for medical school.
- You must have taken the MCAT and achieved a competitive score.
- You must be fluent in English.
- You must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident.

In addition to these general requirements, some DO medical schools may have additional requirements for international medical graduates. For example, some schools may require you to have completed a US clinical rotation. It is important to check the requirements of each school you are applying to.

#### **The Application Process**

The application process for American DO medical schools is similar to the process for applying to Canadian medical schools. You will need to submit an application through the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine Application Service (AACOMAS). The AACOMAS application includes the following components:

- Personal statement
- Letters of recommendation
- Transcripts
- MCAT scores

Once you have submitted your AACOMAS application, you will need to wait for the schools you have applied to to review your application. If you are invited for an interview, you will need to travel to the school for an in-person interview.

#### **Visa Considerations**

If you are not a US citizen or permanent resident, you will need to obtain a visa to study in the United States. The most common type of visa for international medical students is the F-1 visa. To obtain an F-1 visa, you will need to have been accepted to an accredited educational institution in the United States and have the financial means to support yourself while you are studying.

The process for obtaining an F-1 visa can be complex, so it is important to start the process early. You should begin by contacting the US embassy or consulate in your home country.

Applying to American DO medical schools as an international medical graduate can be a challenging process, but it is possible. By following the steps outlined in this guide, you can increase your chances of success.

If you have any questions about applying to American DO medical schools, please do not hesitate to contact us. We are here to help you achieve your dreams of becoming a doctor in the United States.

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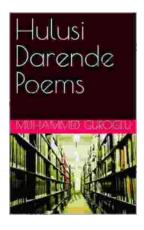
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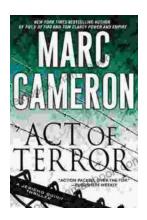
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