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Between June of 2014 and March 31, 2015, 10 undergraduate students were interviewed during their application process for professional school. In the fall, students applying for medical school and physician assistant school are interviewed. In the spring semester, most applicants are applying for dental school and physician assistant school, as those deadlines are in late summer, early fall. The committee met several Fridays for an average of 1.5 hours per interview. In total, counting new applicants and re-applicants from previous years, twenty-six students applied for medical school, three students applied for dental school, and two students applied for physician assistant school.

The committee chair wrote ten new letters, and amended seven previous letters, updating the applicant files and information. Most students applied to multiple schools within their area of interest. The chair and other members of the committee also reviewed and critiqued the personal statements of applicants, during both the summer and academic year.

Below are the acceptances of applicants at this point in the semester. Some of the applicants did not utilize the Pre-Medical Advisory Committee, but are still reported as applicants from ULM. Only those students that have earned a degree from ULM are listed below. Most students have not been notified of acceptances yet, and can receive notice of acceptance as late as August of 2015. None of the twenty-six medical school applicants have been rejected from all their chosen schools.

	Number of Applicants	Known Acceptances	Waitlist*	Percentage WL/Accept
Medical Programs (MD or DO)	26	7	1	30.8 %
Physician Assistant	2	1		50.0 %
Dental School	3	0		0.0 %
Overall	31	8	1	29.0 %

^{*}Waitlisted student still have a chance to be admitted for the current application period. Students in this category have not been denied admittance at this time.

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